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PREFACE.

THE thirteen parts which this volume comprises have already been issued separately, and now appear in a collective form with a General Index. Since the publication of the various parts the information contained in them has been subjected to careful revision. It is possible, however, that some errors may still remain uncorrected; if there be any such which come under attention information concerning their nature and position would be gladly received.

The following pages contain chiefly matter in a tabular form, and should therefore be read in conjunction with the "Wealth and Progress of New South Wales," an annual publication, based for the most part on the figures found in this volume, and designed, as its title shows, to illustrate the resources of this Colony.

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Section I.—MUNICIPALITIES.

No. 1.—Incorporation of Municipalities, 1878–98.

Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.	Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.	Year.	Municipalities existing.	Incorporated Area.
	No.	acres.		No.	acres.		No.	acres.
1878	80	846,561	1885	111	1,106,152	1892	168	1,637,046
1879	85	911,809	1886	117	1,148,085	1893	171	1,660,675
1880	87	948,353	1887	122	1,162,728	1894	175	1,683,990
1881	87	948,353	1888	132	1,270,543	1895	182	1,754,941
1882	92	1,014,625	1889	145	1,357,916	1896	183	1,767,079
1883	99	1,051,675	1890	158	1,527,772	1897	183	1,767,749
1884	103	1,086,619	1891	165	1,564,406	1898	184	1,768,500

No. 2.—Annual and Capital Values of Ratable Property in Municipalities, year ending 6th February, 1899.

Division.	Amount of General Rate levied.	Fair Average Annual Rental of—		Capital Value of—	
		Improved Land with Buildings thereon.	All Ratable Property.	Improved Land with Buildings thereon.	All Ratable Property.
Metropolitan—	£	£	£	£	£
*City of Sydney	129,479	2,036,150	2,145,800	40,966,800	43,159,900
Suburban Municipalities ...	127,974	2,515,300	2,819,600	37,681,800	43,767,700
Total Metropolitan ...	257,453	4,551,450	4,965,400	78,648,600	86,927,600
Country Municipalities ...	108,355	2,245,230	2,413,950	30,323,700	33,698,000
Grand Total	365,808	6,796,680	7,379,350	108,972,300	120,625,600

* Year ended 31st December, 1898.

No. 3.—Annual and Capital Values of Ratable Property in Municipalities, 1893–99.

Year ended February—	*City of Sydney.		Suburbs.		Total, Metropolitan.		Country.		Total, New South Wales.	
	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.	Annual Value.	Capital Value.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1893	2,785,846	55,716,900	3,227,851	51,174,200	6,013,697	106,891,100	2,683,806	37,386,300	8,697,503	144,277,400
1894	2,777,245	55,550,000	3,290,637	54,511,000	6,067,882	110,061,000	2,861,593	40,877,000	8,929,475	150,938,000
1895	2,496,175	55,470,000	3,190,022	53,481,000	5,686,197	108,951,000	2,774,477	42,275,000	8,460,674	151,226,000
1896	2,361,290	47,225,800	2,991,630	49,466,400	5,352,920	96,692,200	2,542,725	39,509,900	7,895,645	136,202,100
1897	2,237,040	44,740,700	2,904,950	46,686,400	5,141,990	91,427,100	2,461,745	36,072,600	7,603,735	127,499,700
1898	2,173,260	43,465,200	2,849,650	44,999,200	5,022,910	88,464,400	2,407,210	34,322,600	7,430,120	122,787,000
1899	2,145,800	43,159,900	2,819,600	43,767,700	4,965,400	86,927,600	2,413,950	33,698,000	7,379,350	120,625,600

* Year ended 31st December previous.

No. 4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities.

Municipal Year.—The municipal year of the City of Sydney begins on the 1st January; in other municipalities it begins on the first Tuesday in February.

Borough and Municipal District.—The maximum area which may be incorporated as a municipal district is 50 square miles, with a population of not less than 500. To entitle a district to incorporation as a borough, it must have a minimum population of 1,000 within an area of not more than 9 square miles.

Municipal Rates.—Municipal rates are levied on nine-tenths of the annual value of improved property, and on 5 per cent. of the capital value of unimproved land, except in the City of Sydney where the maximum percentage on unimproved is 6 per cent. In boroughs and municipal districts they are struck yearly; in the City of Sydney, from time to time, as may be decided. In the city the general rate, which has stood at 16d. since 1891, covers all expenditure; in the other municipalities the general rate cannot exceed 12d., but special rates may bring the total up to 2s. in the £, with 6d. more for street watering, and an additional rate may be levied for water supply when the works have been constructed under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts.

Borough or Municipal District.	Incorporation.	Latest Proclamation.*	Area, corrected to 31st October, 1898.	Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Street Lighting.	Private Lighting.†	Year ending 6th February, 1899. Amount struck in the £. General Rate.	Special Rates. Lighting.	Special Rates. Water.‡	Special Rates. Other.	Amount of General Rate levied.
	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.			d.	d.	d.	d.	£
SYDNEY	1842	1879	2,880	§23,185	98,250	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	¶16	..	..	..	¶129,479
SUBURBS—												
Alexandria (*b*)	1868	1890	1,024	1,936	8,150	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	2,381
Annandale (*b*)	1894	..	333	1,610	7,900	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	2,376
Ashfield (*b*)	1871	1893	2,048	‖2,648	12,550	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	5,754
Balmain (*b*)	1860	1874	888	5,550	28,600	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	8,998
Botany (*b*)	1888	..	2,163	‖537	2,700	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	957
Botany, North (*b*) ..	1888	1889	2,176	731	3,250	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	970
Burwood (*b*)	1874	1883	1,050	1,450	6,700	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	3,698
Camperdown (*b*) ..	1862	1870	435	1,460	7,200	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	1,897
Canterbury (*m*)	1879	1887	7,104	‖762	3,500	G. and E.	C.G., 4/3	12	**3	..	..	**1,620
Concord (*m*)	1883	..	2,560	510	2,400	Nil ..	C.G., 4/3	12	..	..	..	1,210
Darlington (*b*)	1864	1882	38	738	3,600	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	9	..	..	..	874
Drummoyne (*b*)	1890	..	512	457	2,150	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	**4	..	..	**1,033
Enfield (*b*)	1889	1893	1,696	484	2,350	Elect. ..	C.G., 4/3	12	5	..	..	904
Erskineville (*b*)	1872	1887	166	1,214	5,350	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3½	..	..	1,409
Five Dock (*m*)	1871	1895	1,408	245	1,400	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	**4	..	..	**550
Glebe (*b*)	1859	1871	461	3,633	16,900	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	††2	6,720
Hunter's Hill (*b*) ..	1861	1890	1,299	568	4,100	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	6	..	..	1,402
Hurstville (*m*)	1887	1895	8,384	1,312	6,450	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	1,955
Kogarah (*m*)	1885	1888	3,648	695	3,350	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	5	..	..	1,371
Lane Cove (*b*)	1895	..	2,496	264	1,600	G. and O.	C.G., 5/-	12	1	..	..	952
Leichhardt (*b*)	1871	1894	1,120	3,226	15,150	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	††1	4,048
Manly (*m*)	1877	1896	2,400	779	3,800	Gas ..	C.G., 7/6	12	4	12	..	2,504
Marrickville (*b*)	1861	1888	2,016	3,464	17,500	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	††3	6,206
Marsfield (*m*)	1894	..	2,931	153	750	Nil ..	C.G., 4/3	12	..	..	..	250
Mosman (*b*)	1893	1895	2,067	705	3,400	Gas ..	C.G., 5/-	12	3	..	..	2,237
Newtown (*b*)	1862	1886	442	4,364	20,050	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	7,304
North Sydney (*b*) ..	1890	1893	2,067	3,908	19,300	Gas ..	C.G., 5/-	12	3	..	††1	9,356
Paddington (*b*)	1860	1884	403	4,157	20,000	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	7,639
Petersham (*b*)	1871	1885	1,254	2,837	13,500	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	††2	5,406
Randwick (*b*)	1859	1891	8,064	1,472	8,150	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	4,581
Redfern (*b*)	1859	1882	435	4,732	23,700	Elect.	C.G., 4/3, & M.E., /5½.	12	3	..	††3	7,440
Rockdale (*m*)	1871	1886	4,442	1,462	6,700	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	2,682
Ryde (*m*)	1870	1894	7,110	527	2,250	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	6	..	..	1,213
St. Peter's (*m*)	1871	1890	896	1,114	5,500	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	5	..	..	1,383
Strathfield (*m*)	1885	1892	1,792	511	2,650	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	2,000
Vaucluse (*b*)	1895	..	768	160	1,000	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	425
Waterloo (*b*)	1860	1895	806	2,041	8,700	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	2,760
Waverley (*b*)	1859	1887	1,965	‖2,196	10,500	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	5,018
Willoughby (*b*)	1865	1897	5,530	905	4,500	G. and O.	C.G., 5/-	12	3	..	..	2,307
Woollahra (*b*)	1860	1895	1,901	2,233	11,400	Gas ..	C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	6,184
Total Suburbs ..	..	..	88,298	67,750	328,700	.....	.....	..	..	..	..	127,974
Total Metropolitan ..	..	..	91,178	90,935	426,950	.....	.....	..	..	..	..	257,453

(*b*) Borough. (*m*) Municipal District.

* Latest proclamation, whether of alteration of boundaries or division into wards. † The Australian Gaslight Company has announced a reduction from 4s. 3d. to 4s. per 1,000 feet from 1st January, 1899.

‡ With the sole exception of Manly, the City and Suburban Municipalities are supplied by the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage. The rates levied are appended to tables Nos. 26 and 36.

§ This number includes buildings used as stores, offices, &c. ‖ 1st February, 1897. ¶ Year ended 31st December, 1898.

** Year ended 31st January, 1898. †† Street watering; local only.

NOTE.—*Private Lighting.*—M indicates that supply is by the municipality, C by private company; G stands for gas, E for electric light. The figures represent the price charged—*i.e.*, gas per 1,000 feet and electricity per Board of Trade unit, or annual charge per lamp.

No. 4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Incorporation.	Latest Proclamation.*	Area, corrected to 31st October, 1898.	Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Street Lighting.	Private Lighting.	Year ending 6th February, 1899. Amount struck in the £. General Rate.	Special Rates. Lighting.	Special Rates. Water.	Special Rates. Other.	Amount of General Rate Levied.
COUNTRY—	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.			d	d.	d.	d.	£
Aberdeen (*m*)	1894	..	1,491	127	650	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	217
Adamstown (*m*)	1886	1891	973	444	2,160	Nil	C.G., 4/10½	12	..	..	..	391
Albury (*b*)	1859	..	17,760	1,103	5,756	G. and O.	C.G., 10/10	12	3	12	..	1,939
Armidale (*b*)	1863	1891	2,080	735	4,000	Gas	M.G., 10/-	12	4	12	..	1,239
Auburn (*b*)	1892	1894	2,048	577	2,540	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	1,066
Ballina (*m*)	1883	..	5,760	240	1,330	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	378
Balranald (*m*)	1882	..	30,720	185	600	Nil	....	12	..	†	..	279
Bankstown (*m*)	1895	..	18,893	216	980	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	478
Bathurst (*b*)	1862	1878	2,560	1,819	9,450	Gas	††M.G., 5/-	12	6	12	..	2,550
Bega (*m*)	1883	..	2,300	404	2,250	G. and O.	M.G., 12/6	12	5	..	..	691
Berry (*m*)	1868	1890	21,574	460	2,500	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	739
Bingara (*m*)	1889	..	3,072	140	800	Nil	....	‡12	..	..	..	‡243
Blayney (*m*)	1882	..	3,040	262	1,250	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	395
Bombala (*b*)	1890	..	1,299	183	1,050	Oil	....	12	3	..	..	289
Bourke (*m*)	1878	1884	28,160	648	3,400	Oil	....	12	..	12	..	1,419
Bowral (*m*)	1886	1895	3,315	442	2,000	Gas	M.G., 10/-	12	5	..	..	688
Braidwood (*m*)	1891	..	5,760	279	1,490	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	397
Broken Hill (*m*)	1888	..	16,640	4,793	22,570	Nil	C.G., 15/-, C.E., 1/3	12	..	..	..	9,221
Broughton Vale (*m*)	1871	..	15,040	102	500	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	176
Burrowa (*m*)	1888	..	21,760	171	800	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	353
Cabramatta and Canley Vale (*m*)	1892	1894	7,232	193	920	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	321
Camden (*m*)	1889	..	7,680	270	1,510	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	490
Campbelltown (*m*)	1882	..	28,800	412	1,940	Oil	....	12	3	..	..	586
Carcoar (*m*)	1878	..	429	150	650	Oil	....	10	2	..	..	120
Carrington (*m*)	1887	..	435	450	2,240	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	701
Casino (*m*)	1880	1896	21,500	266	1,550	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	436
Castlereagh (*m*)	1895	..	30,426	252	1,120	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	176
Cobar (*m*)	1884	..	28,160	603	2,450	Oil	....	12	3	..	..	1,010
Condobolin (*m*)	1890	..	29,888	200	1,100	Oil	....	12	3	..	..	403
Cooma (*m*)	1879	..	17,664	353	1,800	Oil	....	9	3	..	..	410
Coonamble (*m*)	1880	..	15,040	247	1,270	Oil	....	12	3	12	..	627
Cootamundra (*b*)	1884	..	6,080	530	2,700	Gas	M.G., 10/-	12	4	8	..	800
Coraki (*m*)	1891	..	2,560	110	680	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	149
Cowra (*b*)	1888	..	5,677	322	1,680	Oil	....	12	2	..	..	617
Cudal (*m*)	1890	..	25,600	118	520	Nil	....	9	..	..	..	159
Cudgegong (*b*)	1860	..	122,880	508	2,640	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	902
Deniliquin (*m*)	1868	1895	32,000	616	2,850	Gas	C.G., 15/-	12	..	§12	..	1,283
Dubbo (*m*)	1872	1884	659	636	3,080	Gas	M.G., 6/8 to 10/-	12	4	12	..	1,031
Dundas (*b*)	1889	1891	2,688	159	950	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	403
Dungog (*m*)	1893	1893	2,701	200	1,170	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	288
Ermington and Rydalmere (*m*)	1891	..	2,048	116	1,160	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	228
Forbes (*m*)	1870	..	32,000	728	3,700	Oil	....	12	..	12	..	1,193
Gerringong (*m*)	1871	1896	27,360	160	800	¶	....	12	..	..	..	504
Glen Innes (*m*)	1872	1883	25,600	580	3,200	Gas	M.G., 10/-	12	6	..	..	1,038
Gosford (*b*)	1886	..	1,837	169	660	Nil	....	12	..	..	..	217
Goulburn (*b*)	1859	1889	8,320	2,053	10,560	G. and O.	M.G., 10/-	12	3	12	**1	2,860
Grafton (*b*)	1859	*1897	1,920	1,032	4,830	G. and O.	C.G., 10/-	12	4	..	..	1,141
Grafton South (*m*)	1896	..	1,402	274	1,100	Oil	....	12	3	..	..	197

(*b*) Borough. (*m*) Municipal District.

* Latest proclamation, whether of alteration of boundaries, or division into wards. † By agreement. ‡ Year ended 31st January, 1898. § Chiefly by agreement. ¶ No information. ** Fire brigade. †† A reduction of one-third is allowed for prompt payment.

Private Lighting.—See note on page 6.

No. 4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Incorporation.	Latest Proclamation. *	Area, corrected to 31st Oct., 1898.	Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Street Lighting.	Private Lighting.	Year ending 6th February, 1899. Amount struck in the £. General Rate.	Special Rates: Lighting.	Special Rates: Water.	Special Rates: Other.	Amount of General Rate Levied.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.			d.	d.	d.	d.	£
Granville (*b*)	1885	1891	2,829	1,012	4,490	G. and O.	¶¶ C.G., 4/3	12	4	..	..	1,729
Grenfell (*m*)	1883	..	346	149	760	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	325
Greta (*m*)	1890	..	3,072	304	1,010	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	188
Gulgong (*m*)	1876	..	20,480	486	2,000	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	397
Gundagai (*m*)	1889	1890	2,080	228	1,190	Oil ..	....	12	3	..	..	404
Gunnedah (*m*)	1885	1886	2,656	324	1,600	Oil ..	....	12	..	..	..	433
Hamilton (*m*)	1871	1891	1,664	1,085	5,510	Gas ..	C.G., 4/9	12	4	..	..	1,488
Hay (*m*)	1872	1895	32,000	730	3,500	G. and O.	C.G., 13/4	12	3	†	..	1,251
Hill End (*b*)	1873	..	1,100	201	800	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	151
Hillston (*m*)	1888	..	32,000	193	750	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	281
Illawarra, Central (*b*) ..	1859	1890	75,776	‡710	3,500	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	1,593
Illawarra, North (*m*) ..	1868	1893	7,360	535	2,580	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	590
Ingleburn (*m*)	1896	..	6,592	§76	400	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	86
Inverell (*m*)	1872	1886	32,000	635	3,450	Oil ..	....	12	1	..	..	1,017
Jamberoo (*b*)	1859	1892	40,640	320	1,600	¶	....	12	..	..	..	696
Jerilderie (*m*)	1889	..	32,000	§133	760	Oil ..	....	12	..	12	..	339
Junee (*b*)	1886	1895	5,517	427	2,310	Oil ..	....	9	3	12	..	529
Katoomba (*m*)	1889	..	7,424	406	2,000	Oil ..	....	12	3	..	..	661
Kempsey (*b*)	1886	..	4,051	447	2,150	Oil ..	....	12	3	..	‖¼	484
Kiama (*b*)	1890	1892	2,304	500	2,300	Gas ..	C.G., 9/–	12	4	..	..	532
Lambton (*m*) ..	1871	..	800	684	3,420	Elect. ..	M.E., 21/10	12	6	..	..	480
Lambton, New (*b*) ..	1889	1891	2,560	306	1,500	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	293
Lismore (*m*)	1879	..	14,061	632	3,830	Gas ..	M.G., 5/–, 7/6	12	3	12	..	1,177
Lithgow (*b*)	1889	..	4,192	773	4,150	Gas ..	M.G., 5/6	6	6	12	..	667
Liverpool (*m*)	1872	1892	20,608	§627	3,210	Gas ..	¶	12	4	..	..	952
Maclean (*m*)	1887	1889	1,184	201	1,050	Oil ..	....	12	3	..	..	300
Maitland, East (*b*) ..	1862	1868	4,538	650	3,100	Gas ..	M.G., 6/3	12	6	..	..	824
Maitland, West (*b*) ..	1863	1868	9,882	1,439	7,900	Gas ..	C.G., 6/8	12	4	..	**3	2,609
Merewether (*m*) ..	1885	1891	1,114	889	4,450	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	931
Mittagong (*m*)	1889	..	2,304	239	1,020	Oil ..	....	12	4	..	..	407
Moama (*m*)	1890	..	31,680	§173	860	Oil ..	....	12	..	12	..	411
Molong (*m*)	1878	1896	14,720	213	1,150	Gas ..	M.G., 10/–	12	6	..	..	306
Moree (*m*)	1890	..	8,000	320	2,100	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	579
Morpeth (*b*)	1865	..	666	240	1,200	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	366
Moruya (*m*)	1891	..	12,160	211	1,100	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	292
Moss Vale (*m*)	1888	..	18,240	285	1,500	Elect. ..	C.E., 35/–	12	6	12	..	592
Mudgee (*b*)	1860	..	749	505	2,550	Gas ..	C.G., 10/–	12	4	..	..	842
Mulgoa (*m*)	1893	..	18,880	133	600	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	205
Murrumburrah (*b*) ..	1890	..	5,120	260	1,500	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	398
Murrurundi (*m*)	1890	..	1,280	250	1,180	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	273
Musclebrook (*m*) ..	1870	..	1,120	311	1,600	Gas ..	M.G., 9/–	12	6	..	..	464
Narrabri (*b*)	1883	1894	2,560	††483	2,450	Nil ..	....	‡‡12	..	..	..	‡‡786
Narrabri West (*m*) ..	1895	..	1,459	138	740	Oil ..	....	12	..	..	..	174
Narrandera (*b*)	1885	1892	1,550	416	1,900	Oil ..	....	12	..	12	..	764
§§Narromine (*m*)	1898	..	755	....	....	....	....	12	..	..	..	‖‖142
Newcastle (*b*)	1859	1886	1,060	2,731	16,070	Elect. ..	C.G., 4/9	12	3	..	* 1½	6,721
Nowra (*m*)	1871	1885	15,552	381	2,000	Nil ..	....	12	..	10	..	632
Nyngan (*m*) .. .	1891	..	2,970	261	1,300	Nil ..	....	12	..	12	..	356
Orange (*b*)	1860	..	640	622	3,700	Gas ..	M.G., 3/6, 6/6	12	3	12	**1	1,338
Orange, East (*b*)	1888	..	685	440	2,370	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	505
Parkes (*m*)	1883	..	10,080	796	3,200	Nil ..	....	12	..	12	..	930

(*b*) Borough. (*m*) Municipal District.

* Latest proclamation, whether of alteration of boundaries or division into wards. † By agreement. ‡ 3rd February, 1896. § 1st February, 1897. ‖ Library. ¶ No information. ** Street watering, local only. †† 4th February, 1895. ‡‡ Year ended 1st February, 1897. §§ Incorporation gazetted 23rd April, 1898. ‖‖ For 9 months only. ¶¶ 4s. from 1st January, 1899.

Private Lighting.—See note on page 6.

No. 4.—Area, Dwellings, Population, and Rates of Municipalities—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Incorporation.	Latest Proclamation. *	Area, corrected to 31st October, 1898.	Dwellings.	Population (approximate).	Street Lighting.	Private Lighting.	Year ending 6th February, 1899. Amount struck in the £. General Rate.	Special Rates. Lighting.	Special Rates. Water.	Special Rates. Other.	Amount of General Rate Levied.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	year.	year.	acres.	No.	No.			d.	d.	d.	d.	£
Parramatta (*b*)	1861	1893	2,176	2,020	13,000	Gas ..	‡‡ C.G., 4/3	12	3	9	‡2	2,931
Peak Hill (*m*)	1894	..	18,560	275	750	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	222
Penrith (*m*)	1871	1893	8,678	987	4,590	Elect. ..	M.E., 20/–	12	4	8	..	864
Picton (*b*)	1895	..	2,317	216	1,110	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	274
Plattsburg (*b*)	1876	..	2,566	620	3,150	Gas ..	C.G., 7/6	12	4	..	..	677
Port Macquarie (*m*) ..	1887	..	3,520	209	1,020	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	229
Prospect & Sherwood (*m*)	1872	1898	7,680	703	2,700	G. and O...	‡‡ C.G., 4/3	12	3	..	..	909
Queanbeyan (*b*)	1885	..	5,696	230	1,010	Oil ..	....	12	4	..	..	272
Quirindi (*m*)	1890	..	1,498	274	1,400	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	438
Raymond Terrace (*m*) ..	1884	..	384	189	900	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	219
Richmond (*b*)	1872	..	397	257	1,400	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	366
Rookwood (*b*)	1891	1894	5,376	493	3,550	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	817
Scone (*m*)	1888	..	794	240	1,230	Oil ..	....	12	4	..	..	300
Shellharbour (*b*)	1859	1895	38,720	303	1,670	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	760
Shoalhaven, South (*m*) ..	1895	..	23,360	184	950	Nil ..	....	12	..	...	..	513
Silverton (*m*)	1886	..	26,240	§179	550	Nil ..	....	‖12	..	..	..	‖161
Singleton (*b*)	1866	..	301	415	2,000	Gas ..	C.G., 7/6	12	6	..	‡3	692
Singleton, South (*m*) ..	1884	..	320	160	790	Gas ..	. ..	12	4	..	..	295
Smithfield & Fairfield (*m*)	1888	1891	7,680	359	1,600	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	400
St. Mary's (*m*)	1890	1894	19,200	¶ 369	1,700	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	413
Stockton (*b*)	1889	..	768	503	2,600	Oil ..	....	12	..	..	..	628
Tamworth (*b*)	1876	1891	5,274	1,031	5,740	Elect. ..	C.G., 6/3, 8/4	12	5	..	‡2½	1,707
Taree (*m*)	1885	..	294	149	800	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	211
Temora (*b*)	1891	..	5,760	360	1,550	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	475
Tenterfield (*m*)	1871	..	29,440	499	2,500	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	679
Tumut (*m*)	1887	..	1,120	289	1,360	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	457
Ulladulla (*m*)	1874	..	28,160	274	1,300	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	682
Ulmarra (*m*)	1871	1876	28,000	241	1,400	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	498
Uralla (*m*)	1882	..	320	137	700	Oil ..	....	12	2½	..	..	180
Wagga Wagga (*b*) ..	1870	..	5,766	912	4,720	Gas ..	M.G., 8/6	12	4	12	‡1	1,835
Walcha (*m*)	1889	..	18,880	186	1,150	Oil ..	....	12	4	..	..	281
Wallendbeen (*m*) ..	1892	1893	63,360	150	1,500	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	440
Wallsend (*b*)	1874	1892	3,206	760	3,700	Gas ..	†	12	..	..	..	754
Waratah (*m*)	1871	..	2,842	545	2,770	Gas ..	M.G., 6/–	12	6	..	..	1,000
Warren (*m*)	1895	..	14,592	240	1,300	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	440
Wellington (*m*)	1879	..	4,480	374	2,150	Oil ..	....	12	3	..	..	582
Wentworth (*m*)	1879	..	21,939	146	720	Nil .	....	12	..	**	..	213
Wickham (*m*)	1871	1893	966	1,367	6,500	Gas ..	C.G., 4/7½	12	3	..	..	1,669
Wilcannia (*m*)	1883	..	13,440	234	1,050	Nil ..	....	12	..	12	..	432
Windsor (*b*)	1871	1884	1,216	459	2,320	G. and O...	C.G., 10/–	12	3	9	..	513
Wingham (*m*)	1889	..	2,029	114	610	Nil ..	....	12	..	..	..	123
Wollongong (*b*)	1859	1887	1,920	648	3,150	Gas ..	†	12	4	..	††1	945
Yass (*m*)	1873	..	28,800	484	2,200	Gas ..	M.G., 12/6	12	6	..	..	729
Young (*b*)	1882	..	3,400	562	3,000	Elect. ..	M.E., 35/–	12	6	..	..	802
Total Country ..	..	..	1,677,326	68,863	350,120	....	....	..	..	..	..	108,355
,, Metropolitan	..	..	91,178	90,935	426,950	....	.....	..	..	..	..	257,453
Grand Total ..	..	..	1,768,504	159,798	777,070	....	....	..	..	..	..	365,808

(*b*) Borough. (*m*) Municipal District.

* Latest proclamation, whether of alteration of boundaries or division into wards. † No information. ‡ Street-watering, local only. § 3rd February, 1896. ‖ Year ended 1st February, 1897. ¶ 1st February, 1897. ** By agreement. †† Library. ‡‡ 4s. from 1st January, 1899.

Private Lighting.—See note on page 6.

No. 5.—Annual Rental and Capital Value of Ratable Property in Municipalities, year ending 6th February, 1899.

Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Rental of Improved Land with buildings thereon.	Capital Value of—	
		Land neither built on nor cultivated.	All Ratable Property.
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£
*Sydney	2,036,150	2,193,100	43,159,900
Suburbs—			
Alexandria	45,030	133,900	634,200
Annandale	49,490	59,400	766,400
†Ashfield	120,060	165,800	2,027,100
Balmain	187,900	217,100	3,348,400
Botany	18,300	52,800	233,000
Botany, North	16,190	106,300	317,700
Burwood	75,310	123,400	1,349,400
Camperdown	40,370	29,300	606,100
†Canterbury	20,200	284,700	688,700
Concord	20,240	119,700	478,700
Darlington	25,560	3,200	258,800
†Drummoyne	17,600	96,500	371,800
Enfield	14,490	102,000	309,000
Erskineville	30,200	20,700	310,500
†Five Dock	9,090	55,600	207,100
Glebe	146,110	57,900	1,811,200
Hunter's Hill	26,280	87,600	613,200
Hurstville	27,510	286,700	679,700
Kogarah	19,600	196,000	476,000
Lane Cove	10,530	191,200	401,800
Leichhardt	84,200	103,000	1,366,000
Manly	31,270	438,500	959,600
Marrickville	123,400	261,000	2,159,600
Marsfield	4,530	18,400	93,900
Mosman	35,170	262,100	848,200
Newtown	157,630	89,600	2,341,600
North Sydney	198,750	165,100	3,645,100
Paddington	167,100	48,000	2,053,200
Petersham	113,580	117,900	1,821,500
Randwick	78,650	416,700	1,690,900
Redfern	161,700	64,000	2,220,000
Rockdale	44,300	288,800	921,600
Ryde	19,880	124,000	521,600
St. Peter's	27,240	67,000	521,000
Strathfield	35,600	159,500	871,000
Vaucluse	6,840	47,100	162,800
Waterloo	54,060	139,100	679,700
Waverley	95,280	292,100	1,880,100
Willoughby	30,930	367,900	809,800
Woollahra	125,130	226,300	2,311,700
Total Suburbs ..	2,515,300	6,085,900	43,767,700
Total Metropolitan ..	4,551,450	8,279,000	86,927,600

Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Rental of Improved Land, with buildings thereon.	Capital Value of—	
		Land neither built on nor cultivated.	All Ratable Property.
COUNTRY—	£	£	£
Aberdeen	4,630	3,500	59,600
Adamstown	8,110	10,600	149,300
Albury	42,800	5,400	361,300
Armidale	26,450	19,400	397,200
Auburn	14,400	167,800	373,800
Ballina	7,200	21,100	124,000
Balranald	5,320	15,900	69,100
Bankstown	4,650	108,100	185,600
Bathurst	55,460	22,100	967,400
Bega	13,820	26,400	272,700
Berry	15,140	23,100	326,000
†Bingara	5,200	3,800	55,800
Blayney	6,760	36,400	137,800
Bombala	6,380	.....	80,400
Bourke	29,570	35,400	335,400
Bowral	14,800	8,800	308,200
Braidwood	8,710	.....	145,200
Broken Hill	204,900	.....	1,221,200
Broughton Vale	3,700	3,800	65,800
Burrowa	7,640	3,600	125,300
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	3,800	57,700	113,000
Camden	10,800	1,800	136,800
Campbelltown	12,310	12,700	167,800
Carcoar	3,200	.....	32,000
Carrington	13,370	39,800	173,500
Casino	7,450	40,500	114,900
Castlereagh	3,290	10,800	65,700
Cobar	20,900	27,700	236,700
Condobolin	8,660	5,300	135,200
Cooma	10,310	33,200	198,200
Coonamble	12,150	32,100	153,600
Cootamundra	17,100	12,900	228,400
Coraki	2,730	10,600	44,700
Cowra	11,680	36,600	169,600
Cudal	4,530	3,300	89,200
Cudgegong	19,840	.....	283,400
Deniliquin	27,600	16,300	292,400
Dubbo	21,940	17,100	324,300
Dundas	7,720	22,500	176,800
Dungog	6,360	800	94,000
Ermington and Rydalmere	4,580	13,600	97,500
Forbes	25,710	14,200	361,300
Gerringong	11,200	.....	224,000
Glen Innes	20,690	43,000	249,900
Gosford	3,650	21,200	64,900
Goulburn	58,890	84,000	967,500
Grafton	24,470	21,400	429,900

* Year ended 31st December, 1898. † Year ended 31st January, 1898.

NOTE.—In the case of Broken Hill and other mining municipalities, the value of the mines included in the above

No. 5.—Annual Rental and Capital Value of Ratable Property in Municipalities, year ending 6th February, 1899—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Fair Average Rental of Improved Land with buildings thereon.	Capital Value of—	
		Land neither built on nor cultivated.	All Ratable Property.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£
Grafton, South	3,960	7,630	67,000
Granville	26,650	217,900	709,000
Grenfell	6,310	16,500	109,100
Greta	3,700	7,600	81,500
Gulgong	8,800	500	168,100
Gundagai	8,360	11,000	94,600
Gunnedah	9,160	8,400	100,000
Hamilton	25,910	129,000	586,100
Hay	26,150	31,800	293,200
Hill End	3,350	.....	33,500
Hillston	5,260	17,600	122,000
Illawarra, Central	35,410	.....	708,200
Illawarra, North	12,460	11,600	260,800
Ingleburn	1,680	4,100	31,200
Inverell	21,910	12,600	231,700
Jamberoo	15,460	.....	309,300
Jerilderie	7,130	5,300	124,100
Junee	14,180	25,900	177,200
Katoomba	11,320	60,500	196,300
Kempsey	10,300	8,100	145,400
Kiama	11,800	.....	147,500
Lambton	10,150	9,400	181,100
Lambton, New	6,220	5,000	112,000
Lismore	22,380	67,900	403,700
Lithgow	27,000	48,200	373,000
Liverpool	15,030	110,300	410,800
Maclean	6,220	7,900	70,100
Maitland, East	17,340	18,200	298,200
Maitland, West	57,350	11,400	728,300
Merewether	17,250	57,600	304,100
Mittagong	7,190	33,300	136,000
Moama	8,950	3,400	131,200
Molong	6,690	1,800	100,500
Moree	12,180	12,500	158,600
Morpeth	7,830	5,400	103,200
Moruya	6,160	5,900	124,200
Moss Vale	12,670	9,500	258,200
Mudgee	18,040	12,200	274,500
Mulgoa	4,210	4,400	65,900
Murrumburrah	7,850	18,000	110,500
Murrurundi	5,680	6,900	63,700
Musclebrook	10,300	.....	149,200
*Narrabri	16,850	11,100	140,700
Narrabri, West	3,400	7,700	41,700
Narrandera	15,400	28,000	244,300
Narromine	3,770	8,200	54,800
Newcastle	143,370	107,800	2,497,300
Nowra	12,650	25,100	185,800
Nyngan	7,240	11,800	84,300
Orange	29,400	6,300	400,900
Orange, East	9,950	23,000	183,400
Parkes	20,050	10,800	277,500
Parramatta	60,000	91,200	1,291,200
Peak Hill	4,900	300	74,600
Penrith	18,100	20,200	261,000
Picton	5,970	2,200	87,500
Plattsburg	14,650	7,200	190,300
Port Macquarie	4,800	5,000	73,700
Prospect and Sherwood	13,940	112,500	366,000
Queanbeyan	5,740	5,400	77,200
Quirindi	9,490	4,300	162,400
Raymond Terrace	4,270	10,600	65,700
Richmond	8,100	.....	145,800
Rookwood	11,130	125,800	284,800
Scone	6,640	500	66,800
Shellharbour	16,900	.....	240,800
Shoalhaven, South	11,400	.....	163,000
*Silverton	3,590	2,000	68,700
Singleton	13,800	28,600	224,000
Singleton, South	5,800	13,300	88,000
Smithfield and Fairfield	6,460	43,700	151,300
St. Mary's	7,300	34,000	180,000
Stockton	11,960	35,800	135,800
Tamworth	35,930	35,800	395,100
Taree	4,580	1,800	54,900
Temora	10,380	2,900	122,300
Tenterfield	14,640	8,100	154,500
Tumut	9,160	17,700	108,500
Ulladulla	14,920	4,000	302,500
Ulmarra	11,110	.....	158,700
Uralla	3,800	5,000	62,100
Wagga Wagga	39,030	31,400	438,800
Walcha	4,200	36,800	110,400
Wallendbeen	9,700	1,200	111,400
Wallsend	16,690	1,400	211,600
Waratah	15,270	125,400	385,600
Warren	9,170	11,200	139,500
Wellington	12,380	9,600	143,300
Wentworth	4,290	8,300	51,200
Wickham	30,790	113,500	490,500
Wilcannia	8,990	10,800	100,800
Windsor	11,300	2,400	171,800
Wingham	2,510	4,000	34,100
Wollongong	19,180	32,700	378,300
Yass	16,000	3,800	203,800
Young	17,570	4,600	219,900
Total Country	2,245,230	3,374,300	33,698,000
,, Metropolitan	4,551,450	8,279,000	86,927,600
Grand Total	6,796,680	11,653,300	120,625,600

* Year ended 1st February, 1897.

table refers only to the valuation of the properties as assessed for municipal purposes, and not to the market value.

No. 6.—Receipts and Disbursements of the City of Sydney, year ended 31st December, 1897.

Receipts.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
City Rate, levied under authority of Sydney Corporation Act (43 Vic. No. 3)	.....	134,006 15 3
Fees and Fines	.....	2,915 3 10
Rent and Dues from Markets—		
Belmore—Old	£ s. d. 3,901 0 0	
,, New	3,637 17 0	
	7,538 17 0	
Eastern, Fish	1,177 3 6	
Cooling Chambers	861 13 4	
	2,038 16 10	
Sussex-street Sale-yards	1,292 12 11	
Cattle Sale-yards	12,723 15 7	
		23,594 2 4
Rent of City Wharves	2,395 6 8	
,, Public Baths	436 10 8	
,, Exhibition Building	170 13 0	
,, Town Hall	2,149 14 0	
,, Sussex-street Stores	812 4 5	
,, Haymarket Ground	150 10 0	
,, Haymarket Buildings	1,647 10 0	
,, Hay-street Shops	287 7 6	
,, and agistment, Moore Park	87 10 0	
,, Pyrmont Pumping Plant	62 10 0	
,, Belmore Park	100 0 0	
		8,299 16 3
Auctioneers' Licenses	.....	2,247 5 5
Organ Recitals	.....	941 12 6
Contributions, &c.—Moore-street Improvement	.....	4,793 16 6
Miscellaneous Receipts	.....	2,561 10 2
Balance of proceeds—Public Markets Loan, 1896	.....	73,718 15 0
Balance as per Bank Balances, 31st December, 1897—		253,078 17 3
Accounts overdrawn	115,797 10 6	
Less Accounts in credit	78,686 17 0	
		37,110 13 6
Total	.....	290,189 10 9

Disbursements.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance as per Bank Balances, 31st December, 1896	.....	6,527 1 3
Salaries—		
Office of Mayor	1,083 6 8	
Town Clerk and Department	1,821 1 8	
City Surveyor and Department	2,644 18 1	
City Treasurer and Department	1,736 15 0	
Inspector of Nuisances and Department	541 13 4	
City Architect and Department	1,254 1 8	
Health Officer	270 16 8	
Clerk of Markets	243 15 0	
City Solicitor	541 13 4	
City Organist and Tuner	618 9 7	
City Assessor and Assistant	468 0 0	
City Auditors	100 0 0	
Inspector of Eastern Fish Markets	216 13 4	
Cattle Sale-yards	433 6 8	
		11,974 11 0
City Improvements—		
Wages	71,171 7 11	
Metal	5,114 4 2	
Street Works	15,364 1 5	
		91,649 13 6
Cattle Sale-yards—General Works, &c.	.....	3,341 19 4
Public Markets— ,, ,, ,,	.....	67,053 2 4
City Markets—Material	.....	798 11 3
Street-watering ,,	.....	83 7 0
Purchase of Land	.....	4,000 0 0
Lighting Expenses	.....	14,760 10 2
Fire Brigades Board	.....	2,810 2 7
Government Rents and Rates	.....	1,420 11 5
Insurance	.....	649 12 1
Law Expenses	.....	789 2 6
Miscellaneous Expenditure	.....	5,954 4 4
Annual Contributions to Sinking Funds	.....	12,850 0 0
Interest on Loans—		
Sydney	18,750 0 0	
London	46,400 0 0	
		65,150 0 0
Interest on Bank Overdraft	.....	377 2 0
Total	.....	290,189 10 9

No. 7.—Loans of the City of Sydney current 31st December, 1897.

Where Raised.	Date of Issue.	Currency.	Date of Maturity.	Rate per cent.	Amount.	Annual Interest.
		CITY FUND. (43 Vic. No. 3.)			£	£
Sydney	1881	20 years	*1901	6	20,000	1,200
,, ...	1883	20 ,,	*1903	6	10,000	600
,, ...	1884	20 ,,	*1904	6	10,000	600
London	1889	22½ ,,	*1912	4	35,000	1,400
,, ...	1890	21½ ,,	*1912	4	25,000	1,000
		Total			100,000	4,800
		PUBLIC MARKETS LOAN FUND. (57 Vic. No. 1.)				
London	1894	25 years	*1919	4	300,000	12,000
Sydney	1896	25 ,,	*1921	3½	150,000	5,250
		Total			450,000	17,250
		CATTLE SALE-YARDS FUND. (43 Vic. No. 3, and 45 Vic. No. 18.)				
Sydney	1882	19¾ years	1902	6	35,000	2,100
		STREETS LOAN FUND. (48 Vic. No. 1, and 50 Vic. No. 13.)				
London	1884	20 years	1904	5	200,000	10,000
,, ...	1887	25 ,,	*1912	4	100,000	4,000
		Total			300,000	14,000
		TOWN HALL LOAN FUND. (44 Vic. No 5, and 50 Vic. No. 13.)				
Sydney	1881	20 years	1901	6	40,000	2,400
,, ...	1886	20 ,,	1906	6	35,000	2,100
London	1887	25 ,,	*1912	4	200,000	8,000
		Total			275,000	12,500
		MOORE-STREET IMPROVEMENT FUND. (54 Vic. No. 30.)				
London	1892	21 years	*1913	4	250,000	10,000
Total Debentures Current on 31st Dec., 1897					1,410,000	60,650

* These Loans are renewable at maturity under authority of the several Acts.

NOTE.—During the year 1896 the City Council were empowered to raise a sum of £250,000 for the purpose of providing Electric Lighting plant.

No. 8.—Loans of the City of Sydney : Amount maturing yearly.

Year.	In Sydney.		In London.		Total.	
	Amount.	Annual Interest.	Amount.	Annual Interest.	Amount.	Annual Interest.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	60,000	3,600	.....	.....	60,000	3,600
1902	35,000	2,100	.....	.....	35,000	2,100
1903	10,000	600	.....	.....	10,000	600
1904	10,000	600	200,000	10,000	210,000	10,600
1906	35,000	2,100	.....	.....	35,000	2,100
1912	.....	.....	360,000	14,400	360,000	14,400
1913	.....	.....	250,000	10,000	250,000	10,000
1919	.....	.....	300,000	12,000	300,000	12,000
1921	150,000	5,250	....	.....	150,000	5,250
Total ..	300,000	14,250	1,110,000	46,400	1,410,000	60,650

NOTE.—£1,100,000 of above total is renewable ; for particulars see Table No. 7.

No. 9.—Sinking Funds of the City of Sydney, 31st December, 1897.

Fund.	Loans Current.	Sinking Funds.			Balances unprovided for.
		Invested.	In Bank.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£
City Fund	100,000	.....	.....	.....	100,000
Public Markets Loan Fund	450,000	2,500	2,520	5,020	444,980
Cattle Sale-yards Fund	35,000	35,936	398	36,334	*
Streets Loan Fund	300,000	110,031	7,847	117,878	182,122
Town Hall Loan Fund	275,000	76,860	3,323	80,183	194,817
Moore-street Improvement Fund ..	250,000	6,997	137	7,134	242,866
Total	1,410,000	232,324	14,225	246,549	1,164,785

* £1,334 in excess.

No. 10.—Receipts of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.				Nuisances Prevention Charges.	From Government		
	General.	Lighting.	Water. *	Other.		Statutory Endowments.	Grant for Roads and Bridges.	Other Grants.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN—								
†Sydney	134,007	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Suburbs:—								
Alexandria	3,027	880	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	267
Annandale	2,405	801	.....	.....	1,170	.....	.....	387
‡Ashfield	5,894	1,955	.....	.....	2,527	.....	.....	1,742
Balmain	8,836	2,946	.....	.....	4,084	.....	.....	596
Botany	793	188	.....	.....	.....	395	.....	212
Botany, North	843	156	.....	.....	.....	454	.....	209
Burwood	3,679	1,211	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	511
Camperdown	1,864	621	.....	.....	43	.....	75	398
Canterbury...	1,614	266	.....	.....	91	.....	227	262
Concord	1,144	.....	.....	.....	.....	290	.....	300
Darlington	894	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	291
Drummoyne	1,131	343	.....	.....	451	.....	.....	298
Enfield	1,237	491	.....	.....	.....	529	.....	200
Erskineville	1,481	418	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	435
‡Five Dock	549	156	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	249
Glebe	6,488	2,164	.....	249	617	.....	.....	874
Hunter's Hill	1,432	697	.....	.....	448	.....	.....	381
Hurstville	2,662	586	.....	.....	.....	915	414	486
Kogarah	1,480	520	.....	.....	.....	370	.....	323
Lane Cove	1,082	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	101	.....
Leichhardt	4,187	1,397	.....	25	2,301	.....	14	430
Manly	2,289	743	1,589	.....	.....	440	.....	.....
Marrickville	6,009	2,014	.....	49	2,233	.....	708	1,779
Marsfield	254	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62
Mosman	2,038	508	.....	.....	402	.....	.....	287
Newtown	6,977	1,745	.....	.....	278	.....	.....	1,328
North Sydney	10,043	2,505	.....	29	3,310	.....	230	3,009
Paddington...	8,412	2,103	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	981
Petersham	5,749	1,444	.....	47	1,082	.....	.....	1,433
Randwick	4,853	1,170	.....	.....	101	.....	1,730	134
Redfern	7,674	1,918	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	1,279
Rockdale	2,624	838	.....	.....	.....	.....	690	.....
Ryde	1,048	404	.....	.....	316	.....	.....	544
St. Peter's	1,536	596	.....	.....	93	.....	.....	437
Strathfield	2,053	684	.....	.....	756	484	.....	475
Vaucluse	395	130	.....	.....	82	.....	26	93
Waterloo	3,427	863	.....	.....	32	.....	.....	945
Waverley	5,502	1,833	.....	.....	1,331	.....	.....	1,319
Willoughby	2,498	338	.....	.....	348	.....	.....	283
Woollahra	6,125	1,531	.....	.....	294	.....	.....	1,908
Total Suburbs	132,228	37,238	1,589	899	22,391	3,877	4,247	25,147
Total Metropolitan ...	266,235	37,238	1,589	899	22,391	3,877	4,247	25,147

* Receipts from sale of water by meter, &c., are included. † Year ended 31st December, 1897, fuller

NOTE.—The half-yearly abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements

Government Endowment.—A municipality is entitled to a Government endowment during the fifteen years following the second period of five years, and 5s. per £ during the remainder of the term. Further assistance is occasionally afforded by means No grant has been made to the City of Sydney since 1889.

year ended 31st January, 1898.

Subscriptions to Works.	Private Subscriptions to Works.	Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								METROPOLITAN—
.....	4,794	40,559	.....	179,360	73,719	.....	253,079	†Sydney.
								Suburbs :—
.....	30	199	10	4,414	.....	79	4,493	Alexandria.
.....	97	72	.....	4,932	.....	.....	4,932	Annandale.
90	260	102	.....	12,570	.....	.....	12,570	‡Ashfield.
.....	105	1,030	.....	17,597	.....	.....	17,597	Balmain.
.....	.....	50	.....	1,638	.....	94	1,732	Botany.
.....	22	220	.....	1,904	.....	.....	1,904	Botany, North.
.....	311	388	.....	6,100	.....	159	6,259	Burwood.
.....	.....	147	.....	3,148	.....	3	3,151	Camperdown.
133	27	133	6	2,759	.....	9	2,768	Canterbury.
.....	47	20	.....	1,801	.....	.....	1,801	Concord.
.....	.....	26	.....	1,211	.....	.....	1,211	Darlington.
6	4	12	.....	2,245	.....	.....	2,245	Drummoyne.
.....	76	92	.....	2,625	1,000	.....	3,625	Enfield.
50	31	51	.....	2,466	.....	.....	2,466	Erskineville.
.....	4	129	.....	1,119	.....	.....	1,119	‡Five Dock.
.....	4	286	.....	10,682	.....	110	10,792	Glebe.
60	36	119	3	3,176	600	10	3,786	Hunter's Hill.
.....	68	73	.....	5,204	.....	475	5,679	Hurstville.
.....	74	29	.....	2,796	.....	.....	2,796	Kogarah.
.....	7	76	.....	1,341	2,800	51	4,192	Lane Cove.
§1,592	129	1,543	13	11,631	.....	.....	11,631	Leichhardt.
.....	46	981	5	6,093	.....	31	6,124	Manly.
.....	285	61	.....	13,138	.....	25	13,163	Marrickville.
.....	11	7	.....	334	.....	.....	334	Marsfield.
.....	47	93	1	3,376	1,200	1,651	6,227	Mosman.
209	98	55	21	10,711	1,000	.....	11,711	Newtown.
44	58	647	17	19,892	2,000	298	22,190	North Sydney.
140	371	675	.....	12,682	.....	22	12,704	Paddington.
.....	559	501	.....	10,815	.....	.....	10,815	Petersham.
.....	164	180	6	8,338	1,000	.....	9,338	Randwick.
.....	105	1,183	.....	12,659	.....	1,248	13,907	Redfern.
.....	256	210	.....	4,618	.....	.....	4,618	Rockdale.
.....	7	110	.....	2,429	.....	5	2,434	Ryde.
.....	23	41	.....	2,726	.....	20	2,746	St. Peter's.
.....	291	157	.....	4,900	.....	3	4,903	Strathfield.
.....	88	89	.....	903	500	.....	1,403	Vaucluse.
.....	148	53	.....	5,468	.....	.....	5,468	Waterloo.
.....	246	725	.....	10,956	.....	3,709	14,665	Waverley.
230	187	31	3,046	6,961	2,000	104	9,065	Willoughby.
.....	132	160	.....	10,150	.....	22	10,172	Woollahra.
2,554	4,454	10,756	3,128	248,508	12,100	8,128	268,736	Total Suburbs.
2,554	9,248	51,315	3,128	427,868	85,819	8,128	521,815	Total Metropolitan.

particulars on page 12. ‡ Year ended 1st February, 1897. § Includes £1,580 for sewerage taken over.

published in the *Government Gazette* will afford fuller particulars.

incorporation, namely, £ for £ of the sum collected by means of the general rate during the first five years, 10s. per £ during of special grants, and road grants are made towards the maintenance of Government roads running through the Municipality.

No. 10.—Receipts of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.				Nuisances Prevention Charges.	From Government.		
	General.	Lighting.	Water. *	Other.		Statutory Endowments.	Grants for Roads and Bridges.	Other Grants.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—								
Aberdeen	164	.....	.....	.....	21	205	32	101
Adamstown	399	.....	.....	.....	269	96	7	93
Albury	1,626	406	1,946	.....	846	.....	550	75
Armidale	1,417	511	.....	116	337	.....	88	.....
Auburn	1,011	.....	.....	.....	.....	726	.....	331
Ballina	408	.....	.....	.....	.....	96	219	86
Balranald	239	.....	413	.....	31	64	15	74
Bankstown	366	.....	.....	.....	.....	381	.....	87
Bathurst	2,485	1,247	2,904	.....	661	.....	54	841
Bega	631	258	.....	.....	225	.....	109	199
Berry	834	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	221
Bingara	158	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	116	.....
Blayney	368	.....	.....	.....	.....	48	228	.....
Bombala	275	44	.....	.....	50	92	37	55
Bourke	1,250	.....	839	.....	457	.....	18	413
Bowral	772	306	.....	.....	134	103	60	211
Braidwood	424	.....	.....	.....	94	217	112	119
Broken Hill	8,559	.....	.....	.....	4,687	4,596	.....	1,521
Broughton Vale	157	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41
Burrowa	269	.....	.....	.....	.....	123	38	90
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	328	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	107	60
Camden	499	.....	.....	.....	81	259	214	.....
Campbelltown	306	48	.....	.....	.....	26	94	102
Carcoar	115	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33
Carrington	639	.....	.....	.....	176	221	.....	132
†Casino	338	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	995	65
Castlereagh	89	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	429	30
Cobar	1,157	242	.....	.....	453	157	56	101
Condobolin	485	84	.....	.....	.....	181	69	103
Cooma	463	151	.....	.....	.....	.....	321	17
Coonamble	566	91	239	.....	201	.....	52	139
Cootamundra	902	289	735	.....	.....	102	40	252
Coraki	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	59	10	.....
Cowra	697	112	.....	.....	179	254	172	198
Cudal	161	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	93	66
Cudgegong	952	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	745	.....
Deniliquin	1,083	.....	1,176	.....	409	.....	140	255
Dubbo	934	311	1,304	.....	518	.....	34	507
Dundas	346	.....	.....	.....	.....	218	87	96
Dungog	264	.....	.....	.....	.....	309	83	74
Ermington and Rydalmere	215	.....	.....	.....	.....	101	.....	67
Forbes	1,202	.....	1,004	.....	.....	.....	385	328
†Gerringong	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	446	10
Glen Innes	971	372	.....	.....	291	.....	338	171
Gosford	181	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	65	42
Goulburn	3,192	803	3,092	.....	212	.....	196	150
Grafton	1,156	377	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	403
Grafton, South	161	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	58

* Receipts from sale of water by meter, &c., are included.

NOTE.—The half-yearly abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements

year ended 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Subscriptions to Works.	Private Subscriptions to Works	Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								COUNTRY—
.....	.....	53	.....	576	.....	.....	576	Aberdeen.
.....	.....	35	2	901	2,000	.....	2,901	Adamstown.
.....	51	805	.....	6,305	.....	.....	6,305	Albury.
.....	2	2,597	.....	5,068	.....	.....	5,068	Armidale.
.....	36	6	.....	2,110	.....	5	2,115	Auburn.
.....	11	34	.....	854	.....	.....	854	Ballina.
.....	5	19	.....	860	.....	8	868	Balranald.
.....	108	20	.....	962	.....	17	979	Bankstown.
.....	71	6,394	.....	14,657	.....	5,925	20,582	Bathurst.
.....	5	962	.....	2,389	.....	201	2,590	Bega.
.....	.....	7	1	1,109	.....	134	1,243	Berry.
.....	.....	23	.....	358	.....	.....	358	Bingara.
.....	.....	27	.....	671	.....	.....	671	Blayney.
.....	.....	8	.....	561	.....	.....	561	Bombala.
.....	.....	398	.....	3,375	.....	.....	3,375	Bourke.
.....	16	1,000	.....	2,602	.....	18	2,620	Bowral.
25	.....	9	.....	1,000	.....	9	1,009	Braidwood.
.....	.....	685	.....	20,048	.....	642	20,690	Broken Hill.
.....	10	.....	.....	208	350	.....	558	Broughton Vale.
18	.....	11	.....	549	.....	9	558	Burrowa.
.....	9	.....	.....	504	.....	.....	504	Cabramatta and Canley Vale
.....	7	7	.....	1,067	.....	.....	1,067	Camden.
.....	6	42	.....	624	.....	.....	624	Campbelltown.
.....	.....	25	.....	218	.....	1	219	Carcoar.
.....	138	45	.....	1,351	.....	74	1,425	Carrington.
.....	35	252	.....	1,685	.....	84	1,769	†Casino.
.....	.....	2	.....	644	.....	.....	644	Castlereagh.
.....	.....	59	.....	2,225	.....	.....	2,225	Cobar.
35	.....	35	3	995	.....	.....	995	Condobolin.
.....	.....	2	.....	954	.....	5	959	Cooma.
.....	2	180	.....	1,470	.....	14	1,484	Coonamble.
.....	.....	1,370	.....	3,690	.....	104	3,794	Cootamundra.
84	72	2	.....	387	.....	.....	387	Coraki.
.....	18	55	.....	1,685	‡3	.....	1,688	Cowra.
.....	.....	38	2	440	.....	17	457	Cudal.
.....	.....	55	15	1,767	.....	2	1,769	Cudgegong.
.....	43	471	150	3,727	.....	25	3,752	Deniliquin.
.....	.....	2,114	.....	5,722	.....	58	5,780	Dubbo.
19	8	39	.....	813	.....	8	821	Dundas.
.....	.....	12	.....	742	.....	.....	742	Dungog.
.....	9	5	.....	397	.....	.....	397	Ermington and Rydalmere.
.....	18	581	.....	3,518	.....	444	3,962	Forbes.
.....	38	23	.....	817	.....	.....	817	†Gerringong.
.....	.....	995	.....	3,138	5,500	122	8,760	Glen Innes.
..	1	27	1	366	.....	3	369	Gosford.
787	260	739	.....	9,431	.....	943	10,374	Goulburn.
.....	.....	210	.....	2,276	3,539	18	5,833	Grafton.
.....	10	287	.....	585	.....	.....	585	Grafton, South.

† Year ended 1st February, 1897. ‡ Represents increase in secured overdraft.
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No. 10.—Receipts of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.				Nuisances Prevention Charges.	From Government.		
	General.	Lighting.	Water. *	Other.		Statutory Endowments.	Grants for Roads and Bridges.	Other Grants.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Granville	2,065	657	.....	.....	454	557	85	.....
Grenfell	270	.....	.....	.....	7	70	.....	107
Greta	220	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	120	.....
Gulgong	372	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	406	30
Gundagai	347	.....	.....	.....	.....	152	.....	.....
Gunnedah	368	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	45	156
Hamilton	1,559	508	.....	.....	559	.....	.....	465
Hay	1,375	319	1,355	.....	136	.....	66	133
Hill End	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	.....
Hillston	216	.....	.....	.....	101	121	52	63
Illawarra, Central	1,521	.....	.....	.....	73	.....	.....	342
Illawarra, North	591	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	139
Ingleburn	44	.....	.....	.....	2	78	.....	.....
Inverell	916	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	705	25
†Jamberoo	749	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	226	.....
Jerilderie	432	.....	373	.....	.....	29	42	97
Junee	494	152	1,333	.....	244	64	30	256
Katoomba	678	101	.....	.....	210	303	220	48
Kempsey	484	118	.....	10	.....	169	329	2
Kiama	528	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150
Lambton	457	229	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	35
Lambton, New	287	.....	.....	.....	1	197	37	64
Lismore	1,040	259	702	.....	407	.....	587	260
Lithgow	630	539	788	.....	.....	274	63	47
Liverpool	796	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	247
Maclean	269	70	.....	.....	.....	100	105	108
Maitland, East	920	426	.....	.....	.....	.....	254	176
Maitland, West	2,668	825	.....	238	.....	.....	564	1,046
Merewether	760	.....	.....	.....	.....	253	8	209
Mittagong	514	134	.....	.....	191	294	114	88
Moama	394	.....	305	.....	.....	204	.....	126
Molong	295	117	.....	.....	37	.....	166	78
Moree	480	.....	.....	.....	.....	275	57	138
Morpeth	411	.....	.....	.....	14	.....	283	103
Moruya	163	.....	.....	.....	60	127	13	42
Moss Vale	429	152	626	.....	.....	293	259	295
Mudgee	700	231	.....	.....	302	.....	10	145
Mulgoa	217	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	56
Murrumburrah	373	.....	.....	.....	102	198	35	298
Murrurundi	271	.....	.....	.....	.....	140	38	56
Musclebrook	460	227	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	189
Narrabri	1,349	.....	.....	.....	18	242	30	148
Narrabri, West	145	.....	.....	.....	12	160	31	.....
Narrandera	822	.....	1,366	.....	.....	170	8	209
Newcastle	6,371	1,602	.....	238	1,080	.....	.....	1,002
Nowra	572	.....	578	.....	161	.....	211	184
Nyngan	383	.....	648	.....	1	143	.....	136
Orange	1,475	374	2,053	63	576	.....	54	293
Orange, East	554	.....	.....	.....	150	257	48	130

* Receipts from sale of water by meter, &c., are included.

NOTE.—The half-yearly abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements published in the

year ended 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Subscriptions to Works	Private Subscriptions to Works.	Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	COUNTRY—*continued.*
.....	7	57	.....	3,882	15,000	.....	18,882	Granville.
.....	.....	6	.....	460	.....	24	484	Grenfell.
.....	.....	10	1	436	.....	.....	436	Greta.
.....	.....	46	.....	854	.....	.....	854	Gulgong.
.....	3	.....	.....	502	.....	.....	502	Gundagai.
.....	.....	50	.....	689	‡360	.....	1,049	Gunnedah.
.....	.....	104	.....	3,195	.....	119	3,314	Hamilton.
.....	.....	144	.....	3,528	.....	15	3,543	Hay.
.....	1	.....	.....	197	.....	.....	197	Hill End.
.....	.....	45	.....	598	.....	15	613	Hillston.
.....	.....	61	.....	1,997	.....	.....	1,997	Illawarra, Central.
.....	.....	4	.....	751	‡1	100	852	Illawarra, North.
.....	.....	.....	.....	124	.....	.....	124	Ingleburn.
.....	.....	115	.....	1,761	.....	.....	1,761	Inverell.
.....	.....	12	3	990	.....	.....	990	†Jamberoo.
.....	35	97	1	1,106	.....	50	1,156	Jerilderie.
.....	11	25	.....	2,609	.....	101	2,710	Junee.
.....	32	19	8	1,619	.....	26	1,645	Katoomba.
.....	.....	323	.....	1,435	.....	.....	1,435	Kempsey.
63	1	26	.....	879	.....	7	886	Kiama.
15	.....	590	.....	1,341	.....	97	1,438	Lambton.
12	.....	73	.....	671	.....	80	751	Lambton, New.
.....	208	2,375	.....	5,838	10,000	36	15,874	Lismore.
245	.....	892	1	3,479	.....	660	4,139	Lithgow.
.....	.....	945	.....	2,213	.....	182	2,395	Liverpool.
.....	14	21	.....	687	.....	.....	687	Maclean.
200	.....	1,404	.....	3,380	.....	.....	3,380	Maitland, East.
100	7	1,774	.....	7,222	.....	5	7,227	Maitland, West.
.....	.....	20	.....	1,250	.....	.....	1,250	Merewether.
.....	.....	34	.....	1,369	.....	.....	1,369	Mittagong.
.....	.....	51	.....	1,080	.....	43	1,123	Moama.
.....	.....	495	.....	1,188	.....	.....	1,188	Molong.
.....	6	99	16	1,071	.....	83	1,154	Moree.
22	.....	53	.....	886	.....	201	1,087	Morpeth.
.....	.....	12	.....	417	.....	.....	417	Moruya.
.....	24	69	.....	2,147	.....	36	2,183	Moss Vale.
.....	22	317	.....	1,727	.....	139	1,866	Mudgee.
.....	.....	1	.....	274	.....	.....	274	Mulgoa.
.....	1	28	2	1,037	.....	.....	1,037	Murrumburrah.
.....	.....	1	.....	506	.....	.....	506	Murrurundi.
.....	.....	765	.....	1,681	.....	5	1,686	Musclebrook.
.....	6	164	.....	1,957	.....	1	1,958	Narrabri.
.....	.....	83	.....	431	.....	.....	431	Narrabri, West.
.....	62	116	.....	2,753	.....	400	3,153	Narrandera.
.....	.....	6,075	.....	16,368	.....	16	16,384	Newcastle.
.....	15	71	.....	1,792	.....	139	1,931	Nowra.
.....	.....	67	.....	1,378	1,285	359	3,022	Nyngan.
.....	92	3,138	1	8,119	.....	49	8,168	Orange.
.....	.....	1	.....	1,140	.....	.....	1,140	Orange, East.

† Year ended 1st February, 1897. ‡ Represents increase in secured overdraft.
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No. 10.—Receipts of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Revenue.							
	Rates.				Nuisances Prevention Charges.	From Government.		
	General.	Lighting.	Water. *	Other.		Statutory Endowments.	Grants, for Roads and Bridges.	Other Grants
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*								
Parkes	818	.....	62	.....	328	197	.....	166
Parramatta	3,199	797	4,073	82	1,329	.....	53	788
Peak Hill	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	104	114	37
Penrith	959	191	753	.....	.....	.....	24	196
Picton	308	.....	.....	.....	.....	278	25	118
Plattsburg	732	239	.....	.....	341	.....	52	238
Port Macquarie	203	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	85	68
Prospect and Sherwood ...	795	112	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	153
Queanbeyan	214	65	.....	.....	.....	58	95	83
Quirindi	457	.....	.....	.....	42	262	64	105
Raymond Terrace	209	.....	.....	.....	179	57	32	80
Richmond	363	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	27
Rookwood	886	.....	.....	.....	.....	733	25	205
Scone	397	115	.....	.....	.....	202	29	84
Shellharbour	734	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	159	155
Shoalhaven, South... ...	474	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
†Silverton	153	.....	.....	.....	.....	87	44	45
Singleton	675	225	.....	73	.....	.....	12	214
Singleton, South	252	83	.....	.....	.....	62	5	52
Smithfield and Fairfield ...	327	.....	.....	.....	.....	192	.....	23
St. Mary's	352	.....	.....	.....	.....	234	202	.....
Stockton	625	.....	.....	.....	297	328	.....	93
Tamworth	1,691	705	.....	142	.....	.....	13	365
Taree	202	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	.....	56
Temora	423	.....	.....	.....	5	405	80	.....
Tenterfield	659	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	226	188
Tumut	393	.....	.....	.....	141	103	23	216
Ulladulla	779	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	144	219
Ulmarra	564	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	479	95
Uralla	220	45	.....	.....	.....	58	.....	39
Wagga Wagga	1,897	601	2,274	70	955	.....	37	565
Walcha	508	75	.....	.....	.....	279	.....	.....
Wallendbeen	466	.....	.....	.....	.....	683	199	20
Wallsend	776	86	.....	.....	.....	.....	36	206
Waratah	951	467	.....	.....	483	.....	22	194
Warren	436	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	33	105
Wellington	550	126	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	.....
Wentworth...	191	.....	287	.....	142	.....	7	63
Wickham	1,727	421	.....	.....	595	.....	174	323
Wilcannia	502	.....	1,009	.....	390	.....	15	36
Windsor	447	112	463	.....	.....	.....	20	143
Wingham	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	86	50	.....
Wollongong	1,297	416	.....	49	202	.....	31	307
Yass...	769	278	.....	.....	37	.....	359	.....
Young	861	430	.....	.....	241	332	48	324
Total Country ...	106,989	18,677	32,700	1,094	20,958	19,162	15,519	22,332
„ Metropolitan ...	266,235	37,238	1,589	899	22,391	3,877	4,247	25,147
Grand Total	373,224	55,915	34,289	1,993	43,349	23,039	19,766	47,479

* Receipts from sale of water by meter, &c., are included.

NOTE.—The half-yearly abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements

year ended 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Subscriptions to Works.	Private Subscriptions to Works.	Other Sources.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Revenue.	Proceeds of Loans: Mortgage, Debenture, or Bond.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Receipts.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								COUNTRY—*continued.*
.....	24	196	.....	1,791	.....	379	2,170	Parkes.
.....	.....	545	.....	10,866	.....	.....	10,866	Parramatta.
29	.....	28	.....	432	.....	6	438	Peak Hill.
.....	.....	853	.....	2,976	.....	.....	2,976	Penrith.
.....	.....	2	.....	731	.....	1	732	Picton.
21	.....	28	100	1,751	.....	250	2,001	Plattsburg.
.....	3	18	.....	457	.....	.....	457	Port Macquarie.
.....	12	25	.....	1,097	.....	15	1,112	Prospect and Sherwood.
.....	.....	65	.....	580	.....	.....	580	Queanbeyan.
.....	70	23	.....	1,023	300	211	1,534	Quirindi.
.....	.....	42	.....	599	.....	14	613	Raymond Terrace.
.....	.....	28	2	430	‡49	25	504	Richmond.
.....	9	229	.....	2,087	625	148	2,860	Rookwood.
.....	13	46	.....	886	1,100	.....	1,986	Scone.
.....	7	26	.....	1,081	300	291	1,672	Shellharbour.
.....	29	1	.....	504	.....	.....	504	Shoalhaven, South.
.....	.....	58	.....	387	.....	.....	387	†Silverton.
.....	.....	96	.....	1,295	.....	.....	1,295	Singleton.
.....	.....	10	.....	464	.....	.....	464	Singleton, South.
.....	2	.....	.....	544	.....	.....	544	Smithfield and Fairfield.
.....	.....	7	.....	795	.....	8	803	St. Mary's.
.....	5	30	.....	1,378	.....	722	2,100	Stockton.
8	9	370	.....	3,303	.....	12	3,315	Tamworth.
.....	.....	3	.....	310	.....	.....	310	Taree.
.....	3	14	.....	930	.....	4	934	Temora.
.....	.....	17	.....	1,090	.....	.....	1,090	Tenterfield.
.....	7	15	.....	898	‡455	32	1,385	Tumut.
.....	.....	19	.....	1,174	‡214	161	1,549	Ulladulla.
.....	.....	29	.....	1,167	.....	.....	1,167	Ulmarra.
.....	.....	6	.....	368	.....	17	385	Uralla.
.....	24	2,765	.....	9,188	.....	552	9,740	Wagga.
123	.....	5	.....	990	.....	679	1,669	Walcha.
114	.....	10	.....	1,492	.....	.....	1,492	Wallendbeen.
.....	.....	27	.....	1,131	‡364	.....	1,495	Wallsend.
12	.....	1,307	.....	3,436	7,700	.....	11,136	Waratah.
.....	17	21	.....	962	.....	45	1,007	Warren.
100	.....	22	.....	819	.....	.....	819	Wellington.
.....	.....	100	.....	790	.....	.....	790	Wentworth.
.....	94	43	.....	3,377	.....	30	3,407	Wickham.
.....	12	51	.....	2,015	.....	10	2,025	Wilcannia.
.....	.....	49	2	1,236	.....	.....	1,236	Windsor.
.....	1	.....	.....	297	.....	.....	297	Wingham.
.....	23	209	.....	2,534	.....	200	2,734	Wollongong.
.....	56	489	11	1,999	.....	19	2,018	Yass.
.....	.....	1,716	.....	3,952	.....	1,087	5,039	Young.
2,032	1,956	51,286	322	293,027	49,145	16,796	358,968	Total Country.
2,554	9,248	51,315	3,128	427,868	85,819	8,128	521,815	„ Metropolitan.
4,586	11,204	102,601	3,450	720,895	134,964	24,924	880,783	Grand Total.

† Year ended 1st February, 1897. ‡ Represents increase in secured overdraft.
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No. 11.—Disbursements of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds. *	Additions to Plant, Furniture, &c.
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
†Sydney	166,927	14,760	.....	.....	65,527	12,850	.....
Suburbs—							
Alexandria	1,618	777	.....	139	920	.....	46
Annandale	1,893	727	.....	923	702	.....	14
‡Ashfield	5,616	2,501	.....	2,103	796	.....	72
Balmain	7,210	2,512	.....	2,860	3,948	.....	.....
Botany	803	238	.....	166	275	.....	.....
Botany, North	1,344	149	.....	.....	238	.....	.....
Burwood	2,833	1,206	.....	183	1,303	.....	.....
Camperdown	917	642	.....	105	1,298	.....	.....
Canterbury	1,015	261	.....	257	453	.....	11
Concord	1,134	.....	.....	.....	117	.....	.....
Darlington	909	116	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Drummoyne	656	325	.....	423	262	.....	.....
Enfield	1,884	386	.....	.....	255	.....	40
Erskineville	780	422	.....	.....	579	.....	.....
‡Five Dock	333	154	.....	84	361	.....	.....
Glebe	5,726	1,271	.....	934	1,914	.....	86
Hunter's Hill	1,270	545	.....	441	510	.....	3
Hurstville	2,786	579	.....	395	338	300	9
Kogarah	1,510	590	.....	.....	111	.....	.....
Lane Cove...	589	53	.....	131	265	.....	12
Leichhardt	2,743	1,218	.....	2,143	2,737	.....	.....
Manly	1,866	780	1,387	204	859	.....	.....
Marrickville	5,369	2,135	.....	2,831	1,201	.....	29
Marsfield	218	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....
Mosman	2,950	508	.....	386	383	.....	22
Newtown	6,059	1,754	.....	209	1,261	.....	18
North Sydney	6,610	2,387	.....	3,949	2,724	44	9
Paddington	5,182	1,970	.....	577	3,230	.....	39
Petersham...	5,162	1,442	.....	924	910	.....	.....
Randwick	2,733	1,209	.....	1,879	1,135	419	.....
Redfern	5,255	1,573	.....	798	1,746	.....	284
Rockdale	1,476	563	.....	690	956	.....	.....
Ryde	782	652	.....	382	301	75	.....
St. Peters	1,097	558	.....	78	504	.....	.....
Strathfield...	2,724	685	.....	720	249	.....	.....
Vaucluse	923	173	.....	128	.....	.....	49
Waterloo	2,619	693	.....	107	1,046	.....	3
Waverley	2,610	1,410	.....	1,247	3,195	.....	68
Willoughby	2,160	373	.....	240	686	.....	13
Woollahra	5,253	1,768	.....	304	517	.....	.....
Total Suburbs	104,617	35,305	1,387	26,940	38,311	838	827
Total Metropolitan ...	271,544	50,065	1,387	26,940	103,838	13,688	827

* See note page 44. † Year ended 31st December, 1897, fuller particulars on page 12. ‡ Year ended

NOTE.—The half-yearly abstracts of Receipts and Disbursements

year ended 31st January, 1898.

Salaries and Office Expenses. §	Miscellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	METROPOLITAN—
11,975	11,623	.....	283,662	.....	.....	283,662	†Sydney.
							Suburbs—
408	269	1	4,178	.....	81	4,259	Alexandria.
562	268	.....	5,089	.....	.....	5,089	Annandale.
1,078	639	.....	12,805	.....	.....	12,805	‡Ashfield.
1,779	248	1,026	19,583	.....	.....	19,583	Balmain.
215	121	.....	1,818	.....	94	1,912	Botany.
138	218	.....	2,087	.....	.....	2,087	Botany, North.
591	248	8	6,372	.....	150	6,522	Burwood.
321	175	.....	3,458	.....	3	3,461	Camperdown.
342	193	8	2,540	.....	9	2,549	Canterbury.
374	112	.....	1,737	.....	6	1,743	Concord.
172	89	.....	1,287	.....	.....	1,287	Darlington.
218	198	.....	2,082	.....	.....	2,082	Drummoyne.
251	217	17	3,050	30	.....	3,080	Enfield.
291	164	.....	2,236	.....	12	2,248	Erskineville.
82	80	.....	1,094	.....	.....	1,094	‡Five Dock.
710	748	1	11,390	486	110	11,986	Glebe.
319	121	.....	3,209	600	10	3,819	Hunter's Hill.
386	421	.....	5,214	.....	238	5,452	Hurstville.
378	259	.....	2,848	.....	.....	2,848	Kogarah.
172	2,981	.....	4,203	.....	51	4,254	Lane Cove.
916	511	13	10,281	1,580	.....	11,861	Leichhardt.
772	502	.....	6,370	.....	21	6,391	Manly.
995	702	.....	13,262	.....	21	13,283	Marrickville.
51	33	.....	327	.....	.....	327	Marsfield.
341	277	.....	4,867	.....	1,671	6,538	Mosman.
566	600	8	10,475	1,000	.....	11,475	Newtown.
1,315	943	12	17,993	2,000	252	20,245	North Sydney.
1,163	646	.....	12,807	500	17	13,324	Paddington.
704	427	.....	9,569	.....	.....	9,569	Petersham.
1,159	132	.....	8,666	.....	.....	8,666	Randwick.
1,098	692	1	11,447	500	1,265	13,212	Redfern.
238	356	.....	4,279	185	1	4,465	Rockdale.
284	108	.....	2,584	.....	5	2,589	Ryde.
209	319	.....	2,765	.....	3	2,768	St. Peters.
902	236	.....	5,516	.....	2	5,518	Strathfield.
123	90	3	1,489	.....	2	1,491	Vaucluse.
323	268	.....	5,059	.....	.....	5,059	Waterloo.
1,022	650	.....	10,202	.....	1,246	11,448	Waverley.
320	307	21	4,120	4,800	69	8,989	Willoughby.
1,052	631	1	9,526	.....	.....	9,526	Woollahra.
22,340	16,199	1,120	247,884	11,681	5,339	264,904	Total Suburbs.
34,315	27,822	1,120	531,546	11,681	5,339	548,566	Total Metropolitan.

1st February, 1897. § Wages paid to manual labourers included under Works, Services, and Improvements published in the *Government Gazette* will afford fuller particulars.

No. 11.—Disbursements of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds. *	Additions to Plant, Furniture, &c.
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Othe			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—							
Aberdeen	377	.....	.....	184	.....	.....	.....
Adamstown	288	.....	.....	255	175	.....	89
Albury	1,592	563	1,665	1,875	.....	.....	.....
Armidale	812	1,677	.....	441	1,167	.....	12
Auburn	2,052	.....	.....	300	175	.....	9
Ballina	229	.....	.....	219	110	.....	.....
Balranald	165	.....	317	148	.....	.....	.....
Bankstown	600	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	2
Bathurst	2,321	3,510	5,074	1,031	1,431	.....	6
Bega	765	487	.....	348	520	.....	4
Berry	599	.....	.....	46	87	.....	.....
Bingara	219	.....	.....	116	.....	.....	.....
Blayney	177	.....	.....	228	143	.....	.....
Bombala	129	33	.....	80	60	.....	1
Bourke	1,079	56	583	493	526	.....	.....
Bowral	567	586	.....	196	761	.....	17
Braidwood	275	.....	.....	233	43	.....	1
Broken Hill	15,908	.....	144	4,183	97	.....	768
Broughton Vale	278	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Burrowa	234	.....	.....	56	.....	.....	.....
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	245	.....	.....	117	5	.....	.....
Camden	513	.....	.....	318	41	.....	.....
Campbelltown	264	48	.....	114	77	.....	.....
Carcoar	127	33	.....	40	1	.....	.....
Carrington	579	.....	.....	177	271	100	.....
†Casino	205	.....	.....	806	290	.....	.....
Castlereagh	142	.....	.....	429	.....	.....	.....
Cobar	1,113	144	.....	535	11	.....	.....
Condobolin	420	74	.....	140	.....	.....	.....
Cooma	278	112	.....	513	3	.....	.....
Coonamble	377	101	13	275	60	.....	.....
Cootamundra	696	790	494	177	670	.....	.....
Coraki	292	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	4
Cowra	939	78	.....	333	17	.....	6
Cudal	145	.....	.....	177	.....	.....	.....
Cudgegong	898	.....	.....	832	131	.....	.....
Deniliquin	1,189	.....	1,272	651	172	.....	.....
Dubbo	1,106	1,384	1,030	879	900	.....	.....
Dundas	458	.....	.....	87	1	.....	.....
Dungog	743	.....	.....	126	14	.....	25
Ermington and Rydalmere	147	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	.....
Forbes	1,506	.....	1,007	505	87	.....	.....
†Gerringong	317	.....	.....	448	10	.....	.....
Glen Innes	585	318	.....	720	814	75	.....
Gosford	211	.....	.....	121	1	.....	.....
Goulburn	3,142	887	3,245	507	870	.....	.....
Grafton	1,469	331	.....	198	174	.....	.....
Grafton, South	368	36	.....	99	.....	.....	44

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year ended 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Salaries and Office Expenses. §	Miscellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
							COUNTRY—
116	40	.....	717	.....	.....	717	Aberdeen.
94	61	.....	962	2,000	.....	2,962	Adamstown.
920	208	.....	6,823	.....	.....	6,823	Albury.
566	237	29	4,941	150	193	5,284	Armidale.
299	163	.....	2,998	.....	24	3,022	Auburn.
182	45	.....	785	.....	.....	785	Ballina.
142	130	.....	902	.....	18	920	Balranald.
139	81	.....	832	.....	29	861	Bankstown.
1,555	475	2	15,405	1,500	5,919	22,824	Bathurst.
405	106	1	2,636	.....	182	2,818	Bega.
103	68	.....	903	200	.....	1,103	Berry.
93	68	.....	496	.....	.....	496	Bingara.
122	.....	.....	670	.....	.....	670	Blayney.
169	63	.....	535	.....	.....	535	Bombala.
690	179	.....	3,606	.....	.....	3,606	Bourke.
357	54	.....	2,538	.....	51	2,589	Bowral.
122	47	1	722	200	18	940	Braidwood.
2,166	1,347	.....	24,613	.....	604	25,217	Broken Hill.
44	28	.....	354	.....	.....	354	Broughton Vale
171	62	.....	523	.....	9	532	Burrowa.
59	93	2	521	.....	.....	521	Cabramatta and Canley Vale.
123	83	1	1,079	150	.....	1,229	Camden.
105	52	.....	660	.....	.....	660	Campbelltown.
57	26	1	285	.....	.....	285	Carcoar.
245	81	1	1,454	.....	.....	1,454	Carrington.
202	110	8	1,621	.....	549	2,170	†Casino.
28	45	.....	644	.....	.....	644	Castlereagh.
309	164	.....	2,276	.....	.....	2,276	Cobar.
130	67	1	832	.....	.....	832	Condobolin.
176	86	.....	1,168	.....	12	1,180	Cooma.
345	120	4	1,295	.....	10	1,305	Coonamble.
587	26	.....	3,440	.....	71	3,511	Cootamundra
69	31	.....	406	.....	.....	406	Coraki.
225	83	.....	1,681	.....	.....	1,681	Cowra.
70	38	.....	430	.....	17	447	Cudal.
178	125	.....	2,164	.....	.....	2,164	Cudgegong.
599	164	.....	4,047	.....	45	4,092	Deniliquin.
582	162	.....	6,043	.....	154	6,197	Dubbo.
153	83	.....	782	.....	8	790	Dundas.
103	51	.....	1,062	.....	.....	1,062	Dungog.
183	27	.....	370	.....	30	400	Ermington and Rydalmere.
771	377	.....	4,253	‡243	394	4,890	Forbes.
73	20	.....	868	.....	.....	868	†Gerringong.
563	253	.....	3,328	5,000	49	8,377	Glen Innes.
85	29	1	448	.....	.....	448	Gosford.
1,004	386	4	10,045	800	948	11,793	Goulburn.
463	276	.....	2,911	800	.....	3,711	Grafton.
38	.....	.....	585	.....	.....	585	Grafton, South.

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No. 11.—Disbursements of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds. *	Additions to Plant, Furniture, &c.
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Granville	1,502	485	.....	387	862	.....	3
Grenfell	289	.....	.....	38	24	.....	.....
Greta	108	.....	.....	154	10	.....	.....
Gulgong	22	.....	.....	435	178	.....	.....
Gundagai	171	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....
Gunnedah	764	.....	.....	45	81	.....	.....
Hamilton	780	500	.....	577	502	100	.....
Hay	510	219	801	295	210	.....	.....
Hill End	113	.....	36	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hillston	219	.....	.....	178	1	.....	.....
Illawarra, Central	1,253	.....	.....	.....	443	.....	.....
Illawarra, North	411	.....	.....	29	141	.....	.....
Ingleburn	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Inverell	247	46	.....	732	300	.....	.....
†Jamberoo	496	.....	.....	226	105	.....	.....
Jerilderie	95	32	406	204	10	.....	.....
Junee	658	26	751	288	16	.....	24
Katoomba	499	108	.....	551	300	.....	3
Kempsey	401	155	.....	330	7	.....	.....
Kiama	377	85	.....	15	188	.....	.....
Lambton	110	629	.....	59	348	.....	.....
Lambton, New	275	.....	.....	131	22	80	.....
Lismore	1,200	1,195	1,027	1,015	722	.....	.....
Lithgow	624	455	899	120	362	.....	.....
Liverpool	785	209	.....	50	720	2	.....
Maclean	350	91	.....	134	23	.....	.....
Maitland, East	810	641	.....	534	341	.....	.....
Maitland, West	1,938	951	.....	991	1,166	.....	.....
Merewether	586	.....	.....	8	340	150	.....
Mittagong	373	132	.....	260	82	.....	.....
Moama	397	.....	45	8	1	.....	8
Molong	113	251	.....	205	318	.....	.....
Moree	817	.....	.....	99	.....	.....	26
Morpeth	345	.....	.....	429	.....	.....	.....
Moruya	356	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....
Moss Vale	516	295	141	526	210	.....	.....
Mudgee	588	240	109	293	307	.....	.....
Mulgoa	128	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....
Murrumburrah	486	.....	.....	336	120	.....	.....
Murrurundi	230	.....	.....	22	30	.....	.....
Musclebrook	472	149	.....	122	271	.....	.....
Narrabri	743	.....	.....	53	206	.....	.....
Narrabri, West	164	.....	.....	44	.....	.....	.....
Narrandera	1,640	.....	223	78	626	.....	.....
Newcastle	8,538	2,619	.....	1,229	2,871	.....	.....
Nowra	347	.....	497	607	6	.....	.....
Nyngan	1,578	.....	489	20	2	.....	.....
Orange	918	1,538	1,392	907	1,982	.....	17
Orange, East	722	.....	.....	146	1	.....	15

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Salaries and Office Expenses. §	Miscellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
							COUNTRY—*continued.*
556	224	.....	4,019	15,000	.....	19,019	Granville.
273	68	.....	692	.....	17	709	Grenfell.
85	50	.....	407	.....	.....	407	Greta.
128	56	.....	819	.....	.....	819	Gulgong.
167	88	.....	486	.....	.....	486	Gundagai.
123	35	.....	1,048	.....	2	1,050	Gunnedah.
387	313	.....	3,159	.....	19	3,178	Hamilton.
679	768	.....	3,482	.....	15	3,497	Hay.
55	16	.....	220	.....	.....	220	Hill End.
164	37	.....	599	.....	15	614	Hillston.
242	178	.....	2,116	.....	.....	2,116	Illawarra, Central.
95	86	.....	762	.....	100	862	Illawarra, North.
22	9	.....	49	.....	.....	49	Ingleburn.
248	85	.....	1,658	.....	.....	1,658	Inverell.
113	29	.....	969	.....	.....	969	†Jamberoo.
105	76	.....	928	.....	50	978	Jerilderie.
383	107	.....	2,253	.....	99	2,352	Junee.
151	102	.....	1,714	.....	27	1,741	Katoomba.
183	120	.....	1,196	.....	.....	1,196	Kempsey.
67	55	.....	787	‡50	.....	837	Kiama.
93	68	.....	1,307	.....	97	1,404	Lambton.
109	67	.....	684	.....	.....	684	Lambton, New.
638	327	.....	6,124	10,000	75	16,199	Lismore.
345	465	.....	3,270	.....	665	3,935	Lithgow.
488	197	.....	2,451	.....	167	2,618	Liverpool.
140	29	.....	767	.....	10	777	Maclean.
576	4	.....	2,906	.....	.....	2,906	Maitland, East.
828	254	.....	6,128	1,000	5	7,133	Maitland, West.
153	109	.....	1,346	.....	.....	1,346	Merewether.
110	120	.....	1,077	.....	.....	1,077	Mittagong.
330	119	.....	908	.....	44	952	Moama.
278	58	.....	1,223	.....	.....	1,223	Molong.
302	138	.....	1,382	.....	99	1,481	Moree.
96	79	.....	949	.....	201	1,150	Morpeth.
161	70	.....	600	.....	.....	600	Moruya.
304	72	.....	2,064	.....	36	2,100	Moss Vale.
228	158	.....	1,923	.....	130	2,053	Mudgee
60	26	.....	252	.....	.....	252	Mulgoa.
140	76	.....	1,158	.....	.....	1,158	Murrumburrah.
118	45	.....	445	.....	.....	445	Murrurundi.
520	100	1	1,635	.....	5	1,640	Musclebrook.
169	109	4	1,284	.....	30	1,314	Narrabri.
106	40	.....	354	.....	.....	354	Narrabri, West.
575	164	.....	3,306	.....	400	3,706	Narrandera.
1,581	821	.....	17,659	.....	134	17,793	Newcastle.
300	46	.....	1,803	.....	139	1,942	Nowra.
504	56	.....	2,649	.....	360	3,009	Nyngan.
870	244	1	7,869	521	9	8,399	Orange.
141	84	.....	1,109	.....	.....	1,109	Orange, East.

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No. 11.—Disbursements of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.						
	Works, Services, and Improvements.				Interest on Loans and Overdrafts.	Payments to Sinking Funds. *	Additions to Plant, Furniture, &c.
	General.	Lighting.	Water.	Other.			
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Parkes	765	.....	63	342	34	.....	124
Parramatta	1,723	774	1,829	1,074	2,811	.....	.....
Peak Hill	331	.....	.....	114	3	.....	.....
Penrith	342	400	191	86	538	.....	.....
Picton	1,181	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....
Plattsburg	493	239	.....	614	161	.....	.....
Port Macquarie	342	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	.....
Prospect and Sherwood	464	127	.....	35	318	.....	.....
Queanbeyan	137	80	.....	170	67	.....	.....
Quirindi	497	.....	.....	83	36	200	.....
Raymond Terrace	108	.....	.....	279	116	.....	.....
Richmond	265	.....	.....	51	50	25	.....
Rookwood	1,675	.....	.....	47	69	.....	90
Scone	352	32	.....	52	43	.....	.....
Shellharbour	1,057	.....	.....	292	69	.....	.....
Shoalhaven, South	1,385	.....	.....	.....	96	.....	.....
†Silverton	278	.....	37	48	2	.....	18
Singleton	632	307	119	126	54	.....	.....
Singleton, South	184	80	.....	57	99	.....	.....
Smithfield and Fairfield	454	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....
St. Mary's	287	.....	.....	274	.....	.....	.....
Stockton	415	.....	.....	371	274	122	.....
Tamworth	1,554	362	.....	250	317	.....	38
Taree	203	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	.....
Temora	368	.....	.....	113	8	.....	.....
Tenterfield	244	.....	.....	499	60	.....	.....
Tumut	740	.....	.....	200	38	.....	.....
Ulladulla	651	.....	.....	421	132	105	.....
Ulmarra	548	.....	.....	479	9	.....	.....
Uralla	256	18	.....	15	2	.....	.....
Wagga Wagga	1,902	1,580	1,767	899	914	500	56
Walcha	331	58	.....	1	50	.....	.....
Wallendbeen	708	.....	.....	219	.....	.....	.....
Wallsend	537	145	.....	242	43	.....	.....
Waratah	550	693	.....	493	996	.....	139
Warren	1,012	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	19
Wellington	531	21	.....	139	1	.....	3
Wentworth	56	.....	298	324	.....	.....	.....
Wickham	405	250	.....	1,273	1,083	.....	113
Wilcannia	268	.....	496	277	248	.....	49
Windsor	344	117	214	55	353	.....	.....
Wingham	95	.....	.....	72	.....	.....	.....
Wollongong	751	340	.....	282	464	.....	.....
Yass	220	419	.....	408	495	.....	.....
Young	881	1,314	.....	401	743	.....	.....
Total Country	108,744	29,655	26,674	44,030	35,305	1,459	1,733
„ Metropolitan	271,544	50,065	1,387	26,940	103,838	13,688	827
Grand Total	380,288	79,720	28,061	70,970	139,143	15,147	2,560

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Salaries and Office Expenses. §	Miscellaneous.	Refunds and Transfers.	Total Expenditure.	Repayments of Loans.	Ordinary Refunds, Transfers, &c.	Total Disbursements.	Borough or Municipal District.
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
							COUNTRY—*continued.*
395	145	.....	1,868	.....	379	2,247	Parkes.
515	1,476	1	10,203	.....	.....	10,203	Parramatta.
123	52	.....	623	.....	6	629	Peak Hill.
1,211	150	.....	2,918	.....	.....	2,918	Penrith.
95	7	.....	1,308	.....	.....	1,308	Picton.
168	147	.....	1,822	150	.....	1,972	Plattsburg.
56	35	.....	528	.....	.....	528	Port Macquarie.
139	86	.....	1,169	.....	7	1,176	Prospect and Sherwood.
89	39	.....	582	.....	.....	582	Queanbeyan.
108	94	.....	1,018	600	11	1,629	Quirindi.
73	32	.....	608	.....	11	619	Raymond Terrace.
80	35	.....	506	.....	.....	506	Richmond.
300	303	.....	2,484	‡346	150	2,980	Rookwood.
177	36	.....	692	1,282	.....	1,974	Scone.
78	76	.....	1,572	.....	191	1,763	Shellharbour.
88	44	.....	1,613	200	.....	1,813	Shoalhaven, South.
107	14	1	505	.....	.....	505	†Silverton.
216	54	3	1,511	.....	.....	1,511	Singleton.
93	30	.....	543	.....	.....	543	Singleton, South.
93	76	.....	653	.....	.....	653	Smithfield and Fairfield.
111	119	.....	791	.....	11	802	St. Mary's.
216	155	.....	1,553	.....	1	1,554	Stockton.
673	165	.....	3,359	.....	12	3,371	Tamworth.
74	32	.....	333	.....	.....	333	Taree.
179	118	.....	786	.....	2	788	Temora.
225	60	.....	1,088	.....	.....	1,088	Tenterfield.
191	166	1	1,336	.....	27	1,363	Tumut.
155	88	.....	1,552	.....	56	1,608	Ulladulla.
87	31	.....	1,154	.....	.....	1,154	Ulmarra.
74	45	.....	410	.....	22	432	Uralla.
1,013	335	6	8,972	142	49	9,163	Wagga Wagga.
114	66	.....	620	500	614	1,734	Walcha.
232	78	.....	1,257	.....	.....	1,257	Wallendbeen.
168	122	.....	1,257	.....	.....	1,257	Wallsend.
342	176	1	3,390	7,700	.....	11,090	Waratah.
130	64	.....	1,229	.....	45	1,274	Warren.
189	68	.....	952	.....	.....	952	Wellington.
121	45	.....	844	.....	.....	844	Wentworth.
330	107	.....	3,561	.....	30	3,591	Wickham.
365	206	.....	1,909	.....	10	1,919	Wilcannia.
120	54	.....	1,263	.....	.....	1,263	Windsor.
54	31	.....	252	.....	.....	252	Wingham.
301	150	.....	2,288	.....	3,012	5,300	Wollongong.
259	139	.....	1,940	.....	19	1,959	Yass.
243	169	95	3,846	387	838	5,071	Young.
40,665	18,887	170	307,322	48,921	17,787	374,030	Total Country.
34,315	27,822	1,120	531,546	11,681	5,339	548,566	„ Metropolitan.
74,980	46,709	1,290	838,868	60,602	23,126	922,596	Grand Total.

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No. 12.—Assets of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Cash Assets.						
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.†	Government Endowments and Grants accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank.			Cash in hand.
				Sinking Funds.	Fixed Deposits.	Balances of Current Accounts.	
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
¶Sydney	2,080	.....	§§	246,549	.....	78,687	25
Suburbs :—							
Alexandria...	809	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	7
Annandale...	705	.....	.....	.....	.....	61	12
**Ashfield	2,850	.....	10	.....	.....	32	2
Balmain	9,934	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Botany	1,237	183	6	.....	450	102	11
Botany, North	1,230	171	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Burwood	1,026	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	10
Camperdown	1,584	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	21
Canterbury	4,063	.....	.....	.....	.....	52	76
Concord	957	74	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Darlington...	94	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Drummoyne	679	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31
Enfield	1,126	251	.....	108	.....	142	...
Erskineville	492	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Five Dock	††550	.....	‡‡2,650	.....	.....	§§	§§
Glebe	1,469	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	35
Hunter's Hill	765	.....	9	.....	.....	71	7
Hurstville	2,037	1,036	63	1,156	.....	.....	...
Kogarah	2,154	203	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Lane Cove	682	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Leichhardt	2,175	.....	116	.....	.....	185	253
Manly	2,979	.....	.....	.....	.....	985	35
Marrickville	2,829	.....	280	533	.....	101	...
Marsfield	86	.....	.....	11	.....	24	...
Mosman	1,246	.....	28	.....	.....	941	1
Newtown	2,506	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	87
North Sydney	5,866	1,295	|||3,348	200	200	2,664	70
Paddington	1,606	.....	.....	.....	.....	741	1
Petersham	883	.....	187	.....	.....	2,105	...
Randwick	4,128	.....	.....	1,187	.....	388	...
Redfern	1,613	861	150	.....	.....	1,462	13
Rockdale	5,077	.....	.....	.....	.....	803	...
Ryde	2,826	24	***500	150	.....	.....	...
St. Peter's	1,938	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	2
Strathfield	599	452	171	.....	.....	.....	...
Vaucluse	530	.....	2	.....	.....	141	4
Waterloo	161	.....	1	.....	.....	6	7
Waverley	5,036	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,428	3
Willoughby	1,944	.....	†††2,133	.....	.....	301	...
Woollahra...	578	.....	87	.....	.....	.....	...
Total Suburbs ...	79,049	4,550	9,751	3,345	650	12,906	709
Total Metropolitan ...	81,129	4,550	9,751	249,894	650	91,593	734

* Roads and streets not included (see Table No. 17, page 46). † In many instances a large proportion of the outstanding § Some Municipalities derive a revenue from rents of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ¶ 31st December, 1897. ‖ Including 31st December, 1897, amounted to £321,311. ** 1st February, 1897. †† Amount struck, 1898–9. ‡‡ Due by ‖‖ Including £3,261 owing by Mosman.

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31st January, 1898.

Other Assets.*							Total Assets.	Borough or Municipal District.
Revenue-producing Works.				Not Revenue producing.				
Water-works. (See Tables 18 and 20.)	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.‡	Sale-yards.	Wharves.	Lands, Buildings, &c.§	Sewerage.	Working Plant, Furniture, and Stores.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
.....	.....	77,980	.....	‖1,634,478	.....	5,643	2,045,442	METROPOLITAN— ¶Sydney.
								Suburbs—
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,200	.....	335	4,352	Alexandria.
.....	.....	.....	200	50	2,334	220	3,582	Annandale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	7,700	6,094	1,500	18,188	**Ashfield.
.....	.....	.....	3,000	25,400	2,000	240	40,575	Balmain.
.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	355	2,644	Botany.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,680	.....	515	4,599	Botany, North.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,420	2,400	910	5,832	Burwood.
.....	.....	.....	.....	5,480	5,161	510	12,795	Camperdown.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,800	.....	775	7,766	Canterbury.
.....	.....	.....	300	640	.....	220	2,191	Concord.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,600	.....	130	1,824	Darlington.
.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	270	1,980	Drummoyne.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,280	.....	287	3,194	Enfield.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	290	1,799	Erskineville.
.....	.....	.....	.....	¶¶1,200	.....	§§	4,400	Five Dock.
.....	.....	.....	.....	5,125	16,217	1,034	23,890	Glebe.
.....	.....	.....	1,000	3,000	.....	69	4,921	Hunter's Hill.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	555	6,847	Hurstville.
.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	500	2,877	Kogarah.
.....	.....	.....	350	110	.....	100	1,242	Lane Cove.
.....	.....	.....	300	7,767	4,500	986	16,282	Leichhardt.
37,820	.....	.....	.....	7,400	.....	140	49,359	Manly.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,500	.....	490	7,733	Marrickville.
.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	19	290	Marsfield.
.....	.....	.....	30	1,163	.....	60	3,469	Mosman.
.....	.....	.....	.....	6,600	.....	375	9,568	Newtown.
.....	.....	.....	500	3,227	4,850	395	22,615	North Sydney.
.....	.....	.....	.....	18,100	.....	1,685	22,133	Paddington.
.....	.....	.....	.....	7,300	4,752	650	15,877	Petersham.
.....	.....	.....	.....	7,600	.....	600	13,903	Randwick.
.....	19,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	1,300	29,399	Redfern.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,364	.....	745	9,989	Rockdale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	60	4,060	Ryde.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	275	3,280	St. Peter's.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,436	616	681	5,955	Strathfield.
.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	92	1,269	Vaucluse.
.....	.....	.....	.....	4,000	4,000	435	8,610	Waterloo.
.....	.....	.....	.....	4,042	.....	260	10,769	Waverley.
.....	.....	.....	.....	450	100	202	5,130	Willoughby.
.....	.....	.....	600	4,500	.....	450	6,215	Woollahra.
37,820	19,000	.....	7,280	154,604	53,024	18,715	401,403	Total Suburbs.
37,820	19,000	77,980	7,280	1,789,082	53,024	24,358	2,446,845	Total Metropolitan.

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organ, furniture, &c., in Town Hall, but not including payments on account of the Queen Victoria Market Buildings, which, on Drummoyne, £2,300, with estimated interest, on 12th October, 1898. §§ No information. ¶¶ 3rd August, 1896.
*** Owing by Marsfield. ††† Owing by Lane Cove.
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No. 12.—Assets of Municipalities,

Borough or Municipal District.	Cash Assets.						
	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.†	Government Endowments and Grants accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank.			Cash in hand.
				Sinking Funds.	Fixed Deposits.	Balances of Current Accounts.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—							
Aberdeen	90	62	7	.....	.....	9	6
Adamstown	199	33	.....	.....	.....	61	...
Albury	5,230	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,091	...
Armidale	1,865	.....	.....	.....	.....	179	254
Auburn	1,216	200	.....	.....	.....	107	2
Ballina	300	43	4	.....	.....	20	4
Balranald	470	22	.....	.....	.....	112	7
Bankstown	374	88	.....	.....	.....	127	...
Bathurst	1,759	.....	1,111	.....	.....	788	...
‖Bega	2,324	372	435	.....	.....	2	24
Berry	137	.....	.....	.....	.....	109	...
Bingara	296	79	.....	.....	.....	54	...
Blayney	30	92	1	.....	.....	35	7
Bombala	782	124	6	.....	.....	57	3
Bourke	3,218	.....	.....	.....	.....	634	33
Bowral	179	193	85	.....	.....	1	1
Braidwood	37	119	.....	100	.....	77	1
Broken Hill	4,275	2,697	.....	.....	.....	5	91
Broughton Vale	169	.....	.....	.....	.....	93	...
Burrowa	285	87	.....	.....	.....	563	6
Cabramatta and Canley Vale.	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	...
Camden	154	153	.....	.....	.....	116	...
Campbelltown	1,052	.....	15	.....	.....	12	1
Carcoar	104	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	...
Carrington	345	41	45	¶915	.....	16	1
**Casino	388	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	15
Castlereagh	217	144	.....	.....	.....	130	...
Cobar	717	183	.....	.....	48	125	...
Condobolin	126	221	.....	.....	.....	195	23
Cooma	293	199	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Coonamble	425	60	31	.....	.....	402	1
Cootamundra	154	109	187	500	.....	631	15
Coraki	179	39	8	.....	.....	4	33
Cowra	228	226	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Cudal	13	122	1	.....	.....	39	...
Cudgegong	850	.....	.....	.....	.....	34	2
Deniliquin	4,525	.....	.....	.....	500	84	19
Dubbo	3,809	.....	476	.....	.....	980	...
Dundas	437	58	30	.....	.....	21	2
Dungog	141	119	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
Ermington and Rydalmere	256	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
Forbes	2,151	.....	.....	.....	.....	694	...
††Gerringong	121	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Glen Innes	1,559	.....	140	310	500	200	...
Gosford	500	15	3	.....	.....	.....	...
Goulburn	5,694	.....	.....	.....	‡‡2,175	3,104	...
Grafton	1,695	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,553	...
Grafton, South	32	33	§§323	.....	.....	3	...
Granville	1,822	215	.....	.....	.....	3	2

* Roads and streets not included (see Table No. 17, page 46). † In many instances a large proportion of the outstanding Municipalities derive a revenue from rents of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ‖ 1st August, 1898. ¶ Newcastle §§ Owing

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31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Other Assets.*							Total Assets.	Borough or Municipal District.
Revenue-producing Works.				Not Revenue producing.				
Water-works. (See Tables 18 and 20.)	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.‡	Sale-yards	Wharves.	Lands, Buildings, &c.§	Sewerage.	Working Plant, Furniture, and Stores.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								COUNTRY—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	224	Aberdeen.
.....	.....	.....	.....	580	.....	213	1,086	Adamstown.
41,000	.....	1,600	.....	800	.....	850	51,571	Albury.
.....	12,000	100	.....	6,000	.....	265	20,663	Armidale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	289	2,114	Auburn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	60	731	Ballina.
6,000	.....	.....	.....	70	.....	63	6,744	Balranald.
.....	.....	.....	.....	94	.....	26	709	Bankstown.
48,723	21,716	3,018	.....	6,000	.....	1,368	84,483	Bathurst.
.....	8,000	900	.....	.....	.....	130	12,187	‖Bega.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	296	Berry.
.....	.....	.....	.....	70	.....	25	524	Bingara.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,300	.....	173	2,638	Blayney.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	1,000	Bombala.
15,992	.....	.....	.....	1,650	.....	500	22,027	Bourke.
.....	7,400	.....	.....	1,615	.....	121	9,595	Bowral.
.....	.....	.....	.....	280	.....	83	697	Braidwood.
.....	.....	.....	.....	12,750	.....	3,836	23,654	Broken Hill.
.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	210	572	Broughton Vale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	1,031	Burrowa.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	561	Cabramatta and Canley Vale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	433	Camden.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,260	.....	510	3,850	Campbelltown.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	195	Carcoar.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,200	.....	170	2,733	Carrington.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,750	900	195	5,297	**Casino.
.....	.....	.....	.....	170	.....	45	706	Castlereagh.
.....	.....	.....	.....	129	.....	140	1,342	Cobar.
.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	70	785	Condobolin.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	503	995	Cooma.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	80	519	2,518	Coonamble.
10,942	7,414	.....	.....	2,654	.....	707	23,313	Cootamundra.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	353	Coraki.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	564	Cowra.
.....	.....	.....	.....	150	.....	23	348	Cudal.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	120	4,006	Cudgegong.
18,401	.....	250	.....	3,550	.....	500	27,829	Deniliquin.
14,687	10,000	265	.....	1,356	.....	485	32,058	Dubbo.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	168	1,716	Dundas.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	83	350	Dungog.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	135	412	Ermington & Rydalmere.
8,000	.....	.....	.....	7,000	.....	610	18,455	Forbes.
.....	.....	.....	.....	130	.....	20	271	††Gerringong.
.....	6,800	.....	.....	4,200	.....	454	14,163	Glen Innes.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	544	Gosford.
51,199	.....	.....	.....	4,446	1,420	867	68,905	Goulburn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	878	.....	570	4,696	Grafton.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	426	Grafton, South.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,150	.....	900	5,092	Granville.

rates is due on unimproved property, the owners of which are unknown. ‡ See Tables No. 22 and 23, page 51. § Some and County Building Society. ** 1st February, 1897. †† 3rd February, 1896. ‡‡ Australian Banking Company. by Grafton.

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	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.†	Government Endowments and Grants accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank.			Cash in hand.
				Sinking Funds.	Fixed Deposits.	Balances of Current Accounts.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Grenfell	212	21	.....	5	.....	11	...
Greta	77	116	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
Gulgong	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	1
Gundagai	1,153	193	.....	.....	.....	36	1
Gunnedah	600	64	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Hamilton	1,207	.....	11	‖600	.....	96	30
Hay	1,053	213	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Hill End	89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Hillston	308	73	11	.....	.....	18	...
Illawarra, Central	739	.....	.....	.....	¶1,610	.....	48
Illawarra, North	658	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	...
Ingleburn	58	9	.....	.....	.....	50	1
Inverell	338	.....	.....	.....	.....	52	...
**Jamberoo	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
††Jerilderie	111	109	207	.....	.....	.....	11
Junee	170	100	184	.....	.....	422	15
Katoomba	835	131	10	.....	.....	48	28
Kempsey	481	78	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Kiama	239	.....	15	.....	.....	66	...
Lambton	864	.....	123	.....	.....	94	17
Lambton, New	19	84	2	242	.....	43	...
Lismore	2,139	76	168	.....	.....	491	11
Lithgow	942	152	87	.....	95	153	...
‡‡Liverpool	1,352	222	§§178	.....	.....	393	1
Maclean	251	72	15	.....	.....	21	4
Maitland, East	621	.....	208	.....	.....	865	...
Maitland, West	3,116	324	68	.....	.....	.....	...
Merewether	278	70	.....	150	.....	98	12
Mittagong	350	177	9	.....	.....	152	...
Moama	736	93	.....	.....	.....	144	93
Molong	172	122	4	.....	.....	13	2
Moree	97	174	.....	.....	.....	60	13
Morpeth	212	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8
Moruya	208	32	.....	.....	.....	43	7
Moss Vale	691	40	.....	.....	1,200	103	6
Mudgee	1,220	23	130	.....	.....	20	1
Mulgoa	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	13	1
Murrumburrah	149	90	.....	.....	200	110	26
Murrurundi	95	28	.....	.....	.....	37	12
Musclebrook	82	.....	100	.....	.....	174	2
‡‡Narrabri	570	91	26	.....	.....	.....	6
Narrabri, West	67	40	.....	.....	.....	96	2
Narrandera	2,075	120	.....	.....	.....	350	...
Newcastle	663	797	200	.....	.....	‖‖4,179	...
Nowra	705	70	413	.....	.....	314	4
Nyngan	381	126	.....	.....	.....	423	...
Orange	1,995	.....	1,228	.....	¶¶500	2,433	...
Orange, East	118	153	.....	.....	.....	75	...
Parkes	871	113	19	.....	.....	123	...
Parramatta	4,953	.....	40	.....	.....	932	57

* Roads and streets not included (see Table 17, page 46). † In many instances a large proportion of the outstanding rates Municipalities derive a revenue from rents of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c. ‖ Northumberland
†† 4th February, 1895. ‡‡ 1st February, 1897. §§ Owing by Cabramatta and

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31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Other Assets.*							Total Assets.	Borough or Municipal District.
Revenue-producing Works.				Not Revenue producing.				
Water-works. (See Tables 18 and 20.)	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.‡	Sale-yards.	Wharves.	Lands, Buildings, &c.§	Sewerage.	Working Plant, Furniture, and Stores.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								COUNTRY—*continued.*
.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	58	707	Grenfell.
.....	.....	.....	.....	160	.....	47	403	Greta.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,150	.....	400	2,715	Gulgong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	67	1,450	Gundagai.
.....	.....	.....	.....	360	.....	60	1,084	Gunnedah.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,350	.....	760	4,054	Hamilton.
9,400	.....	.....	.....	1,800	1,000	405	13,888	Hay.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	177	Hill End.
.....	.....	.....	.....	543	.....	325	1,278	Hillston.
.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	200	2,797	Illawarra, Central.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	80	1,843	Illawarra, North.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	124	Ingleburn.
.....	.....	.....	.....	2,545	.....	182	3,117	Inverell.
.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	14	164	**Jamberoo.
5,429	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	320	6,187	††Jerilderie.
.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	380	1,771	Junee.
.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	420	1,972	Katoomba.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	461	1,021	Kempsey.
.....	.....	.....	.....	560	.....	150	1,030	Kiama.
.....	7,000	.....	.....	310	.....	56	8,464	Lambton.
.....	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	134	1,074	Lambton, New.
10,076	7,000	.....	.....	1,900	.....	1,480	23,341	Lismore.
12,749	6,000	.....	.....	500	.....	165	20,843	Lithgow.
.....	7,000	.....	.....	1,700	.....	302	11,148	‡‡Liverpool.
.....	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	227	609	Maclean.
.....	10,000	.....	.....	430	.....	319	12,443	Maitland, East.
.....	.....	9,450	.....	9,000	.....	350	22,308	Maitland, West.
.....	.....	.....	.....	130	.....	82	820	Merewether.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,590	.....	83	2,361	Mittagong.
6,505	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	76	7,747	Moama.
.....	4,500	.....	.....	640	.....	50	5,503	Molong.
.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	110	554	Moree.
.....	.....	.....	.....	410	.....	60	690	Morpeth.
.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	50	540	Moruya.
.....	.....	160	.....	1,250	.....	290	3,740	Moss Vale.
1,500	.....	.....	.....	4,225	.....	580	7,699	Mudgee.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	97	Mulgoa.
.....	.....	.....	.....	960	115	595	2,245	Murrumburrah.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85	257	Murrurundi.
.....	4,500	1,200	.....	350	.....	30	6,438	Musclebrook.
.....	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	300	3,993	‡‡Narrabri.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	214	Narrabri, West.
7,980	.....	.....	.....	1,200	.....	375	12,100	Narrandera.
.....	10,000	.....	7,250	108,000	18,026	3,100	152,215	Newcastle.
12,593	.....	.....	.....	130	.....	124	14,353	Nowra.
9,000	.....	.....	.....	1,500	.....	100	11,530	Nyngan.
32,688	13,000	1,500	.....	2,350	.....	2,510	58,204	Orange.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	420	Orange, East.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,340	.....	220	2,686	Parkes.
40,000	.....	.....	500	33,537	.....	3,863	83,882	Parramatta.

is due on unimproved property, the owners of which are unknown. ‡ See tables Nos. 22 and 23, page 51. § Some Building Society. ¶ Debenture Stock, English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited). ** 3rd February, 1896. Canley Vale. ‖‖ Interest and Sinking Fund Account. ¶¶ Funded Stock.

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	Outstanding Rates and Nuisances Prevention Charges.†	Government Endowments and Grants accrued.	Sundry Accounts due.	Bank.			Cash in hand.
				Sinking Funds.	Fixed Deposits.	Balances of Current Accounts.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Peak Hill	198	40	.....	.....	.....	9	...
Penrith	880	.....	‖612	.....	.....	.....	2
Picton	23	174	.....	.....	.....	136	1
Plattsburg	487	.....	.....	.....	.....	137	...
Port Macquarie	151	71	.....	.....	.....	6	5
Prospect and Sherwood ...	2,152	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18
Queanbeyan	560	21	.....	.....	.....	68	4
Quirindi	15	130	.....	.....	.....	116	...
Raymond Terrace	145	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	4
Richmond	2	.....	.....	50	.....	2	...
Rookwood	786	281	28	.....	.....	.....	...
Scone	46	118	.....	.....	.....	34	1
Shellharbour	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	163	2
Shoalhaven, South ...	145	140	3	.....	.....	161	1
¶Silverton	126	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	7
Singleton	769	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Singleton, South	327	38	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
Smithfield and Fairfield ...	1,511	86	.....	.....	.....	53	...
St. Mary's	896	87	.....	.....	.....	222	4
Stockton	7	26	10	806	.....	.....	...
Tamworth	495	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	3
Taree	86	27	25	.....	.....	.....	4
Temora	459	145	.....	.....	.....	.....	8
Tenterfield	280	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	19
Tumut	362	99	21	.....	.....	7	...
Ulladulla	436	124	5	170	.....	3	...
Ulmarra	313	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...
Uralla	216	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	10
Wagga Wagga	1,081	.....	363	3,000	50	5,750	...
Walcha	140	310	.....	.....	.....	221	...
Wallendbeen	80	25	.....	.....	.....	527	4
Wallsend	389	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5
Waratah	2,597	124	260	.....	.....	62	8
Warren	139	236	.....	.....	.....	254	1
Wellington	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	213	9
Wentworth	290	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	7
Wickham	2,296	.....	.....	.....	.....	139	10
Wilcannia	1,117	335	1	.....	.....	.....	11
Windsor	593	.....	.....	.....	.....	420	...
Wingham	132	61	.....	.....	.....	65	...
Wollongong	785	.....	1	.....	.....	143	...
Yass	1,028	.....	52	.....	.....	29	5
Young	545	.....	63	.....	.....	.....	41
Total Country	109,482	13,299	7,815	6,848	6,878	35,414	1,205
„ Metropolitan ..	81,129	4,550	9,751	249,894	650	91,593	734
Grand Total	190,611	17,849	17,566	256,742	7,528	127,007	1,939

* Roads and streets not included (see Table No 17, page 46). † In many instances a large proportion of the outstanding
§ Some Municipalities derive a revenue from rents of Town Hall, Parks, Houses, &c.

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31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Other Assets.*							Total Assets.	Borough or Municipal District.
Revenue-producing Works.				Not Revenue producing.				
Water-works. (See Tables 18 and 20.)	Gasworks and Electric Lighting Plant.‡	Sale-yards	Wharves.	Lands, Buildings, &c.§	Sewerage.	Working Plant, Furniture, and Stores.		
£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
								COUNTRY—*continued.*
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	250	Peak Hill.
9,000	9,000	.....	.....	1,000	.....	250	20,744	Penrith.
.....	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	53	432	Picton.
.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	242	966	Plattsburg.
.....	.....	.....	.....	300	.....	30	563	Port Macquarie.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,180	.....	60	3,410	Prospect and Sherwood.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	392	1,045	Queanbeyan.
.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	95	556	Quirindi.
.....	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	140	1,108	Raymond Terrace.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000	20	1,074	Richmond.
.....	.....	.....	.....	1,225	.....	250	2,570	Rookwood.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	234	Scone.
.....	.....	.....	.....	454	.....	42	691	Shellharbour.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	119	569	Shoalhaven, South.
250	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	330	1,271	¶Silverton.
600	.....	.....	.....	750	1,000	150	3,283	Singleton.
.....	.....	.....	.....	405	.....	97	872	Singleton, South.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	1,700	Smithfield and Fairfield.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	1,232	St. Mary's.
.....	.....	.....	580	957	182	948	3,516	Stockton.
.....	3,200	1,100	.....	2,150	.....	600	7,555	Tamworth.
.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	4	156	Taree.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	216	828	Temora.
.....	.....	.....	.....	520	.....	60	918	Tenterfield.
.....	.....	.....	.....	335	.....	243	1,067	Tumut.
.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	206	964	Ulladulla.
.....	.....	.....	.....	260	.....	85	658	Ulmarra.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	269	Uralla.
38,500	17,823	1,500	.....	5,525	534	2,176	76,302	Wagga Wagga.
.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	126	820	Walcha.
.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	280	1,166	Wallendbeen.
.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	65	859	Wallsend.
.....	9,805	.....	.....	225	.....	397	13,478	Waratah.
.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	111	801	Warren.
.....	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	240	1,134	Wellington.
4,000	.....	.....	.....	150	165	130	4,782	Wentworth.
.....	.....	.....	.....	820	700	595	4,560	Wickham.
10,000	.....	.....	1,700	.....	.....	660	13,824	Wilcannia.
6,500	.....	.....	20	1,000	.....	130	8,663	Windsor.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	268	Wingham.
.....	.....	.....	.....	8,550	.....	750	10,229	Wollongong.
.....	7,200	.....	.....	242	.....	258	8,814	Yass.
.....	8,500	.....	.....	5,250	.....	600	14,999	Young.
431,714	197,858	21,043	10,050	294,077	25,122	48,157	1,208,962	Total Country.
37,820	19,000	77,980	7,280	1,789,082	53,024	24,358	2,446,845	„ Metropolitan.
469,534	216,858	99,023	17,330	2,083,159	78,146	72,515	3,655,807	Grand Total.

rates is due on unimproved property, the owners of which are unknown. ‡ See Tables No. 22 and 23, page 51.
‖ Mulgoa debentures and accrued interest. ¶ 1st February, 1897.
published there also showing the dates of the Bank balances, loans, &c. The figures are vouched for by the Mayors and and not reimbursed, is not, as a rule, included in either assets or liabilities, the few exceptions being cash loans.

No. 13.—Liabilities of Municipalities, 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Current Loans.*	Bank Overdraft. Secured by Mortgage, &c.*	Bank Overdraft. Unsecured.	Unpresented Cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.†	Total Liabilities.‡	Annual Payment to Government for Waterworks.§	Rate of Interest on Overdraft.
METROPOLITAN—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
‖Sydney	1,410,000	.....	115,798	...	¶	1,525,798**	.....	5
Suburbs—								
Alexandria	17,000	.....	217	...	134	17,351	.....	7
Annandale	11,875	.....	.....	...	52	11,927	.....	...
††Ashfield	15,300	.....	1,713	646	50	17,709	.....	6 & 7
Balmain	63,000	.....	7,157	...	1,836	71,993	.....	7
Botany	5,000	.....	.....	9	23	5,032	.....	...
Botany, North ...	4,500	.....	163	...	79	4,742	.....	7
Burwood	25,000	.....	204	...	290	25,494	.....	¶
Camperdown	17,000	.....	5,411	29	992	23,432	.....	8
Canterbury	9,000	.....	449	51	94	9,594	.....	7
Concord	2,000	.....	151	...	9	2,160	.....	7
Darlington	.....	.....	102	...	.....	102	.....	¶
Drummoyne	5,000	.....	31	54	‡‡3,038	8,123	.....	8
Enfield...	4,970	.....	.....	41	20	5,031	.....	...
Erskineville	10,000	.....	520	138	319	10,977	.....	7
§§Five Dock	7,500	.....	851	...	‖‖1,915	10,266	.....	¶
Glebe	36,779	.....	2,292	...	1,493	40,564	.....	6
Hunter's Hill	8,937	.....	.....	...	293	9,230	.....	...
Hurstville	6,000	.....	83	204	437	6,724	.....	6
Kogarah	.....	.....	1,640	56	173	1,869	.....	6
Lane Cove	2,800	.....	126	...	¶¶2,183	5,109	.....	7
Leichhardt	39,045	.....	874	170	884	40,973	.....	7
Manly	16,000	.....	21	1	1,595	‡17,617	1,368	6½
Marrickville	30,000	.....	257	...	132	30,389	.....	7
Marsfield	.....	.....	.....	...	***550	550	.....	...
Mosman	6,200	.....	537	82	†††3,362	10,181	.....	6
Newtown	36,000	.....	568	...	1,041	37,609	.....	6½
North Sydney	58,150	.....	.....	75	2,435	60,660	.....	...
Paddington	68,400	.....	.....	10	641	69,051	.....	...
Petersham	18,500	.....	372	...	76	18,948	.....	...
Randwick	30,000	.....	188	...	740	30,928	.....	6
Redfern	38,400	.....	133	...	330	38,863	.....	...
Rockdale	16,740	.....	.....	...	105	16,845	.....	...
Ryde	6,000	.....	12	7	100	6,119	.....	7
St. Peter's	10,000	.....	.....	...	282	10,282	.....	...
Strathfield	6,500	.....	553	...	739	7,792	.....	7
Vaucluse	500	.....	.....	...	82	582	.....	...
Waterloo	17,000	.....	.....	...	496	17,496	.....	...
Waverley	50,000	.....	2,500	18	1,526	54,044	.....	6
Willoughby	12,200	.....	.....	9	119	12,328	.....	...
Woollahra	8,800	.....	1,961	2	435	11,198	.....	6
Total Suburbs ...	720,096	.....	29,086	1,602	29,100	779,884	1,368	...
Total Metropolitan...	2,130,096	.....	144,884	1,602	29,100	2,305,682	1,368	...

*See Table No. 14, page 42. †Including interest accrued on loans and overdrafts, the proportion of annual liability for waterworks, and arrears (if any) of annual payments. ‡ In addition to annual liability quoted in following column. §For particulars of dates, &c., see Table 18, page 50. ‖ 31st December, 1897. ¶ No information. ** Not including outstanding accounts and amounts due on contracts. †† 1st February, 1897. ‡‡ Including £2,300 owing to Five Dock. §§ 12th October, 1898. ‖‖ Including £1,339 interest overdue. ¶¶ Including £2,133 owing to Willoughby. *** Including £500 owing to Ryde. ††† Including £3,261 owing to North Sydney.

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No. 13.—Liabilities of Municipalities, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Current Loans.*	Bank Overdraft.		Unpresented Cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.†	Total Liabilities.‡	Annual Payment to Government for Waterworks. §	Rate of Interest on Overdraft.
		Secured by Mortgage, &c.*	Unsecured.					
COUNTRY—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
Aberdeen	.....	.....	27	...	.....	27	.....	7
Adamstown	3,000	.....	.....	...	53	3,053	.....	...
Albury	.....	.....	769	...	1,700	‡2,469	1,483	7
Armidale	18,450	.....	614	10	225	19,299	.....	‖
Auburn	3,000	.....	300	...	65	3,365	.....	6
Ballina	2,000	.....	.....	...	35	2,035	.....	...
Balranald	.....	.....	.....	...	739	‡739	217	...
Bankstown	.....	.....	.....	18	10	28	.....	...
Bathurst	12,000	.....	4,836	110	1,203	‡18,149	1,989	5
¶Bega	8,000	.....	624	43	270	8,937	.....	7
Berry	2,300	.....	.....	...	10	2,310	.....	...
Bingara	.....	.....	.....	...	18	18	.....	...
Blayney	2,400	.....	.....	...	12	2,412	.....	...
Bombala	1,000	.....	.....	...	11	1,011	.....	...
Bourke	7,500	.....	113	12	1,023	‡8,648	486	...
Bowral	11,000	1,000	338	...	239	12,577	.....	7
Braidwood	850	.....	.....	...	6	856	.....	...
Broken Hill	5,000	.....	123	57	82	5,262	.....	7
Broughton Vale	350	.....	.....	9	92	451	.....	...
Burrowa	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Cabramatta and Canley Vale	.....	.....	35	...	**138	173	.....	...
Camden	700	.....	.....	9	13	722	.....	...
Campbelltown	1,700	.....	.....	8	66	1,774	.....	...
Carcoar	.....	.....	12	2	.....	14	.....	‖
Carrington	4,500	.....	.....	...	110	4,610	.....	...
††Casino	.....	4,000	771	2	73	4,846	.....	6½
Castlereagh	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Cobar	.....	.....	204	3	.....	207	.....	8
Condobolin	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Cooma	.....	.....	36	...	93	129	.....	‖
Coonamble	1,000	.....	.....	...	77	1,077	.....	...
Cootamundra	11,000	.....	87	...	122	‡11,209	394	‖
Coraki	.....	.....	.....	...	20	20	.....	...
Cowra	.....	89	39	...	.....	128	.....	8
Cudal	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Cudgegong	2,000	.....	390	4	42	2,436	.....	8
Deniliquin	3,700	.....	.....	133	816	‡4,649	668	...
Dubbo	15,000	.....	517	220	631	‡16,368	551	...
Dundas	.....	.....	.....	...	10	10	.....	...
Dungog	.....	.....	444	9	.....	453	.....	7
Ermington and Rydalmere	.....	.....	209	...	.....	209	.....	6
Forbes	.....	1,912	327	...	66	‡2,305	288	8
‡‡Gerringong	.....	.....	175	24	.....	199	.....	‖
Glen Innes	14,000	.....	.....	...	315	14,315	.....	...
Gosford	.....	.....	44	...	36	80	.....	7½
Goulburn	10,000	.....	3,885	27	2,305	‡16,217	1,989	6
Grafton	5,539	.....	.....	16	§§569	6,124	.....	...
Grafton, South	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	3	.....	...
Granville	16,200	.....	.....	...	822	17,022	.....	...

* See Table No. 14, page 42. † Including interest accrued on loans and overdrafts, the proportion of annual liability for waterworks, and arrears (if any) of annual payments. ‡ In addition to annual liability quoted in following column. § For particulars of dates, &c., see Table 18, page 50. ‖ No information. ¶ 1st August, 1898. ** Owing to Liverpool. †† 1st February, 1897. ‡‡ 3rd February, 1896. §§ Including £323 owing to South Grafton.

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No. 13.—Liabilities of Municipalities, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Current Loans.*	Bank Overdraft.		Unpresented cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.†	Total Liabilities.‡	Annual Payment to Government for Waterworks. §	Rate of Interest on Overdraft.
		Secured by Mortgage, &c.*	Unsecured.					
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
Grenfell	400	.....	.....	...	2	402	.....	...
Greta	.....	.....	114	...	.....	114	.....	8
Gulgong	2,700	.....	.....	...	18	2,718	.....	...
Gundagai	1,000	.....	.....	...	48	1,048	.....	...
Gunnedah	.....	1,523	.....	...	8	1,531	.....	6½
Hamilton	8,300	.....	.....	...	131	8,431	.....	...
Hay	.....	2,600	435	1	585	‡3,621	278	7
Hill End	.....	.....	.....	...	23	23	.....	...
Hillston	.....	.....	.....	...	280	280	.....	...
Illawarra, Central ...	5,000	.....	2,278	2	66	7,346	.....	7
Illawarra, North ...	2,000	219	.....	...	10	2,229	.....	7
Ingleburn	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Inverell	5,000	.....	8	...	117	5,125	.....	...
‖Jamberoo	.....	1,407	.....	...	.....	1,407	.....	7
¶Jerilderie	.....	.....	278	...	108	‡386	196	7
Junee	.....	.....	137	16	5	158	.....	7
Katoomba	5,000	.....	.....	2	133	5,135	.....	...
Kempsey	.....	.....	1	...	56	57	.....	...
Kiama	.....	3,321	.....	...	141	3,462	.....	5½
Lambton	4,100	7,500	3,554	...	48	15,202	.....	8½
Lambton, New ...	400	.....	.....	...	5	405	.....	...
Lismore	12,000	.....	281	...	180	‡12,461	362	...
Lithgow	6,000	.....	23	...	797	‡6,820	461	...
**Liverpool	12,000	.....	.....	...	125	12,125	.....	...
Maclean	.....	.....	383	15	.....	398	.....	6½
Maitland, East ...	6,000	.....	.....	...	41	6,041	.....	...
Maitland, West ...	21,000	.....	965	...	719	22,684	.....	7
Merewether	5,500	.....	.....	...	97	5,597	.....	...
Mittagong	1,600	.....	.....	...	215	1,815	.....	...
Moama...	.....	.....	.....	...	23	‡23	275	...
Molong...	5,100	.....	.....	...	158	5,258	.....	...
Moree	.....	.....	.....	...	45	45	.....	...
Morpeth	.....	.....	109	...	.....	109	.....	††
Moruya	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Moss Vale	3,500	.....	266	59	24	3,849	.....	††
Mudgee	5,000	.....	99	...	337	5,436	.....	8
Mulgoa...	600	.....	.....	...	19	619	.....	...
Murrumburrah ...	2,000	.....	.....	...	50	2,050	.....	...
Murrurundi	500	.....	.....	...	8	508	.....	...
Musclebrook	4,500	.....	103	...	42	4,645	.....	...
**Narrabri	3,000	.....	440	...	9	3,449	.....	7
Narrabri, West ...	.....	.....	.....	...	21	21	.....	...
Narrandera	7,858	.....	51	...	397	8,306	.....	7½
Newcastle	57,400	.....	3,745	...	595	61,740	.....	6½
Nowra	.....	.....	15	...	686	‡701	455	7
Nyngan	1,307	.....	.....	...	33	‡1,340	325	...
Orange...	23,437	.....	11,836	...	480	‡35,753	1,182	7½
Orange, East	.....	.....	.....	4	63	67	.....	...
Parkes	.....	.....	451	...	127	578	.....	7
Parramatta	56,600	.....	180	9	1,197	57,986	.....	6

* See table No. 14, page 42. † Including interest accrued on loans and overdrafts, the proportion of annual liability for waterworks, and arrears (if any) of annual payments. ‡ In addition to annual liability quoted in following column. § For particulars of dates, &c., see Table 18, page 50. ‖ 3rd February, 1896. ¶ 4th February, 1895. ** 1st February, 1897. †† No information.

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No. 13.—Liabilities of Municipalities, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Current Loans.*	Bank Overdraft.		Unpresented Cheques.	Outstanding Accounts and Amounts due on Contracts.†	Total Liabilities. ‡	Annual Payment to Government for Waterworks. §	Rate of Interest on Overdraft.
		Secured by Mortgage, &c.*	Unsecured.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.
COUNTRY—*continued.*								
Peak Hill	.....	.....	71	2	.....	73	.....	7
Penrith	23,000	.....	1,797	311	3,459	28,567	.....	6
Picton	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Plattsburg	2,350	.....	.....	...	457	2,807	.....	...
Port Macquarie ...	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	10	.....	...
Prospect and Sherwood	6,000	.....	216	16	46	6,278	.....	6
Queanbeyan	1,100	.....	.....	...	5	1,105	.....	...
Quirindi	300	.....	.....	...	40	340	.....	...
Raymond Terrace ...	1,500	.....	139	50	19	1,708	.....	7
Richmond	900	49	.....	...	17	966	.....	7
Rookwood	1,000	116	120	...	163	1,399	.....	7
Scone	600	114	.....	...	16	730	.....	6
Shellharbour	1,300	.....	.....	...	113	1,413	.....	...
Shoalhaven, South ...	1,800	.....	.....	2	266	2,068	.....	...
‖Silverton	.....	.....	57	...	.....	57	.....	¶
Singleton	.....	.....	927	...	86	1,013	.....	6
Singleton, South ...	1,000	.....	454	...	120	1,574	.....	7
Smithfield and Fairfield	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
St. Mary's	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	...
Stockton	4,400	.....	25	...	75	4,500	.....	6
Tamworth	5,000	.....	557	29	93	5,679	.....	6
Taree	.....	.....	279	3	.....	282	.....	8
Temora...	.....	.....	123	...	20	143	.....	6
Tenterfield	1,000	.....	.....	45	5	1,050	.....	...
Tumut	.....	903	.....	1	.....	904	.....	6½
Ulladulla	.....	2,261	.....	3	135	2,399	.....	7
Ulmarra	.....	.....	108	...	.....	108	.....	7
Uralla	.....	.....	81	3	.....	84	.....	7½
Wagga Wagga ...	18,200	1,085	3,801	...	804	‡23,890	1,392	...
Walcha	.....	500	.....	...	.....	500	.....	5½
Wallendbeen	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Wallsend	.....	717	.....	...	.....	717	.....	7
Waratah	15,500	.....	606	...	234	16,340	.....	6
Warren	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	7	.....	...
Wellington	.....	.....	.....	...	125	125	.....	...
Wentworth	.....	.....	.....	7	299	‡306	145	...
Wickham	17,100	.....	.....	...	230	17,330	.....	...
Wilcannia	.....	.....	107	91	247	‡445	303	¶
Windsor	6,500	.....	680	...	163	7,343	.....	7
Wingham	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...
Wollongong	8,000	.....	899	...	33	8,932	.....	7
Yass	7,500	.....	484	...	128	8,112	.....	8
Young	9,500	3,616	.....	...	74	13,190	.....	...
Total Country ...	564,541	32,932	52,202	1,408	27,861	678,944‡	13,439	...
,, Metropolitan ..	2,130,096	.....	144,884	1,602	29,100	2,305,682‡	1,368	...
Grand Total ...	2,694,637	32,932	197,086	3,010	56,961	2,984,626‡	14,807	...

* See table No. 14, page 42. † Including interest accrued on loans and overdrafts, the proportion of annual liability for waterworks, and arrears (if any) of annual payments. ‡ In addition to annual liability quoted in following column. § For particulars of dates, &c., see Table 18, page 50. ‖ 1st February, 1897. ¶ No information.

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No. 14.—Municipal Loans current 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Amount at— 3½ and under 4 per cent.	4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent.	7 per cent. and over.	Total Amount of Loans. New South Wales.	London.	Total.
METROPOLITAN—		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
*Sydney	d	150,000	910,000	200,000	150,000	.....	300,000	1,110,000	1,410,000
Suburbs—									
Alexandria... ...	d	.....	5,000	7,000	5,000	.....	17,000	.....	17,000
Annandale... ...	d	.....	.....	8,375	3,500	.....	7,375	4,500	11,875
Ashfield	d	.....	11,300	.....	.....	.....	4,000	11,300	15,300
"	m	.....	4,000						
Balmain	d	.....	.....	63,000	.....	.....	4,000	59,000	63,000
Botany	d	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Botany, North ...	d	.....	.....	4,500	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500
Burwood	d	.....	5,000	.....	20,000	.....	25,000	.....	25,000
Camperdown ...	d	.....	.....	1,500	15,500	.....	17,000	.....	17,000
Canterbury ...	m	.....	.....	9,000	.....	.....	9,000	.....	9,000
Concord	d	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
Drummoyne ...	d	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Enfield	d	.....	.....	4,000	.....	.....	4,970	.....	4,970
"	m	.....	.....	970	.....	.....			
Erskineville ...	m	.....	.....	5,000	1,000	.....	10,000	.....	10,000
" ...	d	.....	.....	4,000	.....	.....			
†Five Dock	d	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	7,500	.....	7,500
"	m	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....			
Glebe	d	.....	2,500	10,000	10,000	.....	36,779	.....	36,779
"	b	.....	14,279	.....	.....	.....			
Hunter's Hill ...	d	.....	.....	7,000	.....	‡1,937	8,937	.....	8,937
Hurstville	d	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
Lane Cove	d	.....	2,800	.....	.....	.....	2,800	.....	2,800
Leichhardt... ...	m	.....	.....	12,920	.....	.....	39,045	.....	39,045
"	d	.....	.....	15,625	10,500	.....			
Manly	d	.....	.....	7,000	4,000	.....	16,000	.....	16,000
"	b	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....			
Marrickville ...	d	.....	30,000	.....	.....	.....	30,000	.....	30,000
Mosman	d	.....	6,200	.....	.....	.....	6,200	.....	6,200
Newtown	d	.....	6,000	30,000	.....	.....	12,000	24,000	36,000
North Sydney ...	d	.....	35,000	19,000	2,150	.....	58,150	.....	58,150
" ...	m	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....			
Paddington ...	m	.....	.....	11,400	.....	.....	28,400	40,000	68,400
" ...	d	.....	45,000	.....	2,000	10,000			
Petersham... ...	d	.....	4,000	10,000	.....	.....	18,500	.....	18,500
"	m	.....	4,500	.....	.....	.....			
Randwick	m	.....	.....	25,000	.....	.....	30,000	.....	30,000
"	d	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....			
Redfern	d	.....	19,500	18,900	.....	.....	18,900	19,500	38,400
Rockdale	m	.....	.....	6,740	.....	.....	16,740	.....	16,740
"	d	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....			
Ryde	d	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
St. Peters	d	.....	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....	10,000	10,000
Strathfield	d	.....	.....	2,500	4,000	.....	6,500	.....	6,500
Vaucluse	m	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	500	.....	500
Waterloo	d	.....	.....	.....	17,000	.....	17,000	.....	17,000
Waverley	md	.....	.....	.....	50,000	.....	50,000	.....	50,000
Willoughby ...	d	.....	4,200	8,000	.....	.....	12,200	.....	12,200
Woollahra... ...	d	.....	2,000	6,800	.....	.....	8,800	.....	8,800
Total Suburbs ...		2,000	201,279	342,230	162,650	11,937	551,796	168,300	720,096
Total Metropolitan ...		152,000	1,111,279	542,230	312,650	11,937	851,796	1,278,300	2,130,096

* On 31st December, 1897. † 12th October, 1898. ‡ Interest nominally 7 per cent., but includes sinking fund equal to about 2 per cent.

No. 14.—Municipal Loans current 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Amount at—					Total Amount of Loans.		
		3½ and under 4 per cent.	4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent.	7 per cent. and over.	New South Wales.	London.	Total.
COUNTRY—		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Adamstown ...	d	.....	.....	2,000	1,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000
Armidale	d	.....	.....	.....	18,450	.....	18,450	.....	18,450
Auburn	d	.....	.....	1,000	2,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000
Ballina	m	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
Bathurst	d	.....	.....	.....	12,000	.....	.....	12,000	12,000
Bega	md	.....	.....	.....	8,000	.....	8,000	.....	8,000
Berry	m	.....	.....	2,300	.....	.....	2,300	.....	2,300
Blayney	m	.....	.....	.....	2,400	.....	2,400	.....	2,400
Bombala	d	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000
Bourke	d	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,500	7,500	.....	7,500
Bowral	d	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	12,000	.....	12,000
,, ...	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000			
,, ...	b	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....			
Braidwood	d	.....	850	.....	.....	.....	850	.....	850
Broken Hill ...	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	5,000	.....	5,000
Broughton Vale ...	m	.....	.....	350	.....	.....	350	.....	350
Camden	m	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	700	.....	700
Campbelltown ...	m	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	1,700	.....	1,700
,, ...	d	.....	.....	.....	600	.....			
Carrington... ...	d	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....	4,500
*Casino	m	.....	.....	.....	4,000	.....	4,000	.....	†4,000
Coonamble... ...	m	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000
Cootamundra ...	d	.....	.....	.....	9,988	1,012	11,000	.....	11,000
Cowra... ...	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	89	89	.....	89
Cudgegong... ...	m	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
Deniliquin	m	.....	3,700	.....	.....	.....	3,700	.....	3,700
Dubbo	d	.....	.....	.....	15,000	.....	15,000	.....	15,000
Forbes	m	.....	.....	.....	1,912	.....	1,912	.....	1,912
Glen Innes ...	d	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	14,000	.....	14,000
,, ...	md	.....	.....	.....	9,000	.....			
Goulburn	d	.....	.....	.....	10,000	.....	10,000	.....	10,000
Grafton	d	.....	3,539	.....	2,000	.....	5,539	.....	5,539
Granville	m	.....	.....	1,200	.....	.....	16,200	.....	16,200
,, ...	d	.....	15,000	.....	.....	.....			
Grenfell	m	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	400
Gulgong	m	.....	.....	.....	2,000	700	2,700	.....	2,700
Gundagai	d	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000
Gunnedah	m	.....	.....	.....	1,523	.....	1,523	.....	1,523
Hamilton	d	.....	.....	200	8,100	.....	8,300	.....	8,300
Hay	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,600	2,600	.....	2,600
Illawarra, Central...	d	.....	5,000	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Illawarra, North ...	d	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,219	.....	2,219
,, ...	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	219			
Inverell	d	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
‡Jamberoo	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,407	1,407	.....	1,407
Katoomba	d	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Kiama	m	.....	.....	3,321	.....	.....	3,321	... ..	3,321
Lambton	d	.....	.....	.....	3,000	8,600	11,600	.....	11,600
Lambton, New ...	d	.....	.....	400	... ..	.....	400	... ..	400
Lismore	m	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	12,000	.....	12,000
,, ...	d	.....	10,000	.....	.....	.....			

* 1st February, 1897. † £4,500 on 2nd August, 1897. ‡ 3rd February, 1896.

No. 14.—Municipal Loans current 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Mortgage, Debentures, or Bond.	Amount at—					Total Amount of Loans.		
		3½ and under 4 per cent.	4 and under 5 per cent.	5 and under 6 per cent.	6 and under 7 per cent	7 per cent. and over.	New South Wales.	London.	Total.
COUNTRY—*continued.*		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Lithgow	m	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
*Liverpool	m	.....	.....	.....	12,000	.....	12,000	.....	12,000
Maitland, East ...	m	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
Maitland, West ...	d	.....	.....	21,000	.....	.....	21,000	.....	21,000
Merewether ...	d	.....	.....	.....	4,500	1,000	5,500	.....	5,500
Mittagong	d	.....	.....	1,600	.....	.....	1,600	.....	1,600
Molong	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	} 5,100	.....	5,100
,, ...	d	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....			
Moss Vale	d	.....	.....	1,500	2,000	.....	3,500	.....	3,500
Mudgee	md	.....	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Mulgoa	d	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	600	.....	600
Murrumburrah ...	d	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
Murrurundi ..	m	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	500	.....	500
Musclebrook ...	m	.....	.....	.....	4,500	.....	4,500	.....	4,500
*Narrabri	m	.....	.....	.....	3,000	.....	3,000	.....	3,000
Narrandera ...	d	.....	.....	7,858	.....	.....	†7,858	.....	7,858
Newcastle	d	.....	22,400	35,000	.....	.....	‡17,000	40,400	57,400
Nyngan	m	.....	.....	.....	1,307	.....	1,307	.....	1,307
Orange	d	.....	.....	2,000	.....	.....	2,000	.....	} 23,437
,, ...	m	.....	.....	21,437	.....	.....	.....	21,437	
Parramatta ...	d	.....	.....	14,600	42,000	.....	56,600	.....	56,600
Penrith	d	.....	.....	20,000	3,000	.....	23,000	.....	23,000
Plattsburg	d	.....	.....	.....	1,000	1,350	2,350	.....	2,350
Prospect & Sherwood	d	.....	.....	5,000	1,000	.....	6,000	.....	6,000
Queanbeyan ...	m	.....	.....	.....	1,100	.....	1,100	.....	1,100
Quirindi	m	.....	.....	300	.....	.....	300	.....	300
Raymond Terrace ...	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	1,500	.....	1,500
Richmond	m	.....	.....	900	.....	49	949	.....	949
Rookwood	m	.....	.....	1,000	.....	116	1,116	.....	1,116
Scone	d	.....	.....	600	114	.....	714	.....	714
Shellharbour ...	m	.....	.....	1,000	300	.....	1,300	.....	1,300
Shoalhaven, South...	m	.....	.....	1,800	.....	.....	1,800	.....	1,800
Singleton, South ...	d	.....	.....	.....	400	600	1,000	.....	1,000
Stockton	d	.....	.....	.....	4,400	.....	4,400	.....	4,400
Tamworth	d	.....	.....	5,000	.....	.....	5,000	.....	5,000
Tenterfield... ...	d	.....	.....	.....	1,000	.....	1,000	.....	1,000
Tumut	m	.....	.....	.....	903	.....	903	.....	903
Ulladulla	m	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,261	2,261	.....	2,261
Wagga Wagga ...	m	.....	.....	1,085	.....	.....	} 19,285	.....	19,285
,, ,, ...	d	.....	.....	18,200	.....	.....			
Walcha	m	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	500	.....	500
Wallsend	d	.....	.....	.....	.....	717	717	.....	717
Waratah	d	.....	1,000	5,500	9,000	.....	15,500	.....	15,500
Wickham	d	.....	.....	1,600	12,900	2,600	17,100	.....	17,100
Windsor	m	.....	.....	6,500	.....	.....	6,500	.....	6,500
Wollongong ...	d	.....	.....	8,000	.....	.....	8,000	.....	8,000
Yass	d	.....	.....	.....	7,500	.....	7,500	.....	7,500
Young	d	.....	.....	9,500	.....	.....	} 7,116	6,000	13,116
,, ...	md	.....	.....	3,616	.....	.....			
Total Country ...	...	.....	66,889	214,567	277,097	38,920	517,636	79,837	597,473
Total Metropolitan ...	...	152,000	1,111,279	542,230	312,650	11,937	851,796	1,278,300	2,130,096
Grand Total... ...	...	152,000	1,178,168	756,797	589,747	50,857	1,369,432	1,358,137	2,727,569

* 1st February, 1897. † Victoria. ‡ Including Victoria, £10,000.

NOTE.—Sinking Funds amounted to £256,742 on 31st January, 1898—see table No. 12, page 30—and, in addition, some loans were being paid off by regular instalments, which covered interest; the payments thus made are included with interest in table No. 11, page 22.

No. 15.—Loans of Municipalities current 31st January, 1898: Amounts raised in London and in Colony, with rates of Interest payable.

Rate per cent.	Raised in New South Wales.			Raised in London.			Total.		
	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3½	150,000	... ..	150,000	.....	.....	.....	150,000	... ..	150,000
3¾	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	.....	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
4	47,700	5,000	52,700	969,500	5,400	974,900	1,017,200	10,400	1,027,600
4½	82,779	*41,089	123,868	11,300	.....	11,300	94,079	41,089	135,168
4⅔	.....	15,000	15,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000	15,000
4⅞	.....	400	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	400
5	183,410	†110,358	293,768	214,500	56,437	270,937	397,910	166,795	564,705
5¼	5,000	7,000	12,000	.....	.....	.....	5,000	7,000	12,000
5½	56,320	32,772	89,092	83,000	6,000	89,000	139,320	38,772	178,092
5⅞	.....	2,000	2,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	2,000
6	304,650	236,859	541,509	.....	12,000	12,000	304,650	248,859	553,509
6 7/10	.....	8,000	8,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,000	8,000
6½	8,000	20,238	28,238	.....	.....	.....	8,000	20,238	28,238
7	11,937	31,231	43,168	.....	.....	.....	11,937	31,231	43,168
7½	.....	7,600	7,600	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,600	7,600
8	.....	89	89	.....	.....	.....	.....	89	89
Total	851,796	‡517,636	1,369,432	1,278,300	79,837	1,358,137	2,130,096	597,473	2,727,569

* Including £10,000 raised in Victoria. † Including £7,858 raised in Victoria. ‡ Including £17,858 raised in Victoria.

NOTE.—In the above table the City of Sydney loans are made up to the 31st December, 1897.

No. 16.—Loans of Municipalities: Amounts maturing yearly.

Rate per cent.	Secured Overdrafts payable on demand.	Loans payable on demand or matured and not paid off.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904 and later.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
3½	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	150,000	150,000
3¾	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,000	2,000
4	.....	.....	6,000	4,500	...	...	10,000	1,000	1,006,100	1,027,600
4½	.....	4,000	2,500	11,000	3,000	10,550	8,000	11,300	84,818	135,168
4⅔	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	15,000	...	.....	15,000
4⅞	.....	.. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	400	400
5	.....	4,000	67,500	6,900	34,870	20,140	56,100	53,600	321,595	564,705
5¼	.....	.....	...	5,000	...	...	...	...	7,000	12,000
5½	8,522	16,920	24,000	21,200	18,000	...	4,000	3,000	82,450	178,092
5⅞	.....	.....	...	...	...	2,000	...	...	.....	2,000
6	114	41,550	23,500	43,600	36,500	146,900	118,007	53,788	89,550	553,509
6 7/10	.....	.....	4,000	4,000	...	...	...	...	.....	8,000
6½	8,338	8,000	1,400	...	3,500	...	3,900	...	3,100	28,238
7	8,369	6,300	8,512	1,600	...	10,000	2,000	...	6,387	43,168
7½	7,500	100	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	7,600
8	89	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	89
Total...	32,932	*80,870	137,412	97,800	95,870	189,590	217,007	122,688	1,753,400	2,727,569

* Including £17,000, dates of maturity unknown.

No. 17.—Municipal Roads and Streets, 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled.	Gravelled.	Ballasted.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained	Cleared only.	Natural Surface.	Total Length.	Approximate Value.*
	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	£
METROPOLITAN—									
Sydney	100	...	†15	2½	...	...	...	117½	1,308,400
Suburbs—									
Alexandria	5	...	7½	...	7½	...	½	20½	60,900
Annandale	3¾	...	4¼	3	...	3½	...	14½	31,100
‡Ashfield	31	...	...	4½	...	...	9	44½	81,800
Balmain	25¼	...	12	2	...	...	1	40¼	66,600
Botany	6½	...	3	½	...	½	8	18½	15,300
Botany, North... ...	7	...	1¾	...	...	...	19¼	28	10,700
Burwood	18	...	9½	3¼	¼	...	...	31	56,200
Camperdown	11½	...	...	2½	...	...	...	14	21,000
‡Canterbury	7¼	2¼	...	26½	10¼	10	7	63¼	21,000
Concord	8⅞	...	...	9¼	...	7⅛	1⅝	26⅞	14,100
Darlington	4¾	...	...	...	...	...	...	4¾	20,000
Drummoyne	...	4	...	3	2	...	1¾	10¾	9,400
Enfield	10½	...	...	11¾	...	2	...	24¼	11,400
Erskineville	5	...	1	⅜	...	...	...	6⅜	18,000
§Five Dock	6	...	...	6	...	2½	2	16½	5,500
Glebe	¶14⅝	...	6⅛	...	...	...	2⅜	23⅛	220,500
Hunter's Hill	10	...	...	16	14½	...	..	40½	19,400
Hurstville	10¼	...	16	16	20	38	10	110¼	25,400
Kogarah	6	...	10	10	...	5	29	60	27,300
Lane Cove	8½	7	1	3	...	3	13	35½	15,200
Leichhardt	1⅞	...	17	7⅞	...	5⅞	...	32⅝	74,000
Manly	16½	‖	‖	‖	‖	‖	‖	16½	33,500
Marrickville	74⅝	...	10	5	...	...	...	89⅝	210,300
Marsfield	4	...	½	6	6	4	2	22½	4,800
Mosman	3	1¾	7	4¼	6	5	2	29	23,200
Newtown	**18¼	...	5	½	...	...	...	23¾	91,500
North Sydney	25½	...	12	8½	5½	...	6¼	57¾	128,200
Paddington	††8¼	...	9½	½	...	...	...	18¼	102,500
Petersham	26	...	15	2	...	...	...	43	110,800
Randwick	6	...	37	...	...	...	40	83	144,200
Redfern	18¾	...	⅝	...	...	...	⅛	19½	111,200
Rockdale	20	...	...	7	23	...	15	65	25,300
Ryde	19	...	...	20	...	5	20	64	13,600
St. Peters	8	...	...	4	...	3	4	19	39,200
Strathfield	16¾	...	...	15½	...	4	4	40¼	27,100
Vaucluse	1¾	...	...	...	...	¾	1	3½	3,500
Waterloo	‡‡6⅞	...	8¾	...	...	...	1½	17⅛	64,000
‡Waverley	29	...	...	2½	...	...	22	53½	150,000
Willoughby	9½	2½	⅛	16¼	...	15½	15	58⅞	39,400
Woollahra	23	...	...	...	...	2	...	25	130,000
Total Suburbs ...	536⅜	17½	194⅝	217½	95	116¾	237⅜	1,415⅛	2,277,100
Total Metropolitan	§§636⅜	17½	209⅝	220	95	116¾	237⅜	1,532⅝	3,585,500

* Being the sum which would have to be expended to put roads in as good a condition as at present. The estimated value of the footpaths, kerbing, and guttering, &c., is included, but not that of the land occupied, which is roughly estimated to be worth £8,367,000. † Tar-paved. ‡ 1st February, 1897. § 4th February, 1895. ¶ Including 10 chains wood-blocked. ‖ No information. ** Including 1¼ miles wood-blocked. †† Including 1 mile wood-blocked. ‡‡ Including 43 chains wood-blocked. §§ Including 18 miles wood-blocked.

NOTE.—*City Streets.*—Included in total length are 15 miles wood-blocked, covering an area of 81 acres, laid at a cost of £494,000. The estimated total value includes £155,000 for footpaths, *i.e.*, flagged, £95,000, and tar-paved, £60,000.

No. 17.—Municipal Roads and Streets, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled.	Gravelled.	Ballasted.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained	Cleared only.	Natural Surface.	Total Length.	Approximate Value.*
COUNTRY—	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	£
Aberdeen	...	⅞	...	...	...	7⅞	...	8¾	1,300
Adamstown	...	4¾	...	1¾	...	...	2⅜	8⅞	6,700
Albury	11¼	3¼	...	30¼	...	7¾	18	70½	33,200
Armidale	10	10	...	10	6	...	16	52	36,000
Auburn	1½	1¼	4½	13¼	...	10	11	41½	10,600
Ballina	1	...	...	8	...	5	...	14	2,300
Balranald	2	...	...	1¾	...	43¼	...	47	5,800
Bankstown	1⅛	8¼	2½	16	...	14	†	42	7,100
Bathurst...	8⅜	4¾	...	9⅞	...	20	...	43	44,100
Bega	1	...	...	7	13	...	...	21	3,700
Berry	16	12	...	2	...	2	2	34	12,300
Bingara	4½	...	...	1	...	7½	5½	18½	5,000
Blayney	5	...	...	...	...	...	8	13	4,900
Bombala...	4	...	...	1⅜	...	1	...	6⅜	1,900
Bourke	2¼	2	...	5½	...	4½	1	15¼	15,500
Bowral	7⅝	...	⅝	4⅞	...	6½	...	19⅝	9,600
Braidwood	1½	1½	⅝	3⅜	3½	...	⅞	11⅜	4,000
Broken Hill	16½	...	...	2½	2⅞	97⅛	...	119	56,700
Broughton Vale... ...	4½	...	...	15	...	10	20	49½	5,500
Burrowa...	...	7⅝	...	8	...	3⅜	19½	38½	3,000
Cabramatta and Canley Vale..	½	7	...	8⅜	...	35	149	199⅞	5,600
Camden	16	...	...	11	6	...	2	35	16,500
Campbelltown	5¼	...	6½	20¾	8½	8	4	53	16,800
Carcoar	5	...	...	6	...	4	2	17	6,700
Carrington	5	...	1	1	...	...	6	13	18,700
Casino	7¼	5⅞	...	3	...	⅜	6	22½	11,400
Castlereagh	...	30	...	12	...	18	10	70	13,200
Cobar	†	†	†	†	†	†	45	45	12,000
Condobolin	1	2½	...	3½	3	9½	14	33½	5,700
Cooma	1¾	⅜	...	8	12	...	20¾	42⅞	8,300
Coonamble	...	6⅛	...	11⅝	...	4¾	...	22½	10,200
Cootamundra	½	8	...	1	...	8	1	18½	7,600
Coraki	1½	3	...	½	...	4	19½	28½	2,500
Cowra	1¼	⅛	...	2¼	4½	...	1	9⅛	3,700
Cudal	8½	⅝	...	1⅛	12¼	...	29	52	6,400
Cudgegong	21¼	67¼	...	84½	...	125	...	298	32,000
Deniliquin	6½	1	...	33	...	...	34½	75	19,000
Dubbo	1	7⅛	...	3⅝	...	1	...	12¾	15,600
Dundas	8½	...	...	3¾	...	4½	...	16¾	10,100
Dungog	...	2½	...	4	2	4	...	12½	7,300
Ermington and Rydalmere ..	5¼	½	3¼	3¾	...	2¼	...	15	9,300
Forbes	¼	4½	...	...	...	...	57	61¾	2,700
‡Gerringong	29	10	5	5	...	4	...	53	37,600
Glen Innes	43	2	½	42	10	30	77	204½	60,900
Gosford	4½	5	...	7	8	...	5	29½	9,200
Goulburn	2¾	...	9½	4¼	...	...	128½	145	34,500
Grafton	8½	...	...	15	...	3	...	26½	26,900
Grafton South	4	...	...	5	...	3	...	12	6,800
Granville	3⅝	1	8¾	24	18	...	5	60⅜	53,200
Grenfell	2¾	...	¼	⅞	11	...	...	14⅞	8,500

* Being the sum which would have to be expended to put roads in as good a condition as at present. The estimated value of the footpaths, kerbing, and guttering, &c., is included, but not that of the land occupied, which is roughly estimated to be worth £8,367,000. † No information. ‡ 3rd February, 1896.

No. 17.—Municipal Roads and Streets, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled.	Gravelled.	Ballasted.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained	Cleared only.	Natural Surface.	Total Length.	Approximate Value. *
COUNTRY—*continued.*	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	£
Greta	¼	2½	...	...	2½	...	13⅜	18⅝	2,000
Gulgong...	13	26	...	8	18	...	3	68	16,600
Gundagai	6¼	...	...	4	4	18	...	32¼	8,200
Gunnedah	3	1½	...	...	1	...	12	17½	5,000
Hamilton	5⅜	6⅛	...	1⅛	...	7⅛	...	19¾	22,700
Hay	3½	...	...	7⅝	5⅜	20	30⅛	66⅛	17,600
Hill End...	8¾	...	...	2	...	...	...	10¾	10,700
Hillston	¼	...	...	7	...	15	27¾	50	3,900
†Illawarra, Central ...	70	...	...	30	...	20	20	140	30,000
Illawarra, North ...	30	...	...	16	...	...	...	46	16,400
‡Ingleburn	...	...	...	...	...	¾	2	2¾	100
Inverell	72⅝	...	...	2	...	5¾	69⅝	150	35,800
†Jamberoo	35	5	2	14	...	½	...	56½	57,900
‡Jerilderie	1¾	...	...	8¾	...	...	20½	31	2,900
Junee	3	...	...	7⅝	...	11⅜	...	22	7,600
Katoomba	6	...	...	26	...	...	120	152	6,800
Kempsey	4	4	...	6	3	...	4	21	5,300
Kiama	4	...	...	...	13	...	...	17	5,300
Lambton	6¼	...	...	2	...	9	...	17¼	9,500
Lambton, New	2½	4½	...	1½	3½	...	52	64	8,500
Lismore	12½	...	...	13½	10	10	8	54	14,900
Lithgow	2	...	...	2⅝	...	1	¾	5⅞	8,000
‡Liverpool	3¼	16	2	4	...	57	16	98¼	22,600
Maclean	1½	...	...	6½	...	15¼	...	23¼	4,700
Maitland, East	7	15	...	4	2	2	...	30	38,300
Maitland, West... ...	1⅞	31¾	...	...	...	1¼	...	34⅞	41,600
Merewether	5½	7	...	3	...	...	1	16½	22,000
Mittagong	1⅛	...	...	10⅛	...	6¾	5½	23½	5,100
Moama	...	2⅝	...	15	40	...	49	106⅝	3,900
Molong	1½	2½	...	2	...	31	...	37	6,600
Moree	...	3	...	...	¼	8½	6⅞	18⅝	9,600
Morpeth...	2⅞	1¾	...	...	...	...	1⅝	6¼	7,300
Moruya	1	10	...	10	15	...	10	46	7,200
§Moss Vale	13	...	...	3	...	3	5	24	16,000
Mudgee	⅛	5½	...	¾	...	6¾	...	13⅛	9,500
Mulgoa	...	8	...	8	...	4	2	22	2,600
Murrumburrah	1¼	2¼	...	13¼	3¾	½	...	21	4,000
Murrurundi	⅜	2	½	1	2½	...	1	7⅜	2,900
Musclebrook	...	1½	...	...	5¼	...	2½	9¼	9,200
§Narrabri...	3½	...	...	5½	...	7	3	19	9,400
Narrabri, West... ...	...	⅝	...	...	2	4	1	7⅝	900
Narrandera	5	3½	...	...	...	14¾	...	23¼	12,600
Newcastle	14½	...	...	3½	...	7	...	25	86,500
Nowra	11⅞	...	...	3⅝	...	12½	2	30	10,800
Nyngan	½	...	...	8	8	10	16	42½	8,700
Orange	6	...	...	5	3	...	...	14	24,800
Orange, East	5	...	...	5	4	...	...	14	8,700
Parkes	7⅞	...	...	29	⅛	5½	11	53½	6,900
Parramatta	12½	...	30	10	47	...	10	109½	73,100
Peak Hill	...	⅝	...	...	...	6	...	6⅝	

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No. 17.—Municipal Roads and Streets, 31st January, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Metalled.	Gravelled.	Ballasted.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained	Cleared only.	Natural Surface.	Total Length.	Approximate Value. *
COUNTRY—*continued.*	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	miles.	£
Penrith	8	28	...	...	...	33	8	77	17,000
Picton	1	1	½	2	...	1½	3	9	2,300
Plattsburg	5⅝	1¼	...	1¾	1⅝	½	...	10¾	12,000
Port Macquarie	...	...	...	7	9	1	6	23	6,000
†Prospect and Sherwood	5½	20	...	25	...	40	40	130½	13,000
Queanbeyan	2	¾	...	4¼	1½	...	1¾	10¼	2,600
Quirindi	...	½	...	¼	...	19	...	19¾	2,200
Raymond Terrace ...	3	...	...	⅝	...	4⅞	...	8½	5,800
Richmond	1½	5½	...	...	...	...	½	7½	4,700
Rookwood	2	...	4½	10	13	...	6	35½	7,900
Scone	...	2	...	1½	...	2¼	...	5¾	2,200
Shellharbour	46	...	...	10	...	...	...	56	20,500
Shoalhaven, South ...	24	...	...	19	...	8	2	53	18,300
†Silverton	7¼	...	...	...	...	...	2¾	10	3,000
Singleton	...	9½	...	¼	...	...	...	9¾	7,300
Singleton, South ...	...	4¼	...	...	...	...	¼	4½	3,800
Smithfield and Fairfield	¼	8½	...	15	...	36	4¼	64	5,400
‡St. Mary's	3½	1	...	17½	...	20½	...	42½	4,700
Stockton	7⅞	...	...	...	...	2⅞	...	10¾	13,400
Tamworth	11⅝	...	...	3⅝	...	7⅞	⅝	23¼	28,100
Taree	2¼	...	...	¼	¼	¼	2½	5½	2,800
Temora	1½	¾	...	⅝	11⅞	1⅞	...	16⅝	3,100
Tenterfield	19	...	...	26	...	11	50	106	13,900
Tumut	3½	1⅞	⅞	1⅛	⅞	10	1¼	19½	8,100
Ulladulla	14	...	...	19	8	2	25	68	18,700
Ulmarra	7	...	...	50	30	...	33	120	6,600
Uralla	½	⅜	...	1⅞	¾	1½	4½	9½	7,700
Wagga Wagga	11⅜	2⅝	¼	3⅜	...	21⅛	13¼	52⅝	34,900
Walcha	...	4¾	...	2½	10¼	...	...	17½	2,700
Wallendbeen	...	4	...	50	...	92	105	251	6,700
Wallsend	5	...	...	2	...	1	...	8	9,400
Waratah	4¼	2¼	8⅝	6⅛	4½	...	15	40¾	16,200
Warren	...	⅜	...	⅞	...	3½	2½	7¼	3,800
Wellington	...	4⅜	...	...	...	25⅝	...	30	3,500
Wentworth	¾	...	...	6½	...	1¾	...	9	1,500
Wickham	...	8¾	...	1	1¾	...	1½	13	27,000
Wilcannia	1¼	...	...	1½	1½	3	5¼	12½	4,500
Windsor	2	5	...	4	4	...	4	19	10,900
Wingham	...	2¾	...	4	...	4	¼	11	2,100
Wollongong	22	...	...	6	...	...	...	28	16,300
Yass	...	...	...	10	15	7	5	37	6,900
Young	5	3	...	7	...	19	1	35	11,200
Total Country ...	917⅞	507¼	92¼	1,098⅞	428¼	1,211	‖1591¼	‖5,846¾	1,898,600
Total Metropolitan ...	§636⅜	17½	209⅝	220	95	116¾	‖237⅜	‖1,532⅝	3,585,500
Grand Total	§1,554¼	524¾	301⅞	1,318⅞	523¼	1,327¾	‖1828⅝	‖7,379⅜	5,484,100

* Being the sum which would have to be expended to put roads in as good a condition as at present. The estimated value of the footpaths, kerbing and guttering, &c., is included, but not that of the land occupied, which is roughly estimated to be worth £8,367,000. † 3rd Feb., 1896. ‡ 1st Feb., 1897. § Including 18 miles wood-blocked. ‖ Some natural surface roads are not included in totals owing to the lengths being unknown.

NOTE.—The figures in the above table are, as far as can be ascertained, exclusive of the lengths and values of the Government roads which run through the municipalities.

No. 18.—Waterworks constructed under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts to 30th June, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure on Works.	Interest on Expenditure.	Total Expenditure and Interest.	Repaid by Council.	Remission by Government.	Net Debt.	Amount payable annually.	Repayable from.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
Manly	37,820	.....	37,820	.....	.....	37,820	1,368	31 Dec., 1892
Albury	45,186	12,058	57,244	654	15,590	41,000	1,483	31 „ 1894
Armidale... ...	36,816	3,748	40,564	147	.....	40,417	1,462	30 June, 1898
Balranald ...	7,963	1,420	9,383	.....	3,383	6,000	217	31 Dec., 1893
Bathurst... ...	53,876	15,382	69,258	238	14,020	55,000	1,989	31 „ 1894
Bourke	14,336	2,972	17,308	.....	3,872	13,436	486	31 „ 1893
Coonamble ...	6,346	600	6,946	204	.....	6,742	*244	30 June, 1898
Cootamundra ...	11,645	895	12,540	.....	1,644	10,896	394	31 Dec., 1894
Deniliquin ...	18,168	5,830	23,998	2,260	3,270	18,468	668	31 „ 1893
Dubbo	13,986	1,252	15,238	.....	.....	15,238	551	30 June, 1896
Forbes	8,013	1,402	9,415	1,457	.....	7,958	288	31 Dec., 1893
Goulburn ...	55,184	15,851	71,035	3,774	12,261	55,000	1,989	31 „ 1894
Hay	7,072	1,269	8,341	650	.....	7,691	278	31 „ 1893
Jerilderie ...	6,405	175	6,580	.....	1,151	5,429	196	31 „ 1894
Lismore	9,396	1,579	10,975	684	275	10,016	362	31 „ 1893
Lithgow	12,068	681	12,749	.....	.....	12,749	461	30 June, 1896
Moama	6,525	1,128	7,653	52	.....	7,601	275	31 Dec., 1897
Moss Vale ...	16,349	2,452	18,801	1,449	4,352	13,000	470	30 June, 1898
Nowra	11,532	1,061	12,593	.....	.....	12,593	455	30 „ 1896
Nyngan	10,731	1,023	11,754	326	2,428	9,000	325	31 Dec., 1896
Orange	30,942	4,770	35,712	759	2,265	32,688	1,182	31 „ 1893
Wagga Wagga ...	37,272	11,046	48,318	5,110	4,708	38,500	1,392	31 „ 1893
Wentworth ...	9,665	1,874	11,539	60	7,479	4,000	145	31 „ 1893
Wilcannia ...	8,000	1,588	9,588	1,207	.....	8,381	303	31 „ 1894
Total ...	475,296	90,056	565,352	19,031	76,698	469,623	16,983	.....

*In addition to this amount an annual sum of £53 11s. is payable for water supplied from a Government artesian bore.

Water Supply of Country Towns.—The Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage Act and Amending Acts provide for the construction by the Government of waterworks and sewerage systems in municipalities which are outside the areas served by the Metropolitan and Hunter River Water Supply and Sewerage Boards. The cost becomes a charge against the municipality, carrying interest at the rate of 3½ per cent., and repayable by annual payments over a period of not more than 100 years. Under special circumstances, the Government may remit part of the cost.

Though the Manly works were constructed under the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Act of 1880, the more favourable terms of the Country Towns Act of 1894 were extended to them; hence their inclusion in this table.

At Forbes, Hay, and Wilcannia the works were constructed under the supervision of the Municipal authorities, and the expenditure shown in the table is not the actual cost of the works, but the Government valuation.

Richmond has also constructed waterworks under the Act, but the control was subsequently transferred to the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage. (See Table 34, page 60.)

Campbelltown and Liverpool have each a separate water supply drawn from the main canal, particulars of which will be found in Tables Nos. 32 and 33, page 60.

In addition to the above, there are sixteen districts which are supplied by the Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board. Information with respect to this Board to 30th June, 1898, will be found in table No. 35, page 61.

The municipal districts of Broken Hill and Silverton are supplied with water from works situated at Stephen's Creek which were constructed by a private company under a special Act passed in 1888.

No. 19.—Waterworks in course of construction under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Acts, 30th June, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.	Borough or Municipal District.	Expenditure.
	£		£
Condobolin	5,595	Parkes	32,092
*Cootamundra	7,724	Tamworth	44,669
Junee	43,014		
Mudgee	5,982	Total ... ... £	139,076

*Additions to existing works.

No. 20.—Waterworks constructed by Municipalities to 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Length of Mains and Reticulation.	Value of Works.	Borough or Municipal District.	Length of Mains and Reticulation.	Value of Works.
	m. ch.	£		m. ch.	£
Mudgee	*	1,500	Singleton	0 24	600
Narrandera	5 40	7,980	Windsor	6 19	6,500
Parramatta	24 30	40,000			
Penrith	12 0	9,000			
†Silverton	0 50	250	Total ... £	.....	65,830

* No information. † 1st February, 1897.

No. 21.—Sewerage constructed by Municipalities to 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Length.	Value.	Borough or Municipal District.	Length.	Value.
	m. ch.	£		m. ch.	£
Annandale	3 7	2,334	Coonamble	0 8	80
†Ashfield	1 16	6,094	Goulburn	*	1,420
Balmain	2 0	2,000	Hay	1 0	1,000
Burwood	0 56	2,400	Murrumburrah ...	0 6	115
Camperdown	*	5,161	Newcastle	*	18,026
Glebe	12 19	16,217	Richmond	0 18	1,000
Leichhardt	*	4,500	Singleton	1 0	1,000
North Sydney	7 30	4,850	Stockton	*	182
Petersham	1 16	4,752	Wagga Wagga... ...	0 33	534
Strathfield	*	616	Wentworth	0 20	165
Waterloo	*	4,000	Wickham	0 60	700
Willoughby	*	100			
†Casino	0 35	900	Total ... £	.....	78,146

* No information. † 1st February, 1897.

No. 22.—Municipal Gasworks, 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Value of Plant.	Borough or Municipal District.	Value of Plant.
	£		£
Armidale	12,000	Maitland, East	10,000
Bathurst	21,716	Molong	4,500
*Bega	8,000	Musclebrook	4,500
Bowral	7,400	Orange	13,000
Cootamundra	7,414	Wagga Wagga	17,823
Dubbo	10,000	Waratah	9,805
Glen Innes	6,800	Yass	7,200
Lismore	7,000		
Lithgow	6,000	Total ... ... £	160,158
†Liverpool	7,000		

* 1st August, 1898. † 1st February, 1897.

No. 23.—Municipal Electric Lighting Plant, 31st January, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Value of Plant.	Borough or Municipal District.	Value of Plant.
	£		£
Redfern	19,000	Tamworth	3,200
Lambton	7,000	Young	8,500
Newcastle	10,000		
Penrith	9,000	Total ... ... £	56,700

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1898.

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors entitled to Vote.	Wards.		Electors entitled to Vote in contested Wards.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Total Number of Aldermen.
			In Municipality.	Election contested in.				
METROPOLITAN—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
*Sydney	22,428	22,428	8	5	18,064	†	10,399	24
Suburbs—								
Alexandria	‡1,361	900	4	1	267	198	337	12
Annandale	‡1,194	977	1	1	977	559	1,068	12
§Ashfield	3,572	2,176	3	2	†	675	1,448	9
Balmain	6,950	5,200	4	1	2,199	590	1,207	12
Botany	1,140	†	3	1	170	70	89	9
Botany, North	1,141	†	3	2	281	252	363	9
Burwood	‡1,220	1,200	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Camperdown	1,663	†	3	1	†	†	†	9
§Canterbury	1,785	616	3	2	†	304	440	9
Concord	729	336	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Darlington	‡420	385	1	.....	... ..	...	...	9
Drummoyne	786	†	3	2	†	310	575	9
Enfield	933	403	3	1	149	88	125	9
Erskineville	‡694	579	3	2	361	215	374	9
‖Five Dock	‡369	†	2	.....	.....	...	...	6
Glebe	‡1,902	1,764	4	1	307	180	394	12
Hunter's Hill	‡613	†	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Hurstville	3,137	1,789	3	3	†	853	997	9
Kogarah	1,871	†	3	2	†	†	†	9
Lane Cove	517	†	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Leichhardt	‡3,011	†	4	2	†	498	658	12
Manly	1,198	†	3	3	†	†	543	9
Marrickville	‡2,832	†	4	3	2,158	†	1,899	12
Marsfield	‡215	164	2	1	122	53	70	6
Mosman	1,225	1,067	3	2	769	353	643	9
Newtown	5,024	†	4	3	†	1,176	2,199	12
North Sydney	4,853	2,439	5	2	699	377	713	15
Paddington	4,671	1,594	4	2	914	578	1,007	12
Petersham	‡2,115	1,866	4	1	174	111	215	12
Randwick	‡2,150	1,800	4	1	320	†	211	12
Redfern	‡1,684	†	4	.....	.....	...	...	12
Rockdale	2,787	†	3	2	†	†	607	9
Ryde	‡743	†	3	2	555	249	423	9
St. Peter's	‡983	†	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Strathfield	856	†	3	1	331	†	191	9
Vaucluse	224	128	1	1	128	147	241	9
Waterloo	‡1,220	1,175	4	2	624	397	660	12
Waverley	¶3,177	†	4	§2	†	†	§1,131	12
Willoughby	§1,339	†	3	1	†	†	†	9
Woollahra	2,399	†	4	.....	.....	...	...	12
Total Suburbs	74,703	.....	123	53	.....	...	...	399
Total Metropolitan ...	97,131	.....	131	58	.....	...	...	423

*1st December, 1897. † No information. ‡ Ratepayers only. § February, 1897. ‖ February, 1895. ¶ February, 1896.

Municipal Elections.—In all municipalities, except the city of Sydney, elections are held in the month of February, the two auditors and one-third of the aldermen being elected annually. All ratepayers, whether male or female, are entitled to vote, property assessed at an annual value of, and under, £25 carrying one vote; £75, two votes; £150, three votes; and over £150, four votes. With a population between 500 and 1,000, a municipality may be divided into two wards; between 1,000 and 4,000, three wards; over 4,000, four wards. Undivided municipalities are set down as consisting of one ward.

In the city of Sydney the elections are held on the 1st December. Unlike those in the other incorporated districts, both owners and occupiers have the right of voting, but the payer of the rates is entitled to the cumulative vote

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors entitled to Vote.	Wards.		Electors entitled to Vote in contested Wards.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Total Number of Aldermen.
			In Municipality.	Election contested in.				
COUNTRY—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aberdeen	199	77	1	1	77	47	73	6
Adamstown	522	301	3	2	254	119	148	9
Albury	1,132	*	1	1	*	431	742	9
Armidale	†834	494	3	3	494	384	644	9
Auburn	1,592	*	3	2	*	141	183	9
Ballina	†258	*	1	1	*	51	78	9
Balranald	†183	46	1	1	46	*	58	6
Bankstown	881	*	1	1	*	98	208	6
Bathurst	2,068	889	4	1	281	184	351	12
Bega	556	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Berry	†324	264	1	1	264	133	255	9
Bingara	†149	85	1	1	85	55	105	6
Blayney	†194	*	1	1	*	113	491	9
Bombala	208	61	1	1	61	34	61	9
Bourke	794	377	3	3	377	220	421	9
Bowral	†438	399	3	1	161	55	95	9
Braidwood	†280	241	1	1	241	87	349	9
Broken Hill	†3,604	*	4	4	*	1,405	1,897	12
Broughton Vale	†102	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Burrowa	174	70	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Cabramatta & Canley Vale	1,399	422	2	1	164	*	44	6
Camden	285	260	1	1	260	154	327	9
Campbelltown	686	390	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Carcoar	†134	102	1	1	102	64	96	6
Carrington	612	417	1	1	417	238	329	9
Casino	335	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Castlereagh	320	97	1	1	97	68	158	6
Cobar	†700	455	1	1	455	178	332	9
Condobolin	232	161	1	1	161	80	246	6
Cooma	†335	197	1	1	197	110	204	9
Coonamble	240	168	1	1	168	82	186	9
Cootamundra	534	480	1	1	480	220	962	9
Coraki	180	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Cowra	†292	*	1	1	*	51	109	9
Cudal	†152	129	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Cudgegong	†441	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Deniliquin...	†605	165	3	3	165	151	283	9
Dubbo	1,104	463	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Dundas	254	127	2	1	66	50	87	6
Dungog	†248	149	1	1	149	106	263	6
Ermington and Rydalmere	†152	93	2	.....	.....	...	...	6
Forbes	914	400	1	1	400	204	344	9
‡Gerringong	†165	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Glen Innes	†567	*	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Gosford	269	130	2	.....	.....	...	...	6
Goulburn	†2,456	1,150	4	3	*	*	438	12
Grafton	†778	582	4	2	272	221	312	12
Grafton, South	176	143	1	1	143	98	126	6
Granville	2,162	1,280	4	1	360	70	98	12

* No information. † Ratepayers only. ‡ February, 1896.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors entitled to Vote.	Wards.		Electors entitled to Vote in contested Wards.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Total Number of Aldermen.
			In Municipality.	Election contested in.				
COUNTRY—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Grenfell	*237	133	1	1	133	69	214	6
Greta	387	208	1	1	208	94	115	9
Gulgong	435	204	1	1	204	171	722	9
Gundagai	301	138	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Gunnedah	380	252	1	1	252	†	263	9
Hamilton	1,525	640	4	1	175	112	171	12
Hay	600	185	3	3	185	119	269	9
Hill End	199	†	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Hillston	239	103	1	1	103	45	143	6
‡Illawarra, Central ...	670	†	3	1	†	126	281	9
Illawarra, North	*605	†	3	1	230	†	175	9
‡Ingleburn	*140	†	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Inverell	*539	†	3	1	†	31	56	9
§Jamberoo	*319	†	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
‡Jerilderie	*158	46	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Junee	580	†	3	2	†	124	183	9
Katoomba	*572	380	1	1	380	125	359	6
Kempsey	419	167	1	1	167	54	105	9
Kiama	*355	†	1	1	†	171	720	9
Lambton	624	247	1	1	247	88	331	9
Lambton, New	*322	277	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Lismore	*834	535	1	1	535	430	744	9
Lithgow	765	251	3	1	92	49	89	9
‡Liverpool	1,943	1,753	3	2	†	132	208	9
Maclean	306	129	1	1	129	84	352	9
Maitland, East	735	521	1	1	521	270	1,083	9
Maitland, West	1,582	1,200	1	1	1,200	652	3,024	12
Merewether	*721	612	4	1	186	40	44	12
Mittagong	*375	286	1	1	286	89	404	9
Moama	243	123	1	1	123	103	163	6
Molong	230	188	1	1	188	63	105	9
Moree	283	221	1	1	221	120	523	9
Morpeth	274	169	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Moruya	283	144	1	1	144	59	94	9
Moss Vale	*274	209	1	1	209	93	169	9
Mudgee	531	325	1	1	325	233	416	9
Mulgoa	150	118	1	1	118	47	72	6
Murrumburrah	*297	231	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Murrurundi	*224	†	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Musclebrook	386	370	1	1	370	114	185	9
‖Narrabri	600	†	3	2	†	†	320	9
Narrabri, West	*91	†	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Narrandera	466	182	3	2	96	62	101	9
Newcastle	3,001	2,280	4	1	756	402	755	12
Nowra	569	428	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Nyngan	177	144	1	1	144	72	167	9
Orange	1,492	926	3	1	263	†	213	9
Orange, East	*616	526	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Parkes	773	385	1	1	385	217	371	9

* Rate payers only. † No information. ‡ February, 1897. § February, 1896. ‖ February, 1895.

No. 24.—Municipal Elections, February, 1898—*continued.*

Borough or Municipal District.	Electors on the Rolls.	Electors Entitled to Vote.	Wards.		Electors entitled to Vote in contested Wards.	Electors Voting.	Votes Polled.	Total Number of Aldermen.
			In Municipality.	Election contested in.				
COUNTRY—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Parramatta	2,600	*	4	2	*	*	818	12
Peak Hill	331	144	1	1	144	95	336	9
Penrith	†782	*	3	2	498	*	229	9
Picton	218	184	1	1	184	131	213	9
Plattsburg	803	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Port Macquarie	260	113	1	1	113	81	112	9
Prospect and Sherwood ...	2,354	419	1	1	419	108	244	9
Queanbeyan	†268	92	1	1	92	68	102	9
Quirindi	†267	249	1	1	249	*	460	9
Raymond Terrace ...	217	114	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Richmond	†242	241	1	1	241	98	160	9
Rookwood	1,209	627	3	2	524	*	264	9
Scone	†171	150	1	1	150	100	270	6
Shellharbour	†397	293	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Shoalhaven, South ...	†158	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
‡Silverton	†120	*	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Singleton	531	392	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Singleton, South	249	137	1	1	137	96	156	6
Smithfield and Fairfield...	†1,042	480	3	2	280	160	209	9
§St. Mary's	668	210	3	1	*	*	*	9
Stockton	†535	470	1	1	470	188	277	9
Tamworth...	†773	760	4	2	364	270	300	12
Taree	†125	113	1	1	113	98	323	6
Temora	425	196	1	1	196	*	*	9
Tenterfield	675	397	3	1	134	101	132	9
Tumut	350	152	1	1	152	79	138	9
Ulladulla	331	*	3	1	51	24	47	9
Ulmarra	271	209	3	2	176	93	172	9
Uralla	275	194	1	1	194	34	54	6
Wagga Wagga	†1,102	915	3	2	632	186	273	9
Walcha	166	147	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Wallendbeen	142	104	1	.....	.....	...	...	9
Wallsend	753	420	3	3	420	245	297	9
Waratah	†948	597	1	1	597	191	274	9
Warren	†232	166	1	1	166	76	391	9
Wellington	†406	304	1	1	304	219	334	9
Wentworth	199	90	1	.....	.....	...	...	6
Wickham	2,017	756	4	1	252	126	206	12
Wilcannia	467	75	1	1	75	69	338	9
Windsor	510	*	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Wingham	130	44	1	1	44	28	81	6
Wollongong	793	*	3	2	515	*	*	9
Yass	†439	*	3	.....	.....	...	...	9
Young	†455	335	1	1	335	169	337	9
Total Country ...	84,362	.....	253	136	.....	...	...	1,215
„ Metropolitan ...	97,131		131	58				423
Grand Total	181,493	.....	384	194	.....	...	...	1,638

* No information. † Ratepayers only. ‡ February, 1896. § February, 1897.

No. 25.—Municipal Association of New South Wales.

The Association was established in 1883, and its objects are: To watch over and protect the interests, rights and privileges of Municipal Corporations; to take action in relation to any subject affecting Municipal Bodies or Municipal legislation; and to promote the efficient carrying out of Municipal Government throughout the Colony. All Municipalities subscribing £3 3s. annually to the funds of the Association have the right to vote at meetings, and to participate in all the other advantages of membership as set out in the rules.

The Municipality of Sydney is not represented in the Association, chiefly because the administration of the civic affairs is regulated by a Special Act; the Mayor of Sydney, however, under the constitution of the Association, is President.

NUMBER OF SUBSCRIBING MUNICIPALITIES, 1883-98.

Year ended February.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Year ended February.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1883	23	40	63	1891	22	98	120
1884	26	40	66	1892	24	111	135
1885	26	53	79	1893	25	109	134
1886	22	63	85	1894	26	104	130
1887	18	64	82	1895	29	100	129
1888	23	66	89	1896	24	110	134
1889	27	79	106	1897	26	99	125
1890	26	87	113	1898	26	98	124

BALANCE-SHEET, 2ND FEBRUARY, 1897, TO 31ST AUGUST, 1898.

Receipts.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	Disbursements.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Balance brought forward ...	1,896 2 8		Legal opinions	.....	57 16 0
Subscriptions	620 11 6		Printing	.....	87 10 0
Interest on Fixed Deposit ...	72 15 5		Secretary's salary (18 months)	.....	225 0 0
Sale of Reports	3 7 3		Sessional Expenses—		
			Entertaining Representatives	30 18 4	
			Reporting Session ...	20 0 0	
			Attendant, Town Hall...	2 2 0	
					53 0 4
			Postage, exchange, stationery, &c.	.....	22 11 0
			Illuminated Address to Her Majesty the Queen ...	.....	21 0 0
			Balance—		
			Fixed Deposits, A.J.S. Bank	1,119 8 10	
			Fixed Deposits, Bank of Australasia	500 0 0	
			Current Account ...	506 10 8	
					2,125 19 6
£	2,592 16 10			£	2,592 16 10

Section II.—WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

No. 26.—Districts served by the Metropolitan Water Supply, 30th June, 1898.

District.	Length of Mains. *	Properties Liable.
Metropolitan—	miles.	No.
City of Sydney—		
Bourke Ward		
Brisbane Ward		
Cook Ward		
Denison Ward		
Fitzroy Ward	165·3	22,973
Gipps Ward		
Macquarie Ward		
Phillip Ward		
Suburbs—		
Alexandria ..	12·4	2,419
Annandale ..	10·5	1,046
Ashfield	35·6	3,460
Auburn	10·8	960
Balmain	37·3	7,094
Bankstown ..	1·8	15
Beecroft	5·5	†....
Botany	6·5	620
Burwood	24·5	1,910
Camperdown ..	10·1	1,657
Canterbury ..	12·2	775
Concord	14·2	774
Darlington ..	3·5	763
Drummoyne ..	9·1	922
Metropolitan—*contd.*		
Suburbs—*contd.*	miles.	No.
Enfield	10·5	730
Erskineville ..	5·9	1,401
Five Dock	9·6	387
Glebe	23·8	4,017
Granville	22·2	1,690
Hunter's Hill ..	11·5	627
Hurstville	31·6	1,497
Islands in harbour	1·1	24
Kogarah	16·4	1,102
Lane Cove	9·3	528
Leichhardt ..	35·8	4,093
Marrickville ..	36·4	4,416
Mosman	16·9	1,502
Newtown	27·3	4,999
North Botany ..	9·3	743
North Sydney ..	37·7	5,264
Paddington ..	28·7	4,463
Parramatta ..	0·5	20
Petersham ..	29·6	3,282
Randwick	32·9	2,219
Redfern	26·3	4,797
Rockdale	26·8	2,190
Rookwood and Silver Water ..	13·1	660
Metropolitan—*contd.*		
Suburbs—*contd.*	miles.	No.
Ryde	8·7	441
St. Peter's	10·7	1,578
Strathfield and Flemington ..	17·7	1,086
Waterloo	14·6	2,247
Waverley	23·0	2,893
Willoughby ..	22·6	1,362
Woollahra and Vaucluse ..	27·3	2,888
Country—		
Campbelltown ..	5·8	230
Gordon	28·1	1,329
Liverpool and Hoxton Park ..	13·5	521
Prospect and Sherwood	5·6	200
Guildford, Smithfield, and Fairfield	3·6	142
Total	1,003·7	111,856

* Exclusive of Trunk Mains and Reticulation which have become obsolete. † Included with Gordon.

NOTE.—Attached to the water-mains there are 1,858 screw-down Hydrants, and 18,740 ball Hydrants.

Charges for Water.—A rate of 7d. in the £ is levied in the City of Sydney and in the suburbs, with the exception of places beyond Chatswood, where the rate is 1s. ; the charge per meter is 1s. for 1,000 gallons, and 1s. 6d. beyond Chatswood.

No. 27.—Reservoirs, Metropolitan Water Supply, 30th June, 1898.

Situation.	Capacity.	Situation.	Capacity.	Situation.	Capacity.
	gallons.		gallons.		gallons.
Prospect	10,812,313,000	Petersham	2,157,000	Penshurst—	
Potts' Hill	100,000,000	Ryde	2,116,000	Steel	1,000,000
Centennial Park ..	17,936,000	Ryde Hill	1,000,000	Supplemental tank	22,800
Crown-street	3,250,000	Chatswood, No. 1 ..	1,500,000	Smithfield	100,000
Paddington	2,000,000	Chatswood, No. 2 ..	1,500,000	Wahroonga	40,000
Woollahra	1,000,000	Liverpool	4,000,000	do steel tank	1,000,000
Waverley	1,087,000	Ashfield	100,000	Total	10,952,121,800

No. 28.—Houses and Population served by the Metropolitan Water Supply, 1889–98.

Year.	Average Daily Supply.	Total Supply for period.	Houses Supplied.	Estimated Population Supplied.	Average Daily Supply during period.	
					Per House.	Per head of Population.
	gallons.	gallons.	No.	No.	gallons.	gallons.
1889	8,820,000	3,219,244,000	67,924	326,000	129	27·1
1890	8,486,000	3,097,402,000	71,501	343,200	118	24·7
1891	9,540,000	3,482,238,000	76,093	365,200	125	26·1
1892	12,129,000	4,439,274,000	78,926	378,900	153	32·0
1893	12,534,000	4,574,783,000	81,288	390,200	154	32·1
1894	13,739,000	5,014,689,000	83,621	401,400	164	34·2
*1896	16,645,000	9,194,922,000	85,059	408,300	196	40·8
†1897	17,659,000	6,445,655,000	87,190	418,500	202	42·2
†1898	18,284,000	6,673,514,000	89,749	434,800	204	42·0

* Eighteen months ended June. † Year ended June.

No. 29.—Revenue and Expenditure in connection with Metropolitan Water Supply, 1889–98.

Year.	Rates struck for the period.	Expenditure.							
		Working Expenditure.			Interest on Capital Debt—			Depreciation.	Total Expenditure.
		Maintenance.	Management.	Total.	On ordinary Loan Capital.	On Debentures (taken over from Municipalities).	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	138,923	20,386	16,182	36,568	101,477	4,150	105,627	2,447	144,642
1890	145,990	20,546	14,242	34,788	105,100	4,000	109,100	3,422	147,310
1891	165,831	23,571	14,685	38,256	107,981	4,000	111,981	3,917	154,154
1892	155,886	31,090	13,988	45,078	111,869	4,000	115,869	878	161,825
1893	157,427	23,343	13,798	37,141	115,187	4,000	119,187	2,512	158,840
1894	161,167	25,223	14,051	39,274	115,660	4,000	119,660	1,772	160,706
*1895	85,364	12,506	7,187	19,693	69,383	2,000	71,383	776	91,852
†1896	174,357	23,714	13,781	37,495	137,098	4,000	141,098	3,482	182,075
†1897	175,984	26,221	14,600	40,821	140,050	4,000	144,050	3,350	188,221
†1898	178,881	‡30,460	14,760	45,220	143,496	4,000	147,496	3,548	196,264

* Six months ended June. † Year ended June. ‡ Including £1,672 for repairing break at Cataract Dam.

No. 30.—Capital Cost and Net Return, Metropolitan Water Supply, 1889–98.

Year.	Rates struck for the period.	Working Expenditure.		Capital Cost.	Net Liabilities on which Interest is calculated by the Board.	
		Total.	Proportion to Revenue.		Amount.	Net Return after paying Working Expenses.
	£	£	per cent.	£	£	per cent.
1889	138,923	36,568	26·32	3,088,068	2,707,500	3·78
1890	145,990	34,788	23·82	3,189,080	2,808,412	3·96
1891	165,831	38,256	23·09	3,306,649	2,925,987	4·36
1892	155,886	45,078	28·91	3,394,581	3,013,919	3·68
1893	157,427	37,141	23·59	3,409,721	3,029,059	3·97
1894	161,167	39,274	24·36	3,440,614	3,059,957	3·98
*1895	85,364	19,693	23·06	4,078,979	3,698,323	3·54
†1896	174,357	37,495	21·50	4,154,261	3,776,879	3·62
†1897	175,984	40,821	23·19	4,244,550	3,867,168	3·50
†1898	178,881	45,220	25·28	4,327,543	3,950,161	3·38

*Six months ended June. †Year ended June.

Capital Cost and Net Liability.—The difference between these totals is mainly attributable to a sum of £377,382, representing expenditure by the City Council on water-works, afterwards taken over by the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, on which the Board does not calculate interest. As will be seen, this amount represents the exact difference for the last three years. The Royal Commission, appointed in 1897 to inquire into the working of the Board, recommended that the Government should, without delay, fix the amount of the capital debt on which the Board was to provide interest. If the Board had debited its account with interest on the full amount of the capital cost, the estimated expenditure would have been correspondingly greater, and the surpluses shown in Table No. 29 for the years 1891 and 1894 would have been converted into deficits, and the deficiencies of the other years increased.

Cost of Offices.—The amount of the capital debt set down for the last three years does not include £32,341, the proportion of the cost of offices chargeable to the Water Supply Branch; the Board charge working expenses with rent on the new offices.

No. 31.—Assets and Liabilities, Metropolitan Water Supply, 30th June, 1898.

Assets.		Liabilities.		
	£		£	£
Water Supply Works	3,111,786	Capital Cost—		
Lands and Buildings	196,163	Advanced by Treasury—		
Reservoirs	167,547	Loans, Works Department	3,123,311	
Mains	832,841	Do Board	746,850	
Machinery	35,932	Municipal Loans taken over	80,000	
Stores, Working Plant, and Tools ...	26,280	City Council Water Fund...	377,382	
Rates outstanding	30,766			4,327,543
Other assets	9,545	Rates overpaid		112
Balance of Revenue Account ...	4,074	Other liabilities		87,279
Total ... ... £	4,414,934	Total ... ... £		4,414,934

No. 32.—Campbelltown Water Supply.

Year.	Population supplied with Water.	Cost of Reticulation.	Annual Liability against Revenue.				Rates struck for the period.
			Instalment required to pay off cost of reticulation and interest in 100 years.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Charges for Water supplied from Canal, *i.e.*, 32 gals. per head per day at 3d. per 1,000 gallons.	Total.	
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	686	4,433	160	235	100	495	409
1892	748	4,433	160	222	110	492	357
1893	820	4,454	161	168	120	449	402
1894	844	4,457	161	172	123	456	398
*1895	853	4,457	81	79	62	222	191
†1896	877	4,502	163	150	128	441	384
†1897	901	4,741	171	176	131	478	387
†1898	926	4,741	171	176	135	482	400

*Six months ended June. †Year ended Junë.

No. 33.—Liverpool Water Supply.

Year.	Population supplied with Water.	Cost of Reticulation.	Annual Liability against Revenue.				Rates struck for the period.
			Instalment required to pay off cost of reticulation and interest in 100 years.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Charges for Water supplied from Canal, *i.e.*, 32 gals. per head per day at 3d. per 1,000 gallons.	Total.	
	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	1,244	11,885	430	134	182	746	237
1892	1,527	12,773	462	853	224	1,539	1,004
1893	1,661	12,997	470	313	242	1,025	957
1894	1,857	13,120	474	333	271	1,078	947
*1895	1,923	13,274	240	158	140	538	473
†1896	2,035	13,258	479	366	298	1,143	983
†1897	2,111	13,264	479	370	308	1,157	906
†1898	2,137	13,543	489	364	312	1,165	924

* Six months ended June. †Year ended June.

No. 34.—Richmond Water Supply.

Period.	Capital Cost.	Annual Liability against Revenue.			Rates struck for the period.
		Instalment required to pay off cost of works and interest in 100 years.	Maintenance (including proportion of Head Office Expenses).	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£
Seven months ended 31st December, 1893	12,340	446	315	761	400
Year ended 31st December, 1894	12,340	446	638	1,084	439
Six months ended 30th June, 1895	12,352	223	178	401	337
Year ended 30th June, 1896	12,480	451	529	980	547
" " 1897	12,637	457	383	840	658
" " 1898	12,658	458	417	875	677

NOTE.—These works were constructed under the Country Towns Water and Sewerage Act. The Municipal Council of Richmond administered the service till the 26th May, 1893, when it was temporarily transferred, pending legal powers, to the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage. The Board is much restricted in its management, as only premises owned by persons who have signed agreements to take the water can be rated. The accounts are kept separate from those of the Metropolitan Water Scheme.

No. 35.—Hunter District Water Supply.

DISTRICTS SERVED, 1897-98.

Adamstown.	Lambton, New.	Morpeth.	Waratah.
Carrington.	Maitland, East.	Newcastle.	Wickham.
Hamilton.	Maitland, West.	Plattsburg.	Minmi.
Lambton.	Merewether.	Wallsend.	Cockle Creek.

HOUSES AND POPULATION SUPPLIED, 1893-98.

Year ended June—	Average Daily Supply.	Total Supply for year.	Houses Supplied.	Estimated Population Supplied.	Average daily supply during year.	
					Per House.	Per head of Population.
	gallons.	gallons.	No.	No.	gallons.	gallons.
1893	451,000	164,617,000	3,421	17,100	132	26·4
1894	419,000	152,850,000	3,848	19,200	109	21·8
1895	518,000	189,084,000	4,660	23,300	111	22·2
1896	607,000	222,062,000	6,246	31,200	97	19·4
1897	731,000	266,980,000	6,931	34,700	105	21·1
1898	781,000	285,067,000	7,475	37,400	104	20·9

REVENUE, EXPENDITURE, AND ESTIMATED CAPITAL DEBT, 1893-98.

Year ended June—	Rates struck for the Year.	Expenditure.					Proportion of Expenditure to Revenue.	Interest on Estimated Capital Debt at 3½ per cent.	Total Expenditure and Interest for the Year.	Result of the Year's Operations.	Estimated Capital Debt at end of each year.	Actual Percentage returned on the estimated Capital Debt for the Year.
		Management Expenses.	Working Expenses.	Maintenance (actual only).	Instalment to the Sinking Fund for Reconstruction of Renewable Works.	Total.						
	£	£	£	£	£	£	per cent.	£	£	£	£	£
1893	22,651	4,314	3,728	355	...	8,397	37·07	14,154	22,551	(+) 100	404,407	3·52
1894	21,406	4,619	4,194	572	...	9,385	43·84	14,206	23,591	(—) 2,185	405,871	2·96
1895	20,367	4,576	4,066	379	...	9,021	44·29	14,446	23,467	(—) 3,100	412,732	2·75
1896	20,779	4,433	3,991	388	...	8,812	42·41	14,550	23,362	(—) 2,583	415,784	2·88
1897	22,518	4,383	4,211	409	...	9,003	39·98	14,981	23,984	(—) 1,466	428,025	3·16
1898	25,646	4,570	4,516	...	2,434	11,520	44·91	18,179	29,699	(—) 4,053	519,414	2·72

(+) Surplus. (—) Deficiency.

Maintenance.—The figures given above for the first five years represent only the actual expenditure. Under the new Act, which came into operation on the 1st July, 1897, it was enacted that proper provision should be made for the reconstruction of renewable works by setting aside a sum from each year's revenue to the credit of a sinking fund at the Treasury, from which fund the amounts expended from time to time for maintenance and renewals should be drawn. Had provision been made for the sinking funds for permanent and renewable works, as laid down by the Acts of 1892 and 1894, during the six years for which the figures are given above, the item for maintenance would have been represented by the instalment for each year, and the operations would have resulted in greater deficiencies than the amounts shown for the years 1894-7.

Capital Debt.—Under the 14th section of Amending Act, No. 14, of 1897, the Board are required to levy such rates (subject to a maximum of 1s. in the £) as shall be sufficient to provide for (a) interest on the capital debt at 3½ per cent. per annum, (b) management and working expenses, (c) the annual instalment to the sinking fund for the reconstruction of renewable works, and (d) the deficiency on the previous year's operations (if any). Under the 36th section of the Act, the Minister has to determine the capital indebtedness of the Board to the Government up to the 30th June, 1897, and thenceforward annually, but this has not yet been done. The figures given above are estimated.

No. 36.—Districts served by Metropolitan Sewerage, 30th June, 1898.

District.	Properties liable.	District.	Properties liable.	District.	Properties liable.
City of Sydney—	No.	Suburbs—	No.	Suburbs—*continued.*	No.
Bourke Ward ...	1,024	Alexandria	2,315	North Botany ...	4
Brisbane „ ...	1,216	Annandale	1,322	Paddington	4,346
Cook „ ...	6,134	Balmain	234	Petersham	549
Denison „ ...	4,076	Camperdown ...	1,310	Randwick	814
Fitzroy „ ...	3,624	Darlington	763	Redfern	4,797
Gipps „ ...	1,703	Erskineville ...	1,398	Waterloo	2,221
Macquarie „ ..	2,039	Glebe	3,211	Waverley	1,559
Phillip „ ...	2,611	Leichhardt	884	Woollahra	2,496
		Marrickville ...	73		
		Newtown	2,747	Total	53,470

Sewerage Rates.—In the City of Sydney and the Eastern Suburbs the rate levied is 7d. in the £, and 1s. in North Sydney and the Western Suburbs.

No. 37.—Houses connected and Population served, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-98.

Date.	Houses connected.	Estimated Population served.	Length of Sewers.	Length of Storm-water Drains.	Length of Ventilating Shafts.	Length of Sewers ventilated.
	No.	No.	miles.	miles.	feet.	miles.
*1890	22,765	109,300	122·03	3·15	12,639	14·50
*1891	26,884	129,000	148·02	4·38	47,628	70·74
*1892	31,402	150,700	172·94	6·62	49,089	79·25
*1893	36,062	173,100	182·34	9·10	50,239	81·43
*1894	39,965	191,800	201·95	9·82	54,405	92·50
†1896	44,462	213,400	230·20	14·42	87,505	182·50
†1897	47,593	228,400	255·76	18·41	99,397	210·00
†1898	51,425	257,100	320·25	20·59	124,201	270·00

* 31st December. † 30th June.

No. 38.—Revenue and Expenditure, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-98.

Year.	Rates struck for the period.	Expenditure.							
		Working Expenditure.			Interest on Capital Debt—			Depreciation.	Total Expenditure.
		Maintenance.	Management.	Total.	On ordinary Loan Capital.	On Debentures (taken over from Municipalities).	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1890	81,800	11,450	10,799	22,249	36,142	8,635	44,777	...	67,026
1891	81,302	15,624	9,787	25,411	39,675	6,820	46,495	...	71,906
1892	87,927	16,383	10,922	27,305	45,197	6,820	52,017	221	79,543
1893	93,661	17,605	9,487	27,092	50,864	6,820	57,684	587	85,363
1894	93,134	18,188	9,865	28,053	53,822	6,820	60,642	542	89,237
*1895	43,110	8,626	5,624	14,250	28,564	3,560	32,124	231	46,605
†1896	85,486	20,038	10,266	30,304	60,458	6,970	67,428	1,016	98,748
†1897	87,652	18,918	10,764	29,682	64,151	7,177	71,328	985	101,995
†1898	89,688	19,807	10,757	30,564	67,216	7,384	74,600	1,218	106,382

* Six months ended June. † Year ended June.

No. 39.—Capital Cost and Net Return, Metropolitan Sewerage, 1890-98.

Year.	Rates struck for the period.	Working Expenditure.		Capital Cost.	Net Liabilities on which Interest is calculated by the Board.	
		Total.	Proportion to Revenue.		Amount.	Net Return after paying Working Expenses.
	£	£	per cent.	£	£	per cent.
1890	81,800	22,249	27·19	1,281,045	1,177,614	5·06
1891	81,302	25,411	31·25	1,447,287	1,343,856	4·16
1892	87,927	27,305	31·05	1,606,948	1,503,517	4·03
1893	93,661	27,092	28·92	1,691,462	1,588,031	4·19
1894	93,134	28,053	30·12	1,745,120	1,641,689	3·97
*1895	43,110	14,250	33·05	1,831,611	1,728,180	3·34
†1896	85,486	30,304	35·44	1,892,256	1,788,825	3·09
†1897	87,652	29,682	33·86	2,018,120	1,914,689	3·02
†1898	89,688	30,564	34·07	2,116,306	2,012,875	2·93

* Six months ended June. † Year ended June.

NOTE.—It will be seen from the above statement that the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage does not calculate interest on the sum of £103,431, representing expenditure by the Government on Sewerage Works taken over by the Board. The Royal Commission appointed in 1897 to inquire into the working of the Board recommended that the Government should, without delay, fix the amount of the Capital Debt on which the Board was to provide interest. If the Board had debited its account with interest on the full amount of the Capital Cost, its expenditure would have been correspondingly greater, and the deficiencies for the last four periods disclosed in Table No. 38 would have been increased, while the surpluses for the first five years would have been reduced. See note to Table No. 30 in respect of cost of offices.

No. 40.—Assets and Liabilities, Metropolitan Sewerage, 30th June, 1898.

ASSETS.	£	LIABILITIES.	£	£
Sewerage Works	2,066,778	Capital Debt—		
Lands and buildings	36,569	Advanced by Treasury—		
Ventilating shafts	38,430	Loans—Works Department	1,227,027	
Working plant, tools, furniture, &c. .	6,559	Revenue—Works Department	103,431	
Rates outstanding	7,636	Loans—Board ...	487,038	
Other assets	3,145	Municipal loans taken over	298,810	
Balance of Revenue Account ...	3,045			2,116,306
		Rates overpaid		15
		Other liabilities		45,841
Total... ... ... £	2,162,162	Total ... ... £		2,162,162

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No. 1.—Total Shipping Trade, with average Tonnage per head of Population, 1889–98.

Year.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.	Tonnage.	Tons per head of Population.
1889	4,551,014	4·27	770,165	0·72	5,321,179	4·99
1890	4,150,762	3·77	611,110	0·55	4,761,872	4·32
1891	4,978,663	4·35	715,573	0·63	5,694,236	4·98
1892	4,857,397	4·11	789,787	0·67	5,647,184	4·78
1893	4,513,676	3·73	679,652	0·56	5,193,328	4·29
1894	4,809,550	3·89	929,004	0·75	5,738,554	4·64
1895	4,949,073	3·91	910,965	0·72	5,860,038	4·63
1896	5,207,277	4·04	982,483	0·76	6,189,760	4·80
1897	5,758,232	4·39	986,199	0·75	6,744,431	5·15
1898	5,879,688	4·40	1,040,240	0·78	6,919,928	5·18

No. 2.—Shipping Entered and Cleared, with Cargo and in Ballast, 1889–98.

Year.	Entered.					Cleared.				
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total Tonnage entered.	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total Tonnage cleared.
	Tonnage.	Per-centage of Ship-ping entered.	Tonnage.	Per-centage of Ship-ping entered.		Tonnage.	Per-centage of Ship-ping cleared.	Tonnage.	Per-centage of Ship-ping cleared.	
1889	1,927,814	73·24	704,267	26·76	2,632,081	2,623,200	97·55	65,898	2·45	2,689,098
1890	1,868,983	77·45	544,264	22·55	2,413,247	2,281,779	97·15	66,846	2·85	2,348,625
1891	2,189,281	77·58	632,617	22·42	2,821,898	2,789,382	97·11	82,956	2·89	2,872,338
1892	2,080,284	74·18	724,265	25·82	2,804,549	2,777,113	97·70	65,522	2·30	2,842,635
1893	1,969,182	76·02	621,189	23·98	2,590,371	2,544,494	97·75	58,463	2·25	2,602,957
1894	2,007,763	70·20	852,205	29·80	2,859,968	2,801,787	97·33	76,799	2·67	2,878,586
1895	2,076,945	70·89	852,813	29·11	2,929,758	2,872,128	98·01	58,152	1·99	2,930,280
1896	2,178,645	70·72	902,106	29·28	3,080,751	3,028,632	97·41	80,377	2·59	3,109,009
1897	2,425,949	72·81	905,928	27·19	3,331,877	3,332,283	97·65	80,271	2·35	3,412,554
1898	2,490,610	71·88	974,257	28·12	3,464,867	3,389,078	98·09	65,983	1·91	3,455,061

No. 3.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing

Nationality.	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
STEAM VESSELS.									
Australasian	1,780	1,342,357	48,320	401	447,589	9,984	2,181	1,789,946	58,304
United Kingdom	266	627,323	23,190	70	125,042	3,259	336	752,365	26,449
Other British Possessions	1	1,338	28	1	100	12	2	1,438	40
Foreign—									
American—United States	9	17,451	874	...	.....	...	9	17,451	874
Belgian	1	2,172	43	...	.....	...	1	2,172	43
Dutch	...	.....	...	2	2,640	108	2	2,640	108
French	42	88,117	6,388	3	2,286	117	45	90,403	6,505
New Caledonian	16	6,960	430	...	.....	...	16	6,960	430
German	26	92,177	2,226	1	1,469	26	27	93,646	2,252
Japanese	24	37,042	2,192	...	.....	...	24	37,042	2,192
Norwegian	2	2,446	36	1	2,117	26	3	4,563	62
Total	2,167	2,217,383	83,727	479	581,243	13,532	2,646	2,798,626	97,259
SAILING VESSELS.									
Australasian	152	42,288	1,231	22	9,940	206	174	52,228	1,437
United Kingdom	101	156,072	2,423	171	232,393	3,536	272	388,465	5,959
Other British Possessions	9	7,215	126	11	14,091	180	20	21,306	306
Foreign—									
American—Argentine Rep.	1	1,008	15	...	.....	...	1	1,008	15
Chilian	...	.....	...	5	5,768	72	5	5,768	72
Nicaraguan	1	593	10	...	.....	...	1	593	10
United States	33	27,933	389	24	24,420	311	57	52,353	700
Austrian	...	.....	...	4	4,591	75	4	4,591	75
Danish	4	3,299	56	5	3,804	67	9	7,103	123
Dutch	1	1,361	18	3	3,750	53	4	5,111	71
French	...	.....	...	7	10,643	164	7	10,643	164
German	8	8,790	130	20	26,697	344	28	35,487	474
Hawaiian	1	1,619	15	2	4,609	47	3	6,228	62
Italian	8	8,948	121	9	11,440	155	17	20,388	276
Norwegian	16	9,968	176	40	35,272	536	56	45,240	712
Russian	3	2,513	49	3	3,777	53	6	6,290	102
Swedish	2	1,620	27	4	1,819	39	6	3,439	66
Total	340	273,227	4,786	330	393,014	5,838	670	666,241	10,624
ALL VESSELS.									
Australasian	1,932	1,384,645	49,551	423	457,529	10,190	2,355	1,842,174	59,741
United Kingdom	367	783,395	25,613	241	357,435	6,795	608	1,140,830	32,408
Other British Possessions	10	8,553	154	12	14,191	192	22	22,744	346
Foreign—									
American—Argentine Rep.	1	1,008	15	...	.....	...	1	1,008	15
Chilian	...	.....	...	5	5,768	72	5	5,768	72
Nicaraguan	1	593	10	...	.....	...	1	593	10
United States	42	45,384	1,263	24	24,420	311	66	69,804	1,574
Austrian	...	.....	...	4	4,591	75	4	4,591	75
Belgian	1	2,172	43	...	.....	...	1	2,172	43
Danish	4	3,299	56	5	3,804	67	9	7,103	123
Dutch	1	1,361	18	5	6,390	161	6	7,751	179
French	42	88,117	6,388	10	12,929	281	52	101,046	6,669
New Caledonian	16	6,960	430	...	.....	...	16	6,960	430
German	34	100,967	2,356	21	28,166	370	55	129,133	2,726
Hawaiian	1	1,619	15	2	4,609	47	3	6,228	62
Italian	8	8,948	121	9	11,440	155	17	20,388	276
Japanese	24	37,042	2,192	...	.....	...	24	37,042	2,192
Norwegian	18	12,414	212	41	37,389	562	59	49,803	774
Russian	3	2,513	49	3	3,777	53	6	6,290	102
Swedish	2	1,620	27	4	1,819	39	6	3,439	66
Total	2,507	2,490,610	88,513	809	974,257	19,370	3,316	3,464,867	107,883

NOTE.—The returns are exclusive of ships of war, cable-laying vessels, yachts, and

Vessels Entered and Cleared during 1898.

Cleared.									Nationality.
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
Steam Vessels.									
1,922	1,781,521	57,103	179	22,214	1,214	2,101	1,803,735	58,317	Australasian.
305	686,557	24,850	14	36,892	628	319	723,449	25,478	United Kingdom.
1	100	11	...	.....	...	1	100	11	Other British Possessions.
									Foreign—
9	17,451	730	...	.....	...	9	17,451	730	American—United States.
1	2,172	45	...	.....	...	1	2,172	45	Belgian.
2	2,640	107	...	.....	...	2	2,640	107	Dutch.
46	91,975	6,564	...	.....	...	46	91,975	6,564	French.
16	6,332	428	...	.....	...	16	6,332	428	New Caledonian.
29	97,477	2,427	...	.....	...	29	97,477	2,427	German.
24	37,042	2,209	...	.....	...	24	37,042	2,209	Japanese.
1	2,117	25	1	2,117	26	2	4,234	51	Norwegian.
2,356	2,725,384	94,499	194	61,223	1,868	2,550	2,786,607	96,367	Total.
Sailing Vessels.									
182	53,316	1,516	38	1,811	142	220	55,127	1,658	Australasian.
270	386,264	6,139	2	2,949	48	272	389,213	6,187	United Kingdom.
20	22,626	326	...	.....	...	20	22,626	326	Other British Possessions.
									Foreign—
1	1,008	14	...	.....	...	1	1,008	14	American—Argentine Rep.
4	4,357	60	...	.....	...	4	4,357	60	Chilian.
1	593	11	...	.....	...	1	593	11	Nicaraguan.
60	56,904	773	...	.....	...	60	56,904	773	United States.
3	3,129	56	...	.....	...	3	3,129	56	Austrian.
8	6,640	111	...	.....	...	8	6,640	111	Danish.
4	5,111	72	...	.....	...	4	5,111	72	Dutch.
8	13,068	197	...	.....	...	8	13,068	197	French.
31	37,106	528	...	.....	...	31	37,106	528	German.
3	6,228	65	...	.....	...	3	6,228	65	Hawaiian.
15	17,618	247	...	.....	...	15	17,618	247	Italian.
52	40,799	655	...	.....	...	52	40,799	655	Norwegian.
4	5,345	85	...	.....	...	4	5,345	85	Russian.
7	3,582	72	...	.....	...	7	3,582	72	Swedish.
673	663,694	10,927	40	4,760	190	713	668,454	11,117	Total.
All Vessels.									
2,104	1,834,837	58,619	217	24,025	1,356	2,321	1,858,862	59,975	Australasian.
575	1,072,821	30,989	16	39,841	676	591	1,112,662	31,665	United Kingdom.
21	22,726	337	...	.....	...	21	22,726	337	Other British Possessions.
									Foreign—
1	1,008	14	...	.....	...	1	1,008	14	American—Argentine Rep.
4	4,357	60	...	.....	...	4	4,357	60	Chilian.
1	593	11	...	.....	...	1	593	11	Nicaraguan.
69	74,355	1,503	...	.....	...	69	74,355	1,503	United States.
3	3,129	56	...	.....	...	3	3,129	56	Austrian.
1	2,172	45	...	.....	...	1	2,172	45	Belgian.
8	6,640	111	...	.....	...	8	6,640	111	Danish.
6	7,751	179	...	.....	...	6	7,751	179	Dutch.
54	105,043	6,761	...	.....	...	54	105,043	6,761	French.
16	6,332	428	...	.....	...	16	6,332	428	New Caledonian.
60	134,583	2,955	...	.....	...	60	134,583	2,955	German.
3	6,228	65	...	.....	...	3	6,228	65	Hawaiian.
15	17,618	247	...	.....	...	15	17,618	247	Italian.
24	37,042	2,209	...	.....	...	24	37,042	2,209	Japanese.
53	42,916	680	1	2,117	26	54	45,033	706	Norwegian.
4	5,345	85	...	.....	...	4	5,345	85	Russian.
7	3,582	72	...	.....	...	7	3,582	72	Swedish.
3,029	3,389,078	105,426	234	65,983	2,058	3,263	3,455,061	107,484	Total.

vessels trading between ports of New South Wales, including Lord Howe Island.

No. 4.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered, 1889–98.

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Total Entered.
Steam Vessels.										
	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonn'ge	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.
1889	1,250,183†	473,821	*	72,235	48,424	.....	...	17,451	8,168	1,870,282
1890	1,178,350†	483,215	*	66,115	77,562	.....	...	15,512	11,498	1,832,252
1891	1,412,721	544,346	.....	78,684	77,049	5,874	...	17,451	11,208	2,147,333
1892	1,327,669	623,191	.....	85,322	74,361	5,236	...	17,451	10,688	2,143,918
1893	1,372,754	568,609	.....	94,829	64,293	.....	...	15,512	1,168	2,117,165
1894	1,435,368	588,786	.....	87,372	58,733	.....	...	17,451	.....	2,187,710
1895	1,363,667	644,469	.....	94,053	82,981	5,520	...	17,449	2,826	2,210,965
1896	1,451,380	688,696	.....	100,634	85,711	26,873	...	15,512	10,148	2,378,954
1897	1,648,145	699,885	.....	102,358	102,074	24,716	...	17,226	41,525	2,635,929
1898	1,789,946	752,365	1,438	97,363	93,646	4,563	...	17,451	41,854	2,798,626
Sailing Vessels.										
1889	156,962†	434,291	*	3,521	38,861	23,634	7,994	83,596	12,940	761,799
1890	117,697†	322,668	*	2,893	41,406	10,855	1,006	73,144	11,326	580,995
1891	108,056	336,096	30,342	8,291	48,469	47,153	4,690	71,027	20,441	674,565
1892	95,183	397,930	29,960	4,222	35,804	37,966	3,360	46,935	9,271	660,631
1893	68,111	323,549	16,089	469	20,759	11,691	1,922	20,758	9,858	473,206
1894	64,943	481,996	17,668	1,817	18,056	15,012	1,928	50,969	19,869	672,258
1895	57,024	495,553	43,951	.....	27,071	27,201	...	48,944	19,049	718,793
1896	49,162	474,880	37,129	7,954	36,186	25,702	804	39,638	30,342	701,797
1897	56,213	400,935	31,965	10,378	56,277	36,174	2,249	61,792	39,965	695,948
1898	52,228	388,465	21,306	10,643	35,487	45,240	3,439	52,353	57,080	666,241
All Vessels.										
1889	1,407,145†	908,112	*	75,756	87,285	23,634	7,994	101,047	21,108	2,632,081
1890	1,296,047†	805,883	*	69,008	118,968	10,855	1,006	88,656	22,824	2,413,247
1891	1,520,777	880,442	30,342	86,975	125,518	53,027	4,690	88,478	31,649	2,821,898
1892	1,422,852	1,021,121	29,960	89,544	110,165	43,202	3,360	64,386	19,959	2,804,549
1893	1,440,865	892,158	16,089	95,298	85,052	11,691	1,922	36,270	11,026	2,590,371
1894	1,500,311	1,070,782	17,668	89,189	76,789	15,012	1,928	68,420	19,869	2,859,968
1895	1,420,691	1,140,022	43,951	94,053	110,052	32,721	...	66,393	21,875	2,929,758
1896	1,500,542	1,163,576	37,129	108,588	121,897	52,575	804	55,150	40,490	3,080,751
1897	1,704,358	1,100,820	31,965	112,736	158,351	60,890	2,249	79,018	81,490	3,331,877
1898	1,842,174	1,140,830	22,744	108,006	129,133	49,803	3,439	69,804	98,934	3,464,867

* Prior to 1891 vessels entered from Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 5.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Cleared, 1889–98.

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Total Cleared
STEAM VESSELS.										
	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonn'ge	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.
1889	1,250,405†	451,479	*	72,145	48,447	...	...	17,451	8,169	1,848,096
1890	1,157,276†	496,681	*	65,565	76,030	...	...	17,226	9,784	1,822,562
1891	1,396,207	568,889	...	78,688	76,295	5,874	...	17,451	9,054	2,152,458
1892	1,349,635	642,505	...	82,626	74,716	5,236	...	17,451	13,547	2,185,716
1893	1,353,057	576,434	...	98,096	61,882	...	...	19,384	1,168	2,110,021
1894	1,442,079	606,968	...	90,312	60,866	...	...	19,587	...	2,219,812
1895	1,396,155	638,623	...	92,732	86,296	3,520	...	17,451	1,974	2,236,751
1896	1,452,527	705,263	...	99,082	78,939	28,473	...	15,512	11,000	2,390,796
1897	1,647,024	729,541	...	103,047	108,927	24,716	...	15,512	43,239	2,672,006
1898	1,803,735	723,449	100	98,307	97,477	4,234	...	17,451	41,854	2,786,607
SAILING VESSELS.										
1889	159,521†	483,136	*	3,216	49,403	30,516	7,716	91,666	15,828	841,002
1890	126,468†	274,608	*	2,893	34,415	6,559	2,258	67,888	10,974	526,063
1891	112,083	364,385	29,482	8,088	55,294	48,322	6,410	77,789	18,027	719,880
1892	86,790	395,356	29,631	2,265	36,886	44,616	2,626	46,521	12,228	656,919
1893	73,045	339,748	12,904	2,293	17,491	13,680	1,318	22,351	10,106	492,936
1894	74,427	457,961	21,775	1,197	19,374	14,951	1,928	50,956	16,205	658,774
1895	65,733	466,005	43,994	999	25,217	26,677	...	43,879	21,025	693,529
1896	47,288	485,741	40,826	7,905	37,890	26,250	804	43,917	27,592	718,213
1897	63,206	438,865	34,678	7,900	53,819	35,409	2,965	61,431	42,275	740,548
1898	55,127	389,213	22,626	13,068	37,106	40,799	3,582	56,904	50,029	668,454
ALL VESSELS.										
1889	1,409,926†	934,615	*	75,361	97,850	30,516	7,716	109,117	23,997	2,689,098
1890	1,283,744†	771,289	*	68,458	110,445	6,559	2,258	85,114	20,758	2,348,625
1891	1,508,290	933,274	29,482	86,776	131,589	54,196	6,410	95,240	27,081	2,872,338
1892	1,436,425	1,037,861	29,631	84,891	111,602	49,852	2,626	63,972	25,775	2,842,635
1893	1,426,102	916,182	12,904	100,389	79,373	13,680	1,318	41,735	11,274	2,602,957
1894	1,516,506	1,064,929	21,775	91,509	80,240	14,951	1,928	70,543	16,205	2,878,586
1895	1,461,888	1,104,628	43,994	93,731	111,513	30,197	...	61,330	22,999	2,930,280
1896	1,499,815	1,191,004	40,826	106,987	116,829	54,723	804	59,429	38,592	3,109,009
1897	1,710,230	1,168,406	34,678	110,947	162,746	60,125	2,965	76,943	85,514	3,412,554
1898	1,858,862	1,112,662	22,726	111,375	134,583	45,033	3,582	74,355	91,883	3,455,061

* Prior to 1891 vessels cleared for Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 6.—Nationality of Steam and Sailing Vessels Entered and Cleared, 1889-98.

Year.	Australasia.	United Kingdom.	Other British Possessions.	France.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	United States of America.	Other Nationalities.	Total Entered and Cleared.
Steam Vessels.										
	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.	tonnage.
1889	2,500,588†	925,300	*	144,380	96,871	.....	.....	34,902	16,337	3,718,378
1890	2,335,626†	979,896	*	131,680	153,592	.....	.....	32,738	21,282	3,654,814
1891	2,808,928	1,113,235	.....	157,372	153,344	11,748	.....	34,902	20,262	4,299,791
1892	2,677,304	1,265,696	.....	167,948	149,077	10,472	.....	34,902	24,235	4,329,634
1893	2,725,811	1,145,043	.....	192,925	126,175	.....	.....	34,896	2,336	4,227,186
1894	2,877,447	1,195,754	.....	177,684	119,599	.....	.....	37,038	.....	4,407,522
1895	2,759,822	1,283,092	.....	186,785	169,277	9,040	.....	34,900	4,800	4,447,716
1896	2,903,907	1,393,959	.....	199,716	164,650	55,346	.....	31,024	21,148	4,769,750
1897	3,295,169	1,429,426	.....	205,405	211,001	49,432	.....	32,738	84,764	5,307,935
1898	3,593,681	1,475,814	1,538	195,670	191,123	8,797	.....	34,902	83,708	5,585,233
Sailing Vessels.										
1889	316,483†	917,427	*	6,737	88,264	54,150	15,710	175,262	28,768	1,602,801
1890	244,165†	597,276	*	5,786	75,821	17,414	3,264	141,032	22,300	1,107,058
1891	220,139	700,481	59,824	16,379	103,763	95,475	11,100	148,816	38,468	1,394,445
1892	181,973	793,286	59,591	6,487	72,690	82,582	5,986	93,456	21,499	1,317,550
1893	141,156	663,297	28,993	2,762	38,250	25,371	3,240	43,109	19,964	966,142
1894	139,370	939,957	39,443	3,014	37,430	29,963	3,856	101,925	36,074	1,331,032
1895	122,757	961,558	87,945	999	52,288	53,878	.....	92,823	40,074	1,412,322
1896	96,450	960,621	77,955	15,859	74,076	51,952	1,608	83,555	57,934	1,420,010
1897	119,419	839,800	66,643	18,278	110,096	71,583	5,214	123,223	82,240	1,436,496
1898	107,355	777,678	43,932	23,711	72,593	86,039	7,021	109,257	107,109	1,334,695
All Vessels.										
1889	2,817,071†	1,842,727	*	151,117	185,135	54,150	15,710	210,164	45,105	5,321,179
1890	2,579,791†	1,577,172	*	137,466	229,413	17,414	3,264	173,770	43,582	4,761,872
1891	3,029,067	1,813,716	59,824	173,751	257,107	107,223	11,100	183,718	58,730	5,694,236
1892	2,859,277	2,058,982	59,591	174,435	221,767	93,054	5,986	128,358	45,734	5,647,184
1893	2,866,967	1,808,340	28,993	195,687	164,425	25,371	3,240	78,005	22,300	5,193,328
1894	3,016,817	2,135,711	39,443	180,698	157,029	29,963	3,856	138,963	36,074	5,738,554
1895	2,882,579	2,244,650	87,945	187,784	221,565	62,918	.....	127,723	44,874	5,860,038
1896	3,000,357	2,354,580	77,955	215,575	238,726	107,298	1,608	114,579	79,082	6,189,760
1897	3,414,588	2,269,226	66,643	223,683	321,097	121,015	5,214	155,961	167,004	6,744,431
1898	3,701,036	2,253,492	45,470	219,381	263,716	94,836	7,021	144,159	190,817	6,919,928

* Prior to 1891 vessels belonging to Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 7.—British and Foreign Vessels Entered, 1889–98.

Nationality.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
VESSELS.										
Australasia	2,376†	2,159†	2,162	2,081	2,232	2,465	2,229	2,289	2,370	2,355
United Kingdom ..	595	496	524	602	504	602	639	639	598	608
Other British Possessions	*	*	26	23	13	14	32	32	28	22
Foreign Countries ..	283	234	309	254	165	191	221	264	349	331
Total	3,254	2,889	3,021	2,960	2,914	3,272	3,121	3,224	3,345	3,316
TONNAGE.										
Australasia	1,407,145†	1,296,047†	1,520,777	1,422,852	1,440,865	1,500,311	1,420,691	1,500,542	1,704,358	1,842,174
United Kingdom ..	908,112	805,883	880,442	1,021,121	892,158	1,070,782	1,140,022	1,163,576	1,100,820	1,140,830
Other British Possessions	*	*	30,342	29,960	16,089	17,668	43,951	37,129	31,965	22,744
Foreign Countries ..	316,824	311,317	390,337	330,616	241,259	271,207	325,094	379,504	494,734	459,119
Total	2,632,081	2,413,247	2,821,898	2,804,549	2,590,371	2,859,968	2,929,758	3,080,751	3,331,877	3,464,867
CREWS.										
Australasia	53,246†	47,517†	53,764	51,308	51,741	55,054	50,997	51,312	54,587	59,741
United Kingdom ..	27,995	26,191	27,090	30,103	27,689	30,172	30,856	31,624	31,799	32,408
Other British Possessions	*	*	409	410	216	238	573	541	445	346
Foreign Countries ..	11,261	11,548	12,798	11,921	10,100	10,015	11,386	12,531	15,888	15,388
Total	92,502	85,256	94,061	93,742	89,746	95,479	93,812	96,008	102,719	107,883

No. 8.—British and Foreign Vessels Cleared, 1889–98.

Nationality.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
VESSELS.										
Australasia	2,317†	2,087†	2,191	2,168	2,220	2,471	2,228	2,256	2,104	2,321
United Kingdom ..	606	469	560	615	520	605	621	655	641	591
Other British Possessions	*	*	25	23	10	16	32	33	30	21
Foreign Countries ..	306	221	324	261	166	199	209	264	345	330
Total	3,229	2,777	3,100	3,067	2,916	3,291	3,090	3,208	3,120	3,263
TONNAGE.										
Australasia	1,409,926†	1,283,744†	1,508,290	1,436,425	1,426,102	1,516,506	1,461,888	1,499,815	1,710,230	1,858,862
United Kingdom ..	934,615	771,289	933,274	1,037,861	916,182	1,064,929	1,104,628	1,191,004	1,168,406	1,112,662
Other British Possessions	*	*	29,482	29,631	12,904	21,775	43,994	40,826	34,678	22,726
Foreign Countries ..	344,557	293,592	401,292	338,718	247,769	275,376	319,770	377,364	499,240	460,811
Total	2,689,098	2,348,625	2,872,338	2,842,635	2,602,957	2,878,586	2,930,280	3,109,009	3,412,554	3,455,061
CREWS.										
Australasia	53,388†	47,155†	53,228	51,793	51,110	55,133	51,956	51,673	54,318	59,975
United Kingdom ..	27,252	26,133	27,798	30,554	27,330	30,137	30,494	32,001	33,408	31,665
Other British Possessions	*	*	399	423	178	278	583	551	485	337
Foreign Countries ..	12,112	11,242	12,961	12,178	10,219	10,427	11,242	12,375	15,976	15,507
Total	92,752	84,530	94,386	94,948	88,837	95,975	94,275	96,600	104,187	107,484

* Prior to 1891 vessels belonging to Other British Possessions were not distinguished from those of Australasia.
† Including Other British Possessions.

No. 9.—Australasian Vessels Entered from

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	841	458,395	15,958	261	263,586	6,229	1,102	721,981	22,187
Queensland	323	287,794	12,162	2	1,252	41	325	289,046	12,203
South Australia	226	132,434	2,992	66	78,144	1,648	292	210,578	4,640
Western Australia ...	18	27,597	836	54	84,003	1,496	72	111,600	2,332
Tasmania...	167	172,016	6,166	7	7,866	223	174	179,882	6,389
New Zealand	122	179,166	6,762	10	11,238	325	132	190,404	7,087
Total	1,697	1,257,402	44,876	400	446,089	9,962	2,097	1,703,491	54,838
United Kingdom ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Other British Possessions—									
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Fiji	22	19,428	810	...	.....	...	22	19,428	810
Hong Kong	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
India	9	17,034	645	...	.....	...	9	17,034	645
New Guinea	4	3,642	111	...	.....	...	4	3,642	111
Norfolk Island	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Straits Settlements ...	7	9,928	385	...	.....	...	7	9,928	385
Total	42	50,032	1,951	...	.....	...	42	50,032	1,951
Foreign Countries—									
France	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Marshall Islands... ...	3	1,164	66	...	.....	...	3	1,164	66
Mozambique	...	.....	...	1	1,500	22	1	1,500	22
New Caledonia	7	6,067	239	...	.....	...	7	6,067	239
New Hebrides	4	1,507	97	...	.....	...	4	1,507	97
South Sea Islands ...	21	12,158	560	...	.....	...	21	12,158	560
United States	6	14,027	531	...	.....	...	6	14,027	531
Total	41	34,923	1,493	1	1,500	22	42	36,423	1,515
Grand Total of Steam Vessels	1,780	1,342,357	48,320	401	447,589	9,984	2,181	1,789,946	58,304

Wharfage Rates.—All goods landed are subject to Inward Wharfage Rates, and goods shipped to Outward Rates, the and Entered for transhipment, are exempt. Wharfage rates are

and Cleared for each Country, 1898.

Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
STEAM VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
841	690,684	20,842	156	12,675	863	997	703,359	21,705	Victoria.
322	289,957	12,290	8	6,857	191	330	296,814	12,481	Queensland.
298	249,240	5,250	10	774	58	308	250,014	5,308	South Australia.
61	94,583	1,739	...	.....	...	61	94,583	1,739	Western Australia.
145	141,439	5,497	4	1,872	96	149	143,311	5,593	Tasmania.
130	185,654	6,692	1	36	6	131	185,690	6,698	New Zealand.
1,797	1,651,557	52,310	179	22,214	1,214	1,976	1,673,771	53,524	Total.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
1	1,822	67	...	.....	...	1	1,822	67	Ceylon.
44	42,908	1,536	...	.....	...	44	42,908	1,536	Fiji.
1	1,459	98	...	.....	...	1	1,459	98	Hong Kong.
9	15,870	584	...	.....	...	9	15,870	584	India.
4	2,821	98	...	.....	...	4	2,821	98	New Guinea.
1	330	27	...	.....	...	1	330	27	Norfolk Island.
13	20,317	640	...	.....	...	13	20,317	640	Straits Settlements.
73	85,527	3,050	...	.....	...	73	85,527	3,050	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
2	3,763	52	...	.....	...	2	3,763	52	France.
6	7,853	264	...	.....	...	6	7,853	264	Java.
1	126	12	...	.....	...	1	126	12	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
13	10,189	430	...	.....	...	13	10,189	430	New Caledonia.
10	4,174	235	...	.....	...	10	4,174	235	New Hedrides.
16	8,676	423	...	.....	...	16	8,676	423	South Sea Islands.
4	9,656	327	...	.....	...	4	9,656	327	United States.
52	44,437	1,743	...	.....	...	52	44,437	1,743	Total.
1,922	1,781,521	57,103	179	22,214	1,214	2,101	1,803,735	58,317	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

latter being one-half the former. Goods arriving from the Australasian Colonies or Pacific Islands, landed at public wharves collected at Sydney, Coff's Harbour, and Woolgoolga only.

No. 9.—Australasian Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	31	7,061	190	10	6,139	93	41	13,200	283
Queensland	6	641	32	2	249	14	8	890	46
South Australia	3	1,740	30	...	.....	...	3	1,740	30
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	2	1,330	26	2	1,330	26
Tasmania...	5	814	34	...	.....	...	5	814	34
New Zealand	86	20,559	665	7	2,171	67	93	22,730	732
Total	131	30,815	951	21	9,889	200	152	40,704	1,151
United Kingdom	2	2,867	54	...	.....	...	2	2,867	54
Other British Possessions—									
Fiji	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
India	...	... ..	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mauritius	2	1,162	33	...	.....	...	2	1,162	33
New Guinea	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Norfolk Island	1	61	14	...	.....	...	1	61	14
Straits Settlements ..	...	.....	...	1	51	6	1	51	6
Total	3	1,223	47	1	51	6	4	1,274	53
Foreign Countries—									
China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Hawaii	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	1	343	9	...	.....	...	1	343	9
South Sea Islands ...	10	1,895	93	...	.....	...	10	1,895	93
United States	5	5,145	77	...	.....	...	5	5,145	77
Total	16	7,383	179	...	.....	...	16	7,383	179
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	152	42,288	1,231	22	9,940	206	174	52,228	1,437

Pilotage Rates.—Ships of war, cable-laying vessels, whalers, and pleasure yachts, are exempt from pilotage rates. The minimum charge of £2 10s. is made both upon arrival and departure of vessels not

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Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
SAILING VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
8	563	32	11	90	20	19	653	52	Victoria.
11	1,067	59	18	873	76	29	1,940	135	Queensland.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	South Australia.
1	68	6	...	.....	...	1	68	6	Western Australia.
6	1,152	39	2	151	8	8	1,303	47	Tasmania.
130	37,228	1,085	4	500	24	134	37,728	1,109	New Zealand.
156	40,078	1,221	35	1,614	128	191	41,692	1,349	Total.
...	.....	.. ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
1	46	7	1	10	3	2	56	10	Fiji.
1	498	17	...	.....	...	1	498	17	India.
2	1,328	29	...	.....	...	2	1,328	29	Mauritius.
...	.....	.....	1	11	2	1	11	2	New Guinea.
1	52	5	...	.....	...	1	52	5	Norfolk Island.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Straits Settlements.
5	1,924	58	2	21	5	7	1,945	63	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
1	1,192	18	...	.....	...	1	1,192	18	China.
4	3,671	57	...	.....	...	4	3,671	57	Hawaii.
3	740	23	...	.....	...	3	740	23	New Caledonia.
10	2,614	90	1	176	9	11	2,790	99	South Sea Islands.
3	3,097	49	...	.....	...	3	3,097	49	United States.
21	11,314	237	1	176	9	22	11,490	246	Total.
182	53,316	1,516	38	1,811	142	220	55,127	1,658	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

Navigation Acts Amendment Act of 1896 fixes the rates for other vessels, The maximum rate in each instance is £20, and a exempt at the ports of Sydney and Newcastle; at other coastal ports the minimum charge is £1 5s.

No. 9.—Australasian Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
All Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	872	465,456	16,148	271	269,725	6,322	1,143	735,181	22,470
Queensland	329	288,435	12,194	4	1,501	55	333	289,936	12,249
South Australia	229	134,174	3,022	66	78,144	1,648	295	212,318	4,670
Western Australia ...	18	27,597	836	56	85,333	1,522	74	112,930	2,358
Tasmania...	172	172,830	6,200	7	7,866	223	179	180,696	6,423
New Zealand	208	199,725	7,427	17	13,409	392	225	213,134	7,819
Total	1,828	1,288,217	45,827	421	455,978	10,162	2,249	1,744,195	55,989
United Kingdom	2	2,867	54	...	.....	...	2	2,867	54
Other British Possessions—									
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Fiji	22	19,428	810	...	.....	...	22	19,428	810
Hong Kong	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
India	9	17,034	645	...	.....	...	9	17,034	645
Mauritius	2	1,162	33	...	.....	...	2	1,162	33
New Guinea	4	3,642	111	...	.....	...	4	3,642	111
Norfolk Island	1	61	14	...	.....	...	1	61	14
Straits Settlements ...	7	9,928	385	1	51	6	8	9,979	391
Total	45	51,255	1,998	1	51	6	46	51,306	2,004
Foreign Countries—									
China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
France	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Hawaii	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Marshall Islands... ...	3	1,164	66	...	.....	...	3	1,164	66
Mozambique	...	.....	...	1	1,500	22	1	1,500	22
New Caledonia	8	6,410	248	...	.....	...	8	6,410	248
New Hebrides	4	1,507	97	...	.....	...	4	1,507	97
South Sea Islands ...	31	14,053	653	...	.....	...	31	14,053	653
United States	11	19,172	608	...	.....	...	11	19,172	608
Total	57	42,306	1,672	1	1,500	22	58	43,806	1,694
Grand Total of All Vessels	1,932	1,384,645	49,551	423	457,529	10,190	2,355	1,842,174	59,741

Harbour and Light Rates.—Ships of war, Cable-laying vessels, whalers, and pleasure yachts, are exempt

Cleared for each Country, 1898—*continued.*

Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
All Vessels.									
849	691,247	20,874	167	12,765	883	1,016	704,012	21,757	Australasia—
333	291,024	12,349	26	7,730	267	359	298,754	12,616	Victoria.
298	249,240	5,250	10	774	58	308	250,014	5,308	Queensland.
62	94,651	1,745	...	.....	...	62	94,651	1,745	South Australia.
151	142,591	5,536	6	2,023	104	157	144,614	5,640	Western Australia.
260	222,882	7,777	5	536	30	265	223,418	7,807	Tasmania.
									New Zealand.
1,953	1,691,635	53,531	214	23,828	1,342	2,167	1,715,463	54,873	Total.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
1	1,822	67	...	.....	...	1	1,822	67	Ceylon.
45	42,954	1,543	1	10	3	46	42,964	1,546	Fiji.
1	1,459	98	...	.....	...	1	1,459	98	Hong Kong.
10	16,368	601	...	.....	...	10	16,368	601	India.
2	1,328	29	...	.....	...	2	1,328	29	Mauritius.
4	2,821	98	1	11	2	5	2,832	100	New Guinea.
2	382	32	...	.....	...	2	382	32	Norfolk Island.
13	20,317	640	...	.....	...	13	20,317	640	Straits Settlements.
78	87,451	3,108	2	21	5	80	87,472	3,113	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
1	1,192	18	...	.....	...	1	1,192	18	China.
2	3,763	52	...	.....	...	2	3,763	52	France.
4	3,671	57	...	.....	...	4	3,671	57	Hawaii.
6	7,853	264	...	.....	...	6	7,853	264	Java.
1	126	12	...	.....	...	1	126	12	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
16	10,929	453	...	.....	...	16	10,929	453	New Caledonia.
10	4,174	235	...	.....	...	10	4,174	235	New Hebrides.
26	11,290	513	1	176	9	27	11,466	522	South Sea Islands.
7	12,753	376	...	.....	...	7	12,753	376	United States.
73	55,751	1,980	1	176	9	74	55,927	1,989	Total.
2,104	1,834,837	58,619	217	24,025	1,356	2,321	1,858,862	59,975	Grand Total of All Vessels.

from these dues; other registered vessels are subject to a half-yearly rate of 4d. per ton on the net tonnage.

No. 10.—British Vessels, other than Australasian,

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crew.
Steam Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	29	50,195	1,618	25	36,504	1,537	54	86,699	3,155
Queensland	19	45,517	870	10	20,718	408	29	66,235	1,278
South Australia	25	51,602	858	4	7,410	116	29	59,012	974
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	12	20,823	386	12	20,823	386
Tasmania...	...	.....	...	2	2,918	162	2	2,918	162
New Zealand	1	3,410	89	1	1,957	27	2	5,367	116
Total	74	150,724	3,435	54	90,330	2,636	128	241,054	6,071
United Kingdom	122	346,359	14,582	2	2,442	86		348,801	14,668
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	14	30,766	1,258	...	.....	...	14	30,766	1,258
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	4	7,927	114	4	7,927	114
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Hong Kong	28	40,917	2,286	...	.....	...	28	40,917	2,286
India	8	19,852	691	...	.....	...	8	19,852	691
Mauritius	...	.....	...	1	3,426	93	1	3,426	93
Natal	...	.....	...	1	3,844	52	1	3,844	52
New Guinea	1	370	25	1	370	24	2	740	49
Straits Settlements ...	2	4,850	192	1	2,064	32	3	6,914	224
Total	53	96,755	4,452	8	17,631	315	61	114,386	4,767
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	1	1,459	78	...	.....	...	1	1,459	78
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	1,764	31	1	1,764	31
France	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Germany	1	1,768	28	...	.....	...	1	1,768	28
Japan	4	6,875	265	5	10,742	179	9	17,617	444
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	..	.....	...
Philippine Islands ...	2	4,862	85	1	2,233	24	3	7,095	109
South Sea Islands ...	1	370	26	...	.....	...	1	370	26
United States	9	19,489	267	...	.....	...	9	19,489	267
Total	18	34,823	749	7	14,739	234	25	49,562	983
Grand Total of Steam Vessels	267	628,661	23,218	71	125,142	3,271	338	753,803	26,489

Entered from and Cleared for each Country, 1898.

Cleared									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crew.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crew.	
STEAM VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
55	86,183	3,154	...	.....	...	55	86,183	3,154	Victoria.
18	38,381	737	6	18,153	316	24	56,534	1,053	Queensland.
1	1,198	33	4	8,190	135	5	9,388	168	South Australia.
5	6,439	158	...	.....	...	5	6,439	158	Western Australia.
1	1,460	93	...	.....	...	1	1,460	93	Tasmania.
14	34,337	628	2	6,104	113	16	40,441	741	New Zealand.
94	167,998	4,803	12	32,447	564	106	200,445	5,367	Total.
112	321,199	14,152	...	.....	...	112	321,199	14,152	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	1,312	...	.....	...	15	32,738	1,312	Canada.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Cape Colony.
3	7,073	174	...	.....	...	3	7,073	174	Ceylon.
31	46,083	2,028	...	.....	...	31	46,083	2,028	Hong Kong.
10	29,239	982	...	.....	...	10	29,239	982	India.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mauritius.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Natal.
1	370	23	...	.....	...	1	370	23	New Guinea.
3	5,997	92	...	.....	...	3	5,997	92	Straits Settlements.
63	121,500	4,611	...	.....	...	63	121,500	4,611	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
2	5,655	94	...	.....	...	2	5,655	94	Belgium.
1	2,179	28	...	.....	...	1	2,179	28	Celebes.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	China.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Delagoa Bay.
15	31,346	513	...	.....	...	15	31,346	513	France.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Germany.
2	3,071	131	...	.....	...	2	3,071	131	Japan.
7	15,738	217	...	.....	...	7	15,738	217	Java.
...	.....	.....	2	4,445	64	2	4,445	64	New Caledonia.
8	17,231	263	...	.....	...	8	17,231	263	Philippine Islands.
2	740	49	...	.....	...	2	740	49	South Sea Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United States.
37	75,960	1,295	2	4,445	64	39	80,405	1,359	Total.
306	686,657	24,861	14	36,892	628	320	723,549	25,489	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

No. 10.—British Vessels, other than Australasian,

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	6	9,178	139	41	58,755	866	47	67,933	1,005
Queensland	1	1,591	22	20	22,287	360	21	23,878	382
South Australia	8	9,851	157	26	39,119	558	34	48,970	715
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	8	10,695	167	8	10,695	167
Tasmania...	...	.....	...	1	863	14	1	863	14
New Zealand	5	2,062	47	10	11,439	189	15	13,501	236
Total	20	22,682	365	106	143,158	2,154	126	165,840	2,519
United Kingdom	47	79,327	1,255	2	2,903	44	49	82,230	1,299
Other British Possessions—									
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	51	71,680	1,074	51	71,680	1,074
Fiji	1	225	9	...	.....	...	1	225	9
Mauritius	4	2,109	57	9	10,409	172	13	12,518	229
Natal	...	.....	...	4	4,970	80	4	4,970	80
Total, ...	5	2,334	66	64	87,059	1,326	69	89,393	1,392
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	1	1,309	22	...	.....	...	1	1,309	22
Brazil	...	.....	...	3	4,306	56	3	4,306	56
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	...	.....	...	1	1,699	27	1	1,699	27
Columbia...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
France	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Germany	9	15,790	233	...	.. ...	...	9	15,790	233
Hawaii	...	.....	...	1	1,551	21	1	1,551	21
Japan	1	1,834	27	...	.....	...	1	1,834	27
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	2	2,228	34	2	2,228	34
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Norway	3	3,922	61	...	.....	...	3	3,922	61
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Réunion	...	.....	...	1	815	16	1	815	16
Siam	...	.....	...	1	1,050	15	1	1,050	15
South Sea Islands ...	1	225	9	...	.....	...	1	225	9
United States	23	35,864	511	...	.....	...	23	35,864	511
Uruguay	...	.....	...	1	1,715	23	1	1,715	23
Total	38	58,944	863	10	13,364	192	48	72,308	1,055
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	110	163,287	2,549	182	246,484	3,716	292	409,771	6,265

Entered from and Cleared for each Country, 1898—*continued.*

Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
				SAILING VESSELS.					
									Australasia—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Victoria.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Queensland.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	South Australia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Western Australia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Tasmania.
1	544	12	...	.....	...	1	544	12	New Zealand.
1	544	12	...	.....	...	1	544	12	Total.
33	52,694	977	...	.....	...	33	52,694	977	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions.
1	972	17	...	.....	...	1	972	17	Cape Colony.
1	225	9	...	.....	...	1	225	9	Fiji.
10	8,418	171	...	.....	...	10	8,418	171	Mauritius.
1	1,076	26	...	.....	...	1	1,076	26	Natal.
13	10,691	223	...	.....	...	13	10,691	223	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Belgium.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Brazil.
129	167,075	2,684	...	.....	...	129	167,075	2,684	Chili.
3	5,734	80	...	.....	...	3	5,734	80	China.
3	3,032	54	...	.....	...	3	3,032	54	Columbia.
3	6,584	93	...	.....	...	3	6,584	93	France.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Germany.
6	8,834	136	...	.....	...	6	8,834	136	Hawaii.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Japan.
1	1,498	27	...	.....	...	1	1,498	27	Java.
3	4,814	63	...	.....	...	3	4,814	63	Mexico.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
1	2,289	28	...	.....	...	1	2,289	28	Netherlands.
...	.....	.....	1	1,685	25	1	1,685	25	New Caledonia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Norway.
19	21,507	341	...	.....	...	19	21,507	341	Peru.
19	27,370	357	...	.....	...	19	27,370	357	Philippine Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Réunion.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Siam.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	South Sea Islands.
56	96,224	1,390	1	1,264	23	57	97,488	1,413	United States.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Uruguay.
243	344,961	5,253	2	2,949	48	245	347,910	5,301	Total.
290	408,890	6,465	2	2,949	48	292	411,839	6,513	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

No. 10.—British Vessels, other than Australasian,

Entered from—	Entered—								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
	ALL VESSELS.								
Australasia—									
Victoria	35	59,373	1,757	66	95,259	2,403	101	154,632	4,160
Queensland	20	47,108	892	30	43,005	768	50	90,113	1,660
South Australia	33	61,453	1,015	30	46,529	674	63	107,982	1,689
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	20	31,518	553	20	31,518	553
Tasmania...	...	.....	...	3	3,781	176	3	3,781	176
New Zealand	6	5,472	136	11	13,396	216	17	18,868	352
Total	94	173,406	3,800	160	233,488	4,790	254	406,894	8,590
United Kingdom	169	425,686	15,837	4	5,345	130	173	431,031	15,967
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	14	30,766	1,258	...	.....	...	14	30,766	1,258
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	55	79,607	1,188	55	79,607	1,188
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Fiji	1	225	9	...	.....	...	1	225	9
Hong Kong	28	40,917	2,286	...	.....	...	28	40,917	2,286
India	8	19,852	691	...	.....	...	8	19,852	691
Mauritius...	4	2,109	57	10	13,835	265	14	15,944	322
Natal	...	.....	...	5	8,814	132	5	8,814	132
New Guinea	1	370	25	1	370	24	2	740	49
Straits Settlement ...	2	4,850	192	1	2,064	32	3	6,914	224
Total	58	99,089	4,518	72	104,690	1,641	130	203,779	6,159
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	1	1,309	22	...	.....	...	1	1,309	22
Brazil	...	.....	...	3	4,306	56	3	4,306	56
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	1	1,459	78	1	1,699	27	2	3,158	105
Columbia...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	1,764	31	1	1,764	31
France	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Germany	10	17,558	261	...	.....	...	10	17,558	261
Hawaii	...	.....	...	1	1,551	21	1	1,551	21
Japan	5	8,709	292	5	10,742	179	10	19,451	471
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	2	2,228	34	2	2,228	34
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Norway	3	3,922	61	...	.....	...	3	3,922	61
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands ...	2	4,862	85	1	2,233	24	3	7,095	109
Réunion	...	.....	...	1	815	16	1	815	16
Siam	...	.....	...	1	1,050	15	1	1,050	15
South Sea Islands ...	2	595	35	...	.....	...	2	595	35
United States	32	55,353	778	...	.....	...	32	55,353	778
Uruguay	...	.....	...	1	1,715	23	1	1,715	23
Total	56	93,767	1,612	17	28,103	426	73	121,870	2,038
Grand Total of All Vessels...	377	791,948	25,767	253	371,626	6,987	630	1,163,574	32,754

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Cleared—									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
ALL VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
55	86,183	3,154	...	.....	...	55	86,183	3,154	Victoria.
18	38,381	737	6	18,153	316	24	56,534	1,053	Queensland.
1	1,198	33	4	8,190	135	5	9,388	168	South Australia.
5	6,439	158	...	.....	...	5	6,439	158	Western Australia.
1	1,460	93	...	.....	...	1	1,460	93	Tasmania.
15	34,881	640	2	6,104	113	17	40,985	753	New Zealand.
95	168,542	4,815	12	32,447	564	107	200,989	5,379	Total.
145	373,893	15,129	...	.....	...	145	373,893	15,129	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	1,312	...	.....	...	15	32,738	1,312	Canada.
1	972	17	...	.....	...	1	972	17	Cape Colony.
3	7,073	174	...	.....	...	3	7,073	174	Ceylon.
1	225	9	...	.....	...	1	225	9	Fiji.
31	46,083	2,028	...	.....	...	31	46,083	2,028	Hong Kong.
10	29,239	982	...	.....	...	10	29,239	982	India.
10	8,418	171	...	.....	...	10	8,418	171	Mauritius.
1	1,076	26	...	.....	...	1	1,076	26	Natal.
1	370	23	...	.....	...	1	370	23	New Guinea.
3	5,997	92	...	.....	...	3	5,997	92	Straits Settlements.
76	132,191	4,834	...	.....	...	76	132,191	4,834	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
2	5,655	94	...	.....	...	2	5,655	94	Belgium.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Brazil.
1	2,179	28	...	.....	...	1	2,179	28	Celebes.
129	167,075	2,684	...	.....	...	129	167,075	2,684	Chili.
3	5,734	80	...	.....	...	3	5,734	80	China.
3	3,032	54	...	.....	...	3	3,032	54	Columbia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Delagoa Bay.
18	37,930	606	...	.....	...	18	37,930	606	France.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Germany.
6	8,834	136	...	.....	...	6	8,834	136	Hawaii.
2	3,071	131	...	.....	...	2	3,071	131	Japan.
8	17,236	244	...	.....	...	8	17,236	244	Java.
3	4,814	63	...	.....	...	3	4,814	63	Mexico.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
1	2,289	28	...	.....	...	1	2,289	28	Netherlands.
...	.....	.....	3	6,130	89	3	6,130	89	New Caledonia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Norway.
19	21,507	341	...	.....	...	19	21,507	341	Peru.
27	44,601	620	...	.....	...	27	44,601	620	Philippine Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Réunion.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Siam.
2	740	49	...	.....	...	2	740	49	South Sea Islands.
56	96,224	1,390	1	1,264	23	57	97,488	1,413	United States.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Uruguay.
280	420,921	6,548	4	7,394	112	284	428,315	6,660	Total.
596	1,095,547	31,326	16	39,841	676	612	1,135,388	32,002	Grand Total of All Vessels.

No. 11.—Foreign Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	12	18,521	1,088	...	.....	...	12	18,521	1,088
Queensland	1	640	34	...	.....	...	1	640	34
South Australia	1	2,117	24	...	.....	...	1	2,117	24
New Zealand	1	762	27	...	.....	...	1	762	27
Total	15	22,040	1,173	...	.....	...	15	22,040	1,173
United Kingdom	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Other British Possessions—									
Fiji	1	329	12	...	.....	...	1	329	12
Hong Kong	1	2,172	43	...	.....	...	1	2,172	43
New Guinea	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Straits Settlements ...	...	.....	...	1	1,469	26	1	1,469	26
Total	2	2,501	55	1	1,469	26	3	3,970	81
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Cochin China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
France	13	36,235	2,618	...	.....	...	13	36,235	2,618
Germany	26	92,177	2,226	...	.....	...	26	92,177	2,226
Japan	12	18,521	1,104	1	2,117	26	13	20,638	1,130
Java	...	.....	...	2	2,640	108	2	2,640	108
New Caledonia	43	57,440	4,139	3	2,286	117	46	59,726	4,256
United States	9	17,451	874	...	.....	...	9	17,451	874
Total	103	221,824	10,961	6	7,043	251	109	228,867	11,212
Grand Total of Steam Vessels	120	246,365	12,189	7	8,512	277	127	254,877	12,466

Tonnage Rates amounting to ¼d. per registered ton per diem are levied on all vessels fully laden, and ⅛d. on those rate of ½d. per ton per diem for the first twenty-five days, after which ¼d. per ton per day is imposed: for small vessels and Lay Days," which are determined by the tonnage of the vessel and the amount of cargo carried. The rents received from Sydney, Newcastle, Coff's Harbour, Wollongong, and Woolgoolga.

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Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
STEAM VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
11	17,161	1,015	...	.....	...	11	17,161	1,015	Victoria.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Queensland.
...	.....	.....	1	2,117	26	1	2,117	26	South Australia.
1	762	28	...	.....	...	1	762	28	New Zealand.
12	17,923	1,043	1	2,117	26	13	20,040	1,069	Total.
...	.....	.... .	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Fiji.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Hong Kong.
1	640	34	...	.....	...	1	640	34	New Guinea.
3	5,526	104	...	.....	..	3	5,526	104	Straits Settlements.
4	6,166	138	...	.....	...	4	6,166	138	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
1	2,172	45	...	.....	...	1	2,172	45	Belgium.
1	1,320	57	...	.....	...	1	1,320	57	Celebes.
1	762	29	...	.....	...	1	762	29	Cochin China.
14	39,162	2,613	...	.....	...	14	39,162	2,613	France.
26	91,951	2,323	...	.....	...	26	91,951	2,323	Germany.
13	19,881	1,194	...	.....	...	13	19,881	1,194	Japan.
1	1,320	50	...	.....	...	1	1,320	50	Java.
46	59,098	4,313	...	.....	...	46	59,098	4,313	New Caledonia.
9	17,451	730	...	.....	...	9	17,451	730	United States.
112	233,117	11,354	...	.....	...	112	233,117	11,354	Total.
128	257,206	12,535	1	2,117	26	129	259,323	12,561	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

partly laden, discharging at the wharves. Vessels of 240 tons register and upwards, loading at the wharves, are subject to a lighters a fixed rate of 10s. for each day is levied. Vessels are exempt from tonnage rates during the period known as "Free Government Wharves, leased to private companies, are accepted in lieu of tonnage rates. Tonnage rates are collected at

No. 11.—Foreign Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	8	7,678	108	25	27,062	367	33	34,740	475
Queensland	2	1,679	24	7	6,589	91	9	8,268	115
South Australia	10	9,960	141	17	22,710	280	27	32,670	421
Western Australia	...	.....	...	5	3,490	58	5	3,490	58
Tasmania	1	749	13	3	1,942	28	4	2,691	41
New Zealand	9	4,547	97	7	6,457	94	16	11,004	191
Total	30	24,613	383	64	68,250	918	94	92,863	1,301
United Kingdom	4	6,083	89	1	1,339	17	5	7,422	106
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	8	9,105	107	...	.... .	...	8	9,105	107
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	30	32,310	469	30	32,310	469
Fiji	4	1,685	36	...	.....	...	4	1,685	36
Hong Kong	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mauritius	...	.....	...	1	549	11	1	549	11
Natal	...	.....	...	8	8,162	130	8	8,162	130
Straits Settlements	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Zanzibar	...	.....	...	1	1,027	12	1	1,027	12
Total	12	10,790	143	40	42,048	622	52	52,838	765
Foreign Countries—									
Brazil	...	.....	...	3	3,725	47	3	3,725	47
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	...	.....	...	1	1,558	18	1	1,558	18
Columbia	...	.....	...	1	905	13	1	905	13
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	544	11	1	544	11
Ecuador	...	.....	...	1	960	14	1	960	14
France	1	883	16	4	6,841	93	5	7,724	109
Hawaii	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Italy	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Japan	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Madagascar	...	.....	...	2	2,969	45	2	2,969	45
Marshall Islands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	6	5,723	90	6	5,723	90
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	...	.....	...	1	921	14	1	921	14
Norway	4	2,773	46	...	.....	...	4	2,773	46
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Réunion	...	.....	...	1	807	14	1	807	14
South Sea Islands	1	52	6	...	.....	...	1	52	6
United States	26	22,458	323	...	.....	...	26	22,458	323
Total	32	26,166	391	21	24,953	359	53	51,119	750
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	78	67,652	1,006	126	136,590	1,916	204	204,242	2,922

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Cleared									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
Sailing Vessels.									
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Australasia—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Victoria.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Queensland.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	South Australia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Western Australia.
17	6,282	152	...	.....	...	17	6,282	152	New Zealand.
17	6,282	152	...	.....	...	17	6,282	152	Total.
13	15,540	221	...	.....	...	13	15,540	221	United Kingdom.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Other British Possessions—
4	3,729	58	...	.....	...	4	3,729	58	Canada.
5	2,877	63	...	.....	...	5	2,877	63	Cape Colony.
3	3,123	43	...	.....	...	3	3,125	43	Fiji.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Hong Kong.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mauritius.
2	1,583	21	...	.....	...	2	1,583	21	Natal.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Straits Settlements.
									Zanzibar.
14	11,314	185	...	.....	...	14	11,314	185	Total.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Foreign Countries—
1	1,068	14	...	.....	...	1	1,068	14	Brazil.
43	54,459	774	...	.....	...	43	54,459	774	Celebes.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Chili.
11	9,503	142	...	.....	...	11	9,503	142	China.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Columbia.
1	684	13	...	.....	...	1	684	13	Delagoa Bay.
2	2,951	46	...	.....	...	2	2,951	46	Ecuador.
40	34,017	497	...	.....	...	40	34,017	497	France.
3	3,605	55	...	.....	...	3	3,605	55	Hawaii.
1	2,121	23	...	.....	...	1	2,121	23	Italy.
4	5,111	72	...	.....	...	4	5,111	72	Japan.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Java.
5	2,156	50	...	.....	...	5	2,156	50	Madagascar.
3	3,340	45	...	.....	...	3	3,340	45	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mexico.
1	821	15	...	.....	...	1	821	15	Mozambique.
2	556	16	...	.....	...	2	556	16	Netherlands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	New Caledonia.
5	5,383	76	...	.....	...	5	5,383	76	Norway.
3	3,561	46	...	.....	...	3	3,561	46	Peru.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Philippine Islands.
2	819	18	...	.....	...	2	819	18	Réunion.
30	38,197	486	...	.....	...	30	38,197	486	South Sea Islands.
									United States.
157	168,352	2,388	...	.....	...	157	168,352	2,388	Total.
201	201,488	2,946	...	.....	...	201	201,488	2,946	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

No. 11.—Foreign Vessels Entered from

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
All Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	20	26,199	1,196	25	27,062	367	45	53,261	1,563
Queensland	3	2,319	58	7	6,589	91	10	8,908	149
South Australia	11	12,077	165	17	22,710	280	28	34,787	445
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	5	3,490	58	5	3,490	58
Tasmania...	1	749	13	3	1,942	28	4	2,691	41
New Zealand	10	5,309	124	7	6,457	94	17	11,766	218
Total	45	46,653	1,556	64	68,250	918	109	114,903	2,474
United Kingdom	4	6,083	89	1	1,339	17	5	7,422	106
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	8	9,105	107	...	.....	...	8	9,105	107
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	30	32,310	469	30	32,310	469
Fiji	5	2,014	48	...	.....	...	5	2,014	48
Hong Kong	1	2,172	43	...	.....	...	1	2,172	43
Mauritius	...	.....	...	1	549	11	1	549	11
Natal	...	.....	...	8	8,162	130	8	8,162	130
New Guinea	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Straits Settlements ...	...	.....	...	1	1,469	26	1	1,469	26
Zanzibar	...	.....	...	1	1,027	12	1	1,027	12
Total	14	13,291	198	41	43,517	648	55	56,808	846
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Brazil	...	.....	...	3	3,725	47	3	3,725	47
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	...	.....	...	1	1,558	18	1	1,558	18
Cochin China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Columbia...	...	.....	...	1	905	13	1	905	13
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	544	11	1	544	11
Ecuador	...	.....	...	1	960	14	1	960	14
France	14	37,118	2,634	4	6,841	93	18	43,959	2,727
Germany	26	92,177	2,226	...	.....	...	26	92,177	2,226
Hawaii	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Italy	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Japan	12	18,521	1,104	1	2,117	26	13	20,638	1,130
Java	...	.....	...	2	2,640	108	2	2,640	108
Madagascar	...	.....	...	2	2,969	45	2	2,969	45
Marshall Islands ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	6	5,723	90	6	5,723	90
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Neu Pommern (New Britain)..	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	43	57,440	4,139	4	3,207	131	47	60,647	4,270
Norway	4	2,773	46	...	.....	...	4	2,773	46
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Réunion	...	.....	...	1	807	14	1	807	14
South Sea Islands ...	1	52	6	...	.....	...	1	52	6
United States	35	39,909	1,197	...	.....	...	35	39,909	1,197
Total	135	247,990	11,352	27	31,996	610	162	279,986	11,962
Grand Total of All Vessels...	198	314,017	13,195	133	145,102	2,193	331	459,119	15,388

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Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
ALL VESSELS.									
11	17,161	1,015	...	.....	...	11	17,161	1,015	Australia—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Victoria.
...	.....	.....	1	2,117	26	1	2,117	26	Queensland.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	South Australia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Western Australia.
18	7,044	180	...	.....	...	18	7,044	180	Tasmania.
									New Zealand.
29	24,205	1,195	1	2,117	26	30	26,322	1,221	Total.
13	15,540	221	...	.....	...	13	15,540	221	United Kingdom.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Other British Possessions—
4	3,729	58	...	.....	...	4	3,729	58	Canada.
5	2,877	63	...	.....	...	5	2,877	63	Cape Colony.
3	3,125	43	...	.....	...	3	3,125	43	Fiji.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Hong Kong.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mauritius.
1	640	34	...	.....	...	1	640	34	Natal.
5	7,109	125	...	.....	...	5	7,109	125	New Guinea.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Straits Settlements.
									Zanzibar.
18	17,480	323	...	.....	...	18	17,480	323	Total.
1	2,172	45	...	.....	...	1	2,172	45	Foreign Countries—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Belgium.
2	2,388	71	...	.....	...	2	2,388	71	Brazil.
43	54,459	774	...	.....	...	43	54,459	774	Celebes.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Chili.
1	762	29	...	.....	...	1	762	29	China.
11	9,503	142	...	.....	...	11	9,503	142	Cochin China.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Columbia.
1	684	13	...	.....	...	1	684	13	Delagoa Bay.
16	42,113	2,659	...	.....	...	16	42,113	2,659	Ecuador.
26	91,951	2,323	...	.....	...	26	91,951	2,323	France.
40	34,017	497	...	.....	...	40	34,017	497	Germany.
3	3,605	55	...	.....	...	3	3,605	55	Hawaii.
14	22,002	1,217	...	.....	...	14	22,002	1,217	Italy.
5	6,431	122	...	.....	...	5	6,431	122	Japan.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Java.
5	2,156	50	...	.....	...	5	2,156	50	Madagascar.
3	3,340	45	...	.....	...	3	3,340	45	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mexico.
1	821	15	...	.....	...	1	821	15	Mozambique.
2	556	16	...	.....	...	2	556	16	Netherlands.
46	59,098	4,313	...	.....	...	46	59,098	4,313	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	New Caledonia.
5	5,383	76	...	.....	...	5	5,383	76	Norway.
3	3,561	46	...	.....	...	3	3,561	46	Peru.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Philippine Islands.
2	819	18	...	.....	...	2	819	18	Réunion.
39	55,648	1,216	...	.....	...	39	55,648	1,216	South Sea Islands.
									United States.
269	401,469	13,742	...	.....	...	269	401,469	13,742	Total.
329	458,694	15,481	1	2,117	26	330	460,811	15,507	Grand Total of All Vessels.

No. 12.—All Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	882	527,111	18,664	286	300,090	7,766	1,168	827,201	26,430
Queensland	343	333,951	13,066	12	21,970	449	355	355,921	13,515
South Australia	252	186,153	3,874	70	85,554	1,764	322	271,707	5,638
Western Australia ...	18	27,597	836	66	104,826	1,882	84	132,423	2,718
Tasmania...	167	172,016	6,166	9	10,784	385	176	182,800	6,551
New Zealand	124	183,338	6,878	11	13,195	352	135	196,533	7,230
Total...	1,786	1,430,166	49,484	454	536,419	12,598	2,240	1,966,585	62,082
United Kingdom	122	346,359	14,582	2	2,442	86	124	348,801	14,668
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	14	30,766	1,258	...	.....	...	14	30,766	1,258
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	4	7,927	114	4	7,927	114
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Fiji	23	19,757	822	...	.....	...	23	19,757	822
Hong Kong	29	43,089	2,329	...	.....	...	29	43,089	2,329
India	17	36,886	1,336	...	.....	...	17	36,886	1,336
Mauritius	...	.....	...	1	3,426	93	1	3,426	93
Natal	...	.....	...	1	3,844	52	1	3,844	52
New Guinea	5	4,012	136	1	370	24	6	4,382	160
Norfolk Island	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Straits Settlements ...	9	14,778	577	2	3,533	58	11	18,311	635
Total...	97	149,288	6,458	9	19,100	341	106	168,388	6,799
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	1	1,459	78	...	.....	...	1	1,459	78
Cochin China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	1,764	31	1	1,764	31
France	13	36,235	2,618	...	.....	...	13	36,235	2,618
Germany	27	93,945	2,254	...	.....	...	27	93,945	2,254
Japan	16	25,396	1,369	6	12,859	205	22	38,255	1,574
Java	...	.....	...	2	2,640	108	2	2,640	108
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Marshall Islands ...	3	1,164	66	...	.....	...	3	1,164	66
Mozambique	...	.....	...	1	1,500	22	1	1,500	22
New Caledonia	50	63,507	4,378	3	2,286	117	53	65,793	4,495
New Hebrides	4	1,507	97	...	.....	...	4	1,507	97
Philippine Islands ...	2	4,862	85	1	2,233	24	3	7,095	109
South Sea Islands ...	22	12,528	586	...	.....	...	22	12,528	586
United States	24	50,967	1,672	...	.....	...	24	50,967	1,672
Total...	162	291,570	13,203	14	23,282	507	176	314,852	13,710
Grand Total of Steam Vessels	2,167	2,217,383	83,727	479	581,243	13,532	2,646	2,798,626	97,259

Cleared for each Country, 1898.

Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
STEAM VESSELS.									
907	794,028	25,011	156	12,675	863	1,063	806,703	25,874	Australasia— Victoria.
340	328,338	13,027	14	25,010	507	354	353,348	13,534	Queensland.
299	250,438	5,283	15	11,081	219	314	261,519	5,502	South Australia.
66	101,022	1,897	...	.....	...	66	101,022	1,897	Western Australia.
146	142,899	5,590	4	1,872	96	150	144,771	5,686	Tasmania.
145	220,753	7,348	3	6,140	119	148	226,893	7,467	New Zealand.
1,903	1,837,478	58,156	192	56,778	1,804	2,095	1,894,256	59,960	Total.
112	321,199	14,152	...	.....	...	112	321,199	14,152	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	1,312	...	.....	...	15	32,738	1,312	Canada.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Cape Colony.
4	8,895	241	...	.....	...	4	8,895	241	Ceylon.
44	42,908	1,536	...	.....	...	44	42,908	1,536	Fiji.
32	47,542	2,126	...	.....	...	32	47,542	2,126	Hong Kong.
19	45,109	1,566	...	.....	...	19	45,109	1,566	India.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mauritius.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Natal.
6	3,831	155	...	.....	...	6	3,831	155	New Guinea.
1	330	27	...	.....	...	1	330	27	Norfolk Island.
19	31,940	836	...	.....	...	19	31,840	836	Straits Settlements.
140	213,193	7,799	...	.....	...	140	213,193	7,799	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
3	7,827	139	...	.....	...	3	7,827	139	Belgium.
2	3,499	85	...	.....	...	2	3,499	85	Celebes.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	China.
1	762	29	...	.....	...	1	762	29	Coc in China.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Delagoa Bay.
31	74,271	3,178	...	.....	...	31	74,271	3,178	France.
26	91,951	2,323	...	.....	...	26	91,951	2,323	Germany.
15	22,952	1,325	...	.....	...	15	22,952	1,325	Japan.
14	24,911	531	...	.....	...	14	24,911	531	Java.
1	126	12	...	.....	...	1	126	12	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
59	69,287	4,743	2	4,445	64	61	73,732	4,807	New Caledonia.
10	4,174	235	...	.....	...	10	4,174	235	New Hebrides.
8	17,231	263	...	.....	...	8	17,231	263	Philippine Islands.
18	9,416	472	...	.....	...	18	9,416	472	South Sea Islands.
13	27,107	1,057	...	.....	...	13	27,107	1,057	United States.
201	353,514	14,392	2	4,445	64	203	357,959	14,456	Total.
2,356	2,725,384	94,499	194	61,223	1,868	2,550	2,786,607	96,367	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

No. 12.—All Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Sailing Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	45	23,917	437	76	91,956	1,326	121	115,873	1,763
Queensland	9	3,911	78	29	29,125	465	38	33,036	543
South Australia	21	21,551	328	43	61,829	838	64	83,380	1,166
Western Australia ...	...	.....	...	15	15,515	251	15	15,515	251
Tasmania	6	1,563	47	4	2,805	42	10	4,368	89
New Zealand	100	27,168	809	24	20,067	350	124	47,235	1,159
Total	181	78,110	1,699	191	221,297	3,272	372	299,407	4,971
United Kingdom	53	88,277	1,398	3	4,242	61	56	92,519	1,459
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	8	9,105	107	...	.....	...	8	9,105	107
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	81	103,990	1,543	81	103,990	1,543
Fiji	5	1,910	45	...	.....	...	5	1,910	45
Hong Kong	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
India	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mauritius	6	3,271	90	10	10,958	183	16	14,229	273
Natal	...	.....	...	12	13,132	210	12	13,132	210
New Guinea	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Norfolk Island	1	61	14	...	.....	...	1	61	14
Straits Settlements ...	...	.....	...	1	51	6	1	51	6
Zanzibar	...	.....	...	1	1,027	12	1	1,027	12
Total	20	14,347	256	105	129,158	1,954	125	143,505	2,210
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	1	1,309	22	...	.....	...	1	1,309	22
Brazil	...	.....	...	6	8,031	103	6	8,031	103
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	...	.....	...	2	3,257	45	2	3,257	45
Columbia	...	.....	...	1	905	13	1	905	13
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	1	544	11	1	544	11
Ecuador	...	.....	...	1	960	14	1	960	14
France	1	883	16	4	6,841	93	5	7,724	109
Germany	9	15,790	233	...	.....	...	9	15,790	233
Hawaii	...	.....	...	1	1,551	21	1	1,551	21
Italy	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Japan	1	1,834	27	...	.....	...	1	1,834	27
Java	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Madagascar	...	.....	...	2	2,969	45	2	2,969	45
Marshall Islands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	8	7,951	124	8	7,951	124
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	1	343	9	1	921	14	2	1,264	23
Norway	7	6,695	107	...	.....	...	7	6,695	107
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands ...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Réunion	...	.....	...	2	1,622	30	2	1,622	30
Siam	...	.....	...	1	1,050	15	1	1,050	15
South Sea Islands ...	12	2,172	108	...	.....	...	12	2,172	108
United States	54	63,467	911	...	.....	...	54	63,467	911
Uruguay	...	.....	...	1	1,715	23	1	1,715	23
Total	86	92,493	1,433	31	38,317	551	117	130,810	1,984
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	340	273,227	4,786	330	393,014	5,838	670	666,241	10,624

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Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
Sailing Vessels.									
8	563	32	11	90	20	19	653	52	Australasia—
11	1,067	59	18	873	76	29	1,940	135	Victoria.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Queensland.
1	68	6	...	.....	...	1	68	6	South Australia.
6	1,152	39	2	151	8	8	1,303	47	Western Australia.
148	44,054	1,249	4	500	24	152	44,554	1,273	Tasmania.
									New Zealand.
174	46,904	1,385	35	1,614	128	209	48,518	1,513	Total.
46	68,234	1,198	...	.....	...	46	68,234	1,198	United Kingdom.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Other British Possessions—
5	4,701	75	...	.....	...	5	4,701	75	Canada.
7	3,148	79	1	10	3	8	3,158	82	Cape Colony.
3	3,125	43	...	.....	...	3	3,125	43	Fiji.
1	498	17	...	.....	...	1	498	17	Hong Kong.
12	9,746	200	...	.....	...	12	9,746	200	India.
1	1,076	26	...	.....	...	1	1,076	26	Mauritius.
...	.....	.....	1	11	2	1	11	2	Natal.
1	52	5	...	.....	...	1	52	5	New Guinea.
2	1,583	21	...	.....	...	2	1,583	21	Norfolk Island.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	..	Straits Settlements.
									Zanzibar.
32	23,929	466	2	21	5	34	23,950	471	Total.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Foreign Countries—
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Belgium.
1	1,068	14	...	.....	...	1	1,068	14	Brazil.
172	221,534	3,458	...	.....	...	172	221,534	3,458	Celebes.
4	6,926	98	...	.....	...	4	6,926	98	Chili.
14	12,535	196	...	.....	...	14	12,535	196	China.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Columbia.
1	684	13	...	.....	...	1	684	13	Delagoa Bay.
5	9,535	139	...	.....	...	5	9,535	139	Ecuador.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	France.
50	46,522	690	...	.....	...	50	46,522	690	Germany.
3	3,605	55	...	.....	...	3	3,605	55	Hawaii.
1	2,121	23	...	.....	...	1	2,121	23	Italy.
5	6,609	99	...	.....	...	5	6,609	99	Japan.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Java.
5	2,156	50	...	.....	...	5	2,156	50	Madagascar.
6	8,154	108	...	.....	...	6	8,154	108	Marshall Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mexico.
2	3,110	43	...	.....	...	2	3,110	43	Mozambique.
2	556	16	...	.....	...	2	556	16	Netherlands.
3	740	23	1	1,685	25	4	2,425	48	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	New Caledonia.
24	26,890	417	...	.....	...	24	26,890	417	Norway.
22	30,931	403	...	.....	...	22	30,931	403	Peru.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Philippine Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Réunion.
12	3,433	108	1	176	9	13	3,609	117	Siam.
89	137,518	1,925	1	1,264	23	90	138,782	1,948	South Sea Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	United States.
									Uruguay.
421	524,627	7,878	3	3,125	57	424	527,752	7,935	Total.
673	663,694	10,927	40	4,760	190	713	668,454	11,117	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

No. 12.—All Vessels Entered from and

Entered from—	Entered.								
	With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam and Sailing Vessels.									
Australasia—									
Victoria	927	551,028	19,101	362	392,046	9,092	1,289	943,074	28,193
Queensland	352	337,862	13,144	41	51,095	914	393	388,957	14,058
South Australia	273	207,704	4,202	113	147,383	2,602	386	355,087	6,804
Western Australia	18	27,597	836	81	120,341	2,133	99	147,938	2,969
Tasmania	173	173,579	6,213	13	13,589	427	186	187,168	6,640
New Zealand	224	210,506	7,687	35	33,262	702	259	243,768	8,389
Total	1,967	1,508,276	51,183	645	757,716	15,870	2,612	2,265,992	67,053
United Kingdom	175	434,636	15,980	5	6,684	147	180	441,320	16,127
Other British Possessions—									
Canada	22	39,871	1,365	...	.....	...	22	39,871	1,365
Cape Colony	...	.....	...	85	111,917	1,657	85	111,917	1,657
Ceylon	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Fiji	28	21,667	867	...	.....	...	28	21,667	867
Hong Kong	29	43,089	2,329	...	.....	...	29	43,089	2,329
India	17	36,886	1,336	...	.....	...	17	36,886	1,336
Mauritius	6	3,271	90	11	14,384	276	17	17,655	366
Natal	...	.....	...	13	16,976	262	13	16,976	262
New Guinea	5	4,012	136	1	370	24	6	4,382	160
Norfolk Island	1	61	14	...	.....	...	1	61	14
Straits Settlements	9	14,778	577	3	3,584	64	12	18,362	641
Zanzibar	...	.....	...	1	1,027	12	1	1,027	12
Total	117	163,635	6,714	114	148,258	2,295	231	311,893	9,009
Foreign Countries—									
Belgium	1	1,309	22	...	.....	...	1	1,309	22
Brazil	...	.....	...	6	8,031	103	6	8,031	103
Celebes	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Chili	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
China	1	1,459	78	2	3,257	45	3	4,716	123
Cochin China	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Columbia	...	.....	...	1	905	13	1	905	13
Delagoa Bay	...	.....	...	2	2,308	42	2	2,308	42
Ecuador	...	.....	...	1	960	14	1	960	14
France	14	37,118	2,634	4	6,841	93	18	43,959	2,727
Germany	36	109,735	2,487	...	.....	...	36	109,735	2,487
Hawaii	...	.....	...	1	1,551	21	1	1,551	21
Italy	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Japan	17	27,230	1,396	6	12,859	205	23	40,089	1,601
Java	...	.....	...	2	2,640	108	2	2,640	108
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Madagascar	...	.....	...	2	2,969	45	2	2,969	45
Marshall Islands	3	1,164	66	...	.....	...	3	1,164	66
Mexico	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Mozambique	...	.....	...	9	9,451	146	9	9,451	146
Netherlands	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
New Caledonia	51	63,850	4,387	4	3,207	131	55	67,057	4,518
New Hebrides	4	1,507	97	...	.....	...	4	1,507	97
Norway	7	6,695	107	...	.....	...	7	6,695	107
Peru	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...
Philippine Islands	2	4,862	85	1	2,233	24	3	7,095	109
Réunion	...	.....	...	2	1,622	30	2	1,622	30
Siam	...	.....	...	1	1,050	15	1	1,050	15
South Sea Islands	34	14,700	694	...	.....	...	34	14,700	694
United States	78	114,434	2,583	...	.....	...	78	114,434	2,583
Uruguay	...	.....	...	1	1,715	23	1	1,715	23
Total	248	384,063	14,636	45	61,599	1,058	293	445,662	15,694
Grand Total of all Vessels	2,507	2,490,610	88,513	809	974,257	19,370	3,316	3,464,867	107,883

Cleared for each Country, 1898—*continued.*

Cleared.									Cleared for—
With Cargo.			In Ballast.			Total.			
No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	No.	Tons.	Crews.	
STEAM AND SAILING VESSELS.									
									Australasia—
915	794,591	25,043	167	12,765	883	1,082	807,356	25,926	Victoria.
351	329,405	13,086	32	25,883	583	383	355,288	13,669	Queensland.
299	250,438	5,283	15	11,081	219	314	261,519	5,502	South Australia.
67	101,090	1,903	...	.....	...	67	101,090	1,903	Western Australia.
152	144,051	5,629	6	2,023	104	158	146,074	5,733	Tasmania.
293	264,807	8,597	7	6,640	143	300	271,447	8,740	New Zealand.
2,077	1,884,382	59,541	227	58,392	1,932	2,304	1,942,774	61,473	Total.
158	389,433	15,350	...	.....	...	158	389,433	15,350	United Kingdom.
									Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	1,312	...	.....	...	15	32,738	1,312	Canada.
5	4,701	75	...	.....	...	5	4,701	75	Cape Colony.
4	8,895	241	...	.....	...	4	8,895	241	Ceylon.
51	46,056	1,615	1	10	3	52	46,066	1,618	Fiji.
35	50,667	2,169	...	.....	...	35	50,667	2,169	Hong Kong.
20	45,607	1,583	...	.....	...	20	45,607	1,583	India.
12	9,746	200	...	.....	...	12	9,746	200	Mauritius.
1	1,076	26	...	.....	...	1	1,076	26	Natal.
6	3,831	155	1	11	2	7	3,842	157	New Guinea.
2	382	32	...	.....	...	2	382	32	Norfolk Island.
21	33,423	857	...	.....	...	21	33,423	857	Straits Settlements.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Zanzibar.
172	237,122	8,265	2	21	5	174	237,143	8,270	Total.
									Foreign Countries—
3	7,827	139	...	.....	...	3	7,827	139	Belgium.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Brazil.
3	4,567	99	...	.....	...	3	4,567	99	Celebes.
172	221,534	3,458	...	.....	...	172	221,534	3,458	Chili.
4	6,926	98	...	.....	...	4	6,926	98	China.
1	762	29	...	.....	...	1	762	29	Cochin China.
14	12,535	196	...	.....	...	14	12,535	196	Columbia.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Delagoa Bay.
1	684	13	...	.....	...	1	684	13	Ecuador.
36	83,806	3,317	...	.....	...	36	83,806	3,317	France.
26	91,951	2,323	...	.....	...	26	91,951	2,323	Germany.
50	46,522	690	...	.....	...	50	46,522	690	Hawaii.
3	3,605	55	...	.....	...	3	3,605	55	Italy.
16	25,073	1,348	...	.....	...	16	25,073	1,348	Japan.
19	31,520	630	...	.....	...	19	31,520	630	Java.
1	126	12	...	.....	...	1	126	12	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Madagascar.
5	2,156	50	...	.....	...	5	2,156	50	Marshall Islands.
6	8,154	108	...	.....	...	6	8,154	108	Mexico.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Mozambique.
2	3,110	43	...	.....	...	2	3,110	43	Netherlands.
2	556	16	...	.....	...	2	556	16	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
62	70,027	4,766	3	6,130	89	65	76,157	4,855	New Caledonia.
10	4,174	235	...	.....	...	10	4,174	235	New Hebrides.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Norway.
24	26,890	417	...	.....	...	24	26,890	417	Peru.
30	48,162	666	...	.....	...	30	48,162	666	Philippine Islands.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Réunion.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Siam.
30	12,849	580	1	176	9	31	13,025	589	South Sea Islands.
102	164,625	2,982	1	1,264	23	103	165,889	3,005	United States.
...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	Uruguay.
622	878,141	22,270	5	7,570	121	627	885,711	22,391	Total.
3,029	3,389,078	105,426	234	65,983	2,058	3,263	3,455,061	107,484	Grand Total of all Vessels.

No. 13.—Vessels Entered from Principal Countries, 1889–98.

Year.	Australasia.												United Kingdom.	
	Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania		New Zealand.			
	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.
1889	1340	990,880	486	313,879	420	216,194	5	3,139	182	129,185	261	163,497	222	416,318
1890	1183	874,789	379	273,004	415	186,887	3	3,077	181	146,904	213	147,065	198	381,248
1891	1168	947,116	350	276,685	432	329,192	6	5,073	155	129,234	264	160,135	234	474,353
1892	1038	851,701	320	249,160	471	303,008	21	19,790	215	170,483	214	161,547	214	464,038
1893	1054	707,557	382	269,483	426	264,984	19	23,259	205	159,885	235	181,768	173	396,524
1894	1270	774,719	398	278,025	415	226,696	21	27,958	178	129,562	255	203,715	194	435,386
1895	1141	754,625	391	298,982	366	230,441	21	29,889	185	144,126	225	189,950	191	437,618
1896	1145	796,548	413	321,611	458	297,346	79	113,746	155	135,925	218	187,359	178	423,535
1897	1273	889,011	421	342,664	393	355,758	114	160,275	192	191,072	254	214,222	177	437,538
1898	1289	943,074	393	388,957	386	355,087	99	147,938	186	187,168	259	243,768	180	441,320

Year.	Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.								Total Entered.	
			France.		Germany.		United States of America.		Other Foreign Countries.			
	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.
1889	112	130,928	13	32,686	27	47,090	63	78,901	123	109,384	3,254	2,632,081
1890	94	134,860	13	29,237	41	71,365	50	64,375	119	100,436	2,889	2,413,247
1891	119	159,360	13	31,197	48	80,228	79	90,363	153	138,962	3,021	2,821,898
1892	126	169,032	13	32,603	44	76,090	72	86,486	212	220,611	2,960	2,804,549
1893	155	206,340	14	39,083	39	65,582	43	58,927	169	216,979	2,914	2,590,371
1894	211	297,710	18	44,361	32	64,663	47	62,933	233	314,240	3,272	2,859,968
1895	207	271,076	16	41,808	37	87,197	54	80,807	287	363,239	3,121	2,929,758
1896	249	323,528	20	46,033	36	88,568	74	115,497	199	231,055	3,224	3,080,751
1897	230	307,583	15	40,412	35	104,823	87	122,807	154	165,712	3,345	3,331,877
1898	231	311,893	18	43,959	36	109,735	78	114,434	161	177,534	3,316	3,464,867

No. 14.—Vessels Cleared for Principal Countries, 1889–98.

Year.	Australasia.												United Kingdom.	
	Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.			
	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.
1889	1039	706,882	400	258,619	408	187,849	24	10,799	101	83,357	278	179,999	134	274,408
1890	969	664,457	340	250,114	390	151,189	15	9,048	122	111,927	247	185,728	120	269,885
1891	1075	814,486	299	235,178	343	216,660	29	21,726	115	97,307	285	189,484	150	327,058
1892	1059	798,019	328	228,244	363	185,076	18	14,140	178	140,863	248	188,577	164	377,667
1893	970	634,734	383	247,323	398	225,423	18	18,482	165	135,355	260	202,774	164	380,576
1894	1202	732,650	385	273,737	388	188,453	25	37,756	127	88,892	297	231,081	170	387,741
1895	1041	684,167	369	274,828	313	168,792	37	50,623	123	89,362	289	235,503	190	440,785
1896	1035	740,341	388	286,200	403	191,193	55	76,800	138	121,153	267	220,809	177	426,342
1897	920	809,455	406	319,615	309	237,011	74	103,905	147	139,777	301	259,810	173	424,640
1898	1082	807,356	383	355,288	314	261,519	67	101,090	158	146,074	300	271,447	158	389,433

Year.	Other British Possessions.		Foreign Countries.								Total Cleared.	
			France.		Germany.		United States of America.		Other Foreign Countries.			
	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.	No.	tonnage.
1889	211	231,913	13	31,921	18	37,527	205	309,287	398	376,537	3,229	2,689,098
1890	122	154,406	12	27,859	28	62,003	104	158,108	308	303,901	2,777	2,348,625
1891	163	188,696	18	42,139	30	62,141	207	292,104	386	385,359	3,100	2,872,338
1892	156	194,408	22	48,751	30	62,429	133	215,632	368	388,829	3,067	2,842,635
1893	130	159,651	23	55,809	29	59,689	94	175,393	282	307,748	2,916	2,602,957
1894	150	179,306	21	52,764	27	60,132	108	201,070	391	445,004	3,291	2,878,586
1895	149	182,998	31	76,461	27	74,128	118	207,315	403	445,318	3,090	2,930,280
1896	158	201,372	36	82,022	20	57,953	125	219,798	406	485,026	3,208	3,109,009
1897	168	221,480	32	77,827	23	85,025	125	209,977	442	524,032	3,120	3,412,554
1898	174	237,143	36	83,806	26	91,951	103	165,889	462	544,065	3,263	3,455,061

No. 15.—Vessels Entered and Cleared with Cargo and in Ballast, 1889–98.

Year.	With Cargo.						In Ballast.					
	Steam.		Sailing.		Total.		Steam.		Sailing.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
ENTERED.												
1889	1,722	1,506,752	611	421,062	2,333	1,927,814	534	363,530	387	340,737	921	704,267
1890	1,719	1,516,687	519	352,296	2,238	1,868,983	400	315,565	251	228,699	651	544,264
1891	1,693	1,751,989	608	437,292	2,301	2,189,281	462	395,344	258	237,273	720	632,617
1892	1,750	1,731,244	488	349,040	2,238	2,080,284	425	412,674	297	311,591	722	724,265
1893	1,956	1,741,598	358	227,584	2,314	1,969,182	389	375,567	211	245,622	600	621,189
1894	2,119	1,787,402	348	220,361	2,467	2,007,763	454	400,308	351	451,897	805	852,205
1895	2,019	1,824,553	334	252,392	2,353	2,076,945	396	386,412	372	466,401	768	852,813
1896	2,084	1,871,668	351	306,977	2,435	2,178,645	464	507,286	325	394,820	789	902,106
1897	2,192	2,121,745	350	304,204	2,542	2,425,949	467	514,184	336	391,744	803	905,928
1898	2,167	2,217,383	340	273,227	2,507	2,490,610	479	581,243	330	393,014	809	974,257
CLEARED.												
1889	2,039	1,802,000	1,037	821,200	3,076	2,623,200	116	46,096	37	19,802	153	65,898
1890	1,930	1,774,336	702	507,443	2,632	2,281,779	99	48,226	46	18,620	145	66,846
1891	2,031	2,086,487	873	702,895	2,904	2,789,382	138	65,971	58	16,985	196	82,956
1892	2,079	2,129,673	759	647,440	2,838	2,777,113	187	56,043	42	9,479	229	65,522
1893	2,104	2,053,096	580	491,398	2,684	2,544,494	209	56,925	23	1,538	232	58,463
1894	2,270	2,145,891	689	655,896	2,959	2,801,787	311	73,921	21	2,878	332	76,799
1895	2,142	2,185,229	686	686,899	2,828	2,872,128	245	51,522	17	6,630	262	58,152
1896	2,258	2,335,085	661	693,547	2,919	3,028,632	260	55,711	29	24,666	289	80,377
1897	2,230	2,603,132	706	729,151	2,936	3,332,283	159	68,874	25	11,397	184	80,271
1898	2,356	2,725,384	673	663,694	3,029	3,389,078	194	61,223	40	4,760	234	65,983

ENTERED AND CLEARED.

Year.	Entered.						Cleared.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
1889	2,333	1,927,814	921	704,267	3,254	2,632,081	3,076	2,623,200	153	65,898	3,229	2,689,098
1890	2,238	1,868,983	651	544,264	2,889	2,413,247	2,632	2,281,779	145	66,846	2,777	2,348,625
1891	2,301	2,189,281	720	632,617	3,021	2,821,898	2,904	2,789,382	196	82,956	3,100	2,872,338
1892	2,238	2,080,284	722	724,265	2,960	2,804,549	2,838	2,777,113	229	65,522	3,067	2,842,635
1893	2,314	1,969,182	600	621,189	2,914	2,590,371	2,684	2,544,494	232	58,463	2,916	2,602,957
1894	2,467	2,007,763	805	852,205	3,272	2,859,968	2,959	2,801,787	332	76,799	3,291	2,878,586
1895	2,353	2,076,945	768	852,813	3,121	2,929,758	2,828	2,872,128	262	58,152	3,090	2,930,280
1896	2,435	2,178,645	789	902,106	3,224	3,080,751	2,919	3,028,632	289	80,377	3,208	3,109,009
1897	2,542	2,425,949	803	905,928	3,345	3,331,877	2,936	3,332,283	184	80,271	3,120	3,412,554
1898	2,507	2,490,610	809	974,257	3,316	3,464,867	3,029	3,389,078	234	65,983	3,263	3,455,061

No. 16.—Vessels Entered and Cleared at each Port during 1898.

Port	Entered.				Cleared.				Total Entered and Cleared.	
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		With Cargo.		In Ballast.			
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
STEAM VESSELS.										
Sydney	1,433	2,064,168	38	59,813	1,194	1,740,085	22	31,584	2,687	3,895,650
Newcastle	49	59,132	309	429,644	515	749,461	9	17,220	912	1,255,457
Clarence River (Grafton) ...	...	.....	2	645	1	231	...	...	3	876
Wollongong	...	.....	76	86,999	128	144,385	...	...	204	231,384
Twofold Bay (Eden)... ...	25	35,987	...	.....	41	49,550	...	...	66	85,537
Murray River—										
Wentworth...	194	19,987	29	2,332	208	21,860	65	5,827	496	50,006
Euston	34	1,601	5	327	64	4,239	52	3,585	155	9,752
Moama	179	16,042	18	1,459	2	123	7	905	206	18,529
Swan Hill	253	20,466	2	24	173	15,450	39	2,102	467	38,042
Total	2,167	2,217,383	479	581,243	2,356	2,725,384	194	61,223	5,196	5,585,233
SAILING VESSELS.										
Sydney	288	245,151	28	37,341	117	122,473	30	4,703	463	409,668
Newcastle	32	26,929	290	352,357	512	531,911	...	...	834	911,197
Port Stephens	...	.....	4	1,591	5	1,500	...	...	9	3,091
Clarence River (Grafton) ...	2	522	6	1,476	23	4,810	...	...	31	6,808
Tweed River (Murwillumbah)	...	.....	2	249	...	.....	...	...	2	249
Wollongong	...	.....	...	.....	8	2,275	...	...	8	2,275
Twofold Bay (Eden)... ...	18	625	...	.....	8	725	10	57	36	1,407
Total	340	273,227	330	393,014	673	663,694	40	4,760	1,383	1,334,695
ALL VESSELS.										
Sydney	1,721	2,309,319	66	97,154	1,311	1,862,558	52	36,287	3,150	4,305,318
Newcastle	81	86,061	599	782,001	1,057	1,281,372	9	17,220	1,746	2,166,654
Port Stephens	...	.....	4	1,591	5	1,500	...	...	9	3,091
Clarence River (Grafton) ...	2	522	8	2,121	24	5,041	...	...	34	7,684
Tweed River (Murwillumbah)	...	.....	2	249	...	.....	...	...	2	249
Wollongong	...	.....	76	86,999	136	146,660	...	...	212	233,659
Twofold Bay (Eden)... ...	43	36,612	...	.....	49	50,275	10	57	102	86,944
Murray River—										
Wentworth...	194	19,987	29	2,332	208	21,860	65	5,827	496	50,006
Euston	34	1,601	5	327	64	4,239	52	3,585	155	9,752
Moama	179	16,042	18	1,459	2	123	7	905	206	18,529
Swan Hill	253	20,466	2	24	173	15,450	39	2,102	467	38,042
Total	2,507	2,490,610	809	974,257	3,029	3,389,078	234	65,983	6,579	6,919,928

No. 17.—Vessels Entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Steam Vessels.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	361	468,787	7	10,420	368	479,207
Queensland	331	326,563	2	2,740	333	329,303
South Australia	87	151,340	5	5,546	92	156,886
Western Australia	18	27,597	16	28,144	34	55,741
Tasmania	143	136,876	1	1,713	144	138,589
New Zealand	118	174,355	.....	.....	118	174,355
Total	1,058	1,285,518	31	48,563	1,089	1,334,081
United Kingdom	122	346,359	1	288	123	346,647
Other British Possessions—						
Canada	14	30,766	.....	.....	14	30,766
Cape Colony	.....	.....	2	3,515	2	3,515
Fiji	20	16,802	.....	.....	20	16,802
Hong Kong	29	43,089	.....	.....	29	43,089
India	17	36,886	.....	.....	17	36,886
Natal	.....	.....	1	3,844	1	3,844
New Guinea	5	4,012	1	370	6	4,382
Norfolk Island	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Straits Settlements	7	9,928	1	1,469	8	11,397
Total	92	141,483	5	9,198	97	150,681
Foreign Countries—						
Belgium	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	1	1,459	.....	.....	1	1,459
Delagoa Bay	.....	.....	1	1,764	1	1,764
France	13	36,235	.....	.....	13	36,235
Germany	27	93,945	.....	.....	27	93,945
Japan	16	25,396	.....	.....	16	25,396
Java	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marshall Islands	3	1,164	.....	.....	3	1,164
New Caledonia	49	62,745	.....	.....	49	62,745
New Hebrides	4	1,507	.....	.....	4	1,507
Philippine Islands	2	4,862	.....	.....	2	4,862
South Sea Islands	22	12,528	...	.....	22	12,528
United States	24	50,967	.....	.....	24	50,967
Total	161	290,808	1	1,764	162	292,572
Grand Total of Steam Vessels	1,433	2,064,168	38	59,813	1,471	2,123,981

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Cleared.						Cleared for—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
			STEAM VESSELS.			
						Australasia—
341	442,178	2	993	343	443,171	Victoria.
293	283,610	11	18,552	304	302,162	Queensland.
6	8,972	3	4,054	9	13,026	South Australia.
12	19,106	.....	.....	12	19,106	Western Australia.
81	67,066	3	1,845	84	68,911	Tasmania.
112	185,014	3	6,140	115	191,154	New Zealand.
845	1,005,946	22	31,584	867	1,037,530	Total.
110	315,570	.....	.....	110	315,570	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	.....	.....	15	32,738	Canada.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cape Colony.
27	25,745	.....	.....	27	25,745	Fiji.
29	43,062	.....	.....	29	43,062	Hong Kong.
5	15,872	.....	.....	5	15,872	India.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Natal.
4	1,976	.....	.....	4	1,976	New Guinea.
1	330	.....	.....	1	330	Norfolk Island.
2	2,780	.....	.....	2	2,780	Straits Settlements.
83	122,503	.....	.....	83	122,503	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
3	7,827	.....	.....	3	7,827	Belgium.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	China.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Delagoa Bay.
31	74,271	.....	.....	31	74,271	France.
26	91,951	.....	.....	26	91,951	Germany.
14	21,665	.....	.....	14	21,665	Japan.
1	1,192	.....	.....	1	1,192	Java.
1	126	.....	.....	1	126	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Marshall Islands.
45	57,578	.....	.....	45	57,578	New Caledonia.
3	990	.....	.....	3	990	New Hebrides.
2	4,392	.....	.....	2	4,392	Philippine Islands.
17	8,967	.....	.....	17	8,967	South Sea Islands.
13	27,107	.....	.....	13	27,107	United States.
156	296,066	.....	.....	156	296,066	Total.
1,194	1,740,085	22	31,584	1,216	1,771,669	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

No. 17.—Vessels Entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
SAILING VESSELS.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	14	13,010	4	7,080	18	20,090
Queensland	6	3,061	2	2,365	8	5,426
South Australia	7	7,220	2	4,074	9	11,294
Western Australia	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tasmania	5	1,428	.....	.....	5	1,428
New Zealand	98	26,076	1	1,116	99	27,192
Total	130	50,795	9	14,635	139	65,430
United Kingdom	52	87,516	1	1,339	53	88,855
Other British Possessions—						
Canada	8	9,105	.....	.....	8	9,105
Cape Colony	.....	.....	12	14,861	12	14,861
Fiji	5	1,910	.....	.....	5	1,910
Mauritius	6	3,271	.....	.....	6	3,271
Natal	.....	.....	3	4,360	3	4,360
New Guinea	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Norfolk Island	1	61	.....	.....	1	61
Straits Settlements	.....	.....	1	51	1	51
Total	20	14,347	16	19,272	36	33,619
Foreign Countries—						
Belgium	1	1,309	.....	.....	1	1,309
Chili	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Delagoa Bay	.....	.....	1	544	1	544
France	1	883	.....	.....	1	883
Germany	9	15,790	.....	.....	9	15,790
Hawaii	.....	.....	1	1,551	1	1,551
Italy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Japan	1	1,834	.....	.....	1	1,834
Marshall Islands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Netherlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Pommern (New Britain)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Caledonia	1	343	.....	.....	1	343
Norway	7	6,695	.....	.....	7	6,695
South Sea Islands	12	2,172	.....	.....	12	2,172
United States	54	63,467	.....	.....	54	63,467
Total	86	92,493	2	2,095	88	94,588
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	288	245,151	28	37,341	316	282,492

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Cleared.						Cleared for—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
Sailing Vessels.						
						Australasia—
2	108	1	33	3	141	Victoria.
5	371	18	873	23	1,244	Queensland.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	South Australia.
1	68	.....	.....	1	68	Western Australia.
5	1,017	2	151	7	1,168	Tasmania.
2	328	4	500	6	828	New Zealand.
15	1,892	25	1,557	40	3,449	Total.
44	65,492	.....	.....	44	65,492	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Canada.
2	1,991	.....	.....	2	1,991	Cape Colony.
4	2,075	1	10	5	2,085	Fiji.
5	2,773	.....	.....	5	2,773	Mauritius.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Natal.
.....	.....	1	11	1	11	New Guinea.
1	52	.....	.....	1	52	Norfolk Island.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Straits Settlements.
12	6,891	2	21	14	6,912	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Belgium.
1	885	.....	.....	1	885	Chili.
2	3,659	.....	.....	2	3,659	China.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Delagoa Bay.
5	9,535	.....	.....	5	9,535	France.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Germany.
2	3,758	.....	.....	2	3,758	Hawaii.
3	3,605	.....	.....	3	3,605	Italy.
1	2,121	.....	.....	1	2,121	Japan.
5	2,156	.....	.....	5	2,156	Marshall Islands.
2	3,110	.....	.....	2	3,110	Netherlands.
2	556	.....	.....	2	556	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
2	488	1	1,685	3	2,173	New Caledonia.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Norway.
11	2,286	1	176	12	2,462	South Sea Islands.
10	16,039	1	1,264	11	17,303	United States.
46	48,198	3	3,125	49	51,323	Total.
117	122,473	30	4,703	147	127,176	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

No. 17.—Vessels Entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
All Vessels.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	375	481,797	11	17,500	386	499,297
Queensland	337	329,624	4	5,105	341	334,729
South Australia	94	158,560	7	9,620	101	168,180
Western Australia	18	27,597	16	28,144	34	55,741
Tasmania	148	138,304	1	1,713	149	140,017
New Zealand	216	200,431	1	1,116	217	201,547
Total	1,188	1,336,313	40	63,198	1,228	1,399,511
United Kingdom	174	433,875	2	1,627	176	435,502
Other British Possessions—						
Canada	22	39,871	.....	.....	22	39,871
Cape Colony	.....	.....	14	18,376	14	18,376
Fiji	25	18,712	.....	.....	25	18,712
Hong Kong	29	43,089	.....	.....	29	43,089
India	17	36,886	.....	.....	17	36,886
Mauritius	6	3,271	.....	.....	6	3,271
Natal	.....	.....	4	8,204	4	8,204
New Guinea	5	4,012	1	370	6	4,382
Norfolk Island	1	61	.....	.....	1	61
Straits Settlements	7	9 928	2	1,520	9	11,448
Total	112	155,830	21	28,470	133	184,300
Foreign Countries—						
Belgium	1	1,309	.....	.....	1	1,309
Chili	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	1	1,459	.....	.....	1	1,459
Delagoa Bay	.....	.....	2	2,308	2	2,308
France	14	37,118	.....	.....	14	37,118
Germany	36	109,735	.....	.....	36	109,735
Hawaii	.....	.....	1	1,551	1	1,551
Italy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Japan	17	27,230	.....	.....	17	27,230
Java	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Marshall Islands	3	1,164	.....	.....	3	1,164
Netherlands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Caledonia	50	63,088	.....	.....	50	63,088
New Hebrides	4	1,507	.....	.....	4	1,507
Norway	7	6,695	.....	.....	7	6,695
Philippine Islands	2	4,862	.....	.....	2	4,862
South Sea Islands	34	14,700	.....	.....	34	14,700
United States	78	114,434	.....	.....	78	114,434
Total	247	383,301	3	3,859	250	387,160
Grand Total of All Vessels	1,721	2,309,319	66	97,154	1,787	2,406,473

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Cleared.						Cleared for—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
ALL VESSELS.						
						Australasia—
343	442,286	3	1,026	346	443,312	Victoria.
298	283,981	29	19,425	327	303,406	Queensland.
6	8,972	3	4,054	9	13,026	South Australia.
13	19,174	.....	.....	13	19,174	Western Australia.
86	68,083	5	1,996	91	70,079	Tasmania.
114	185,342	7	6,640	121	191,982	New Zealand.
860	1,007,838	47	33,141	907	1,040,979	Total.
154	381,062	.....	.....	154	381,062	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
15	32,738	.....	.....	15	32,738	Canada.
2	1,991	.....	.....	2	1,991	Cape Colony.
31	27,820	1	10	32	27,830	Fiji.
29	43,062	.....	.....	29	43,062	Hong Kong.
5	15,872	.....	.....	5	15,872	India.
5	2,773	.....	.....	5	2,773	Mauritius.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Natal.
4	1,976	1	11	5	1,987	New Guinea.
2	382	.....	.....	2	382	Norfolk Island.
2	2,780	.....	.....	2	2,780	Straits Settlements.
95	129,394	2	21	97	129,415	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
3	7,827	.....	.....	3	7,827	Belgium.
1	885	.....	.....	1	885	Chili.
2	3,659	.....	.....	2	3,659	China.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Delagoa Bay.
36	83,806	.....	.....	36	83,806	France.
26	91,951	.....	.....	26	91,951	Germany.
2	3,758	.....	.....	2	3,758	Hawaii.
3	3,605	.....	.....	3	3,605	Italy.
15	23,786	.....	.....	15	23,786	Japan.
1	1,192	.....	.....	1	1,192	Java.
1	126	.....	.....	1	126	Kaiser Wilhelm's Land.
5	2,156	.....	.....	5	2,156	Marshall Islands.
2	3,110	.....	.....	2	3,110	Netherlands.
2	556	.....	.....	2	556	Neu Pommern (New Britain).
47	58,066	1	1,685	48	59,751	New Caledonia.
3	990	.....	.....	3	990	New Hebrides.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Norway.
2	4,392	.....	.....	2	4,392	Philippine Islands.
28	11,253	1	176	29	11,429	South Sea Islands.
23	43,146	1	1,264	24	44,410	United States.
202	344,264	3	3,125	205	347,389	Total.
1,311	1,862,558	52	36,287	1,363	1,898,845	Grand Total of All Vessels.

No. 18.—Vessels entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
STEAM VESSELS.						
Australasia—						
Victoria...	10	13,804	186	236,710	196	250,514
Queensland	12	7,388	9	18,999	21	26,387
South Australia	14	20,172	40	57,416	54	77,588
Western Australia	.....	.....	42	65,071	42	65,071
Tasmania	2	1,152	4	5,093	6	6,245
New Zealand	5	8,049	10	12,781	15	20,830
Total	43	50,565	291	396,070	334	446,635
United Kingdom	.....	.....	1	2,154	1	2,154
Other British Possessions—						
Cape Colony	.....	.....	2	4,412	2	4,412
Ceylon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fiji	3	2,955	.....	.....	3	2,955
Hongkong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
India	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mauritius	.....	.....	1	3,426	1	3,426
New Guinea	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Straits Settlements	2	4,850	1	2,064	3	6,914
Total	5	7,805	4	9,902	9	17,707
Foreign Countries—						
Celebes...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cochin China	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Japan	.....	.....	6	12,859	6	12,859
Java	.....	.....	2	2,640	2	2,640
Mozambique	.....	.....	1	1,500	1	1,500
New Caledonia...	1	762	3	2,286	4	3,048
New Hebrides...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philippine Islands	.....	.....	1	2,233	1	2,233
Total	1	762	13	21,518	14	22,280
Grand Total of Steam Vessels ...	49	59,132	309	429,644	358	488,776

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Cleared.						Cleared for—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
			STEAM VESSELS.			
						Australasia—
213	278,099	.....	.....	213	278,099	Victoria.
43	43,312	3	6,458	46	49,770	Queensland.
122	184,445	3	6,290	125	190,735	South Australia.
43	67,179	.....	.....	43	67,179	Western Australia.
7	7,497	1	27	8	7,524	Tasmania.
32	35,325	.....	.....	32	35,325	New Zealand.
460	615,857	7	12,775	467	628,632	Total.
2	5,629	.....	.....	2	5,629	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Cape Colony.
3	6,601	.....	.....	3	6,601	Ceylon.
11	10,505	.....	.....	11	10,505	Fiji.
1	1,494	.....	.....	1	1,494	Hongkong.
14	29,237	.....	.....	14	29,237	India.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mauritius.
2	1,855	.....	.....	2	1,855	New Guinea.
14	23,534	.....	.....	14	23,534	Straits Settlements.
45	73,226	.....	.....	45	73,226	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
2	3,499	.....	.....	2	3,499	Celebes.
1	762	.....	.....	1	762	Cochin China.
1	1,287	.....	.....	1	1,287	Japan.
13	23,719	.....	.....	13	23,719	Java.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mozambique.
14	11,709	2	4,445	16	16,154	New Caledonia.
1	934	.....	.....	1	934	New Hebrides.
6	12,839	.....	.....	6	12,839	Philippine Islands.
38	54,749	2	4,445	40	59,194	Total.
545	749,461	9	17,220	554	766,681	Grand Total of Steam Vessels.

No. 18.—Vessels Entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Sailing Vessels.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	14	10,259	66	83,131	80	93,390
Queensland	2	773	25	26,511	27	27,284
South Australia	14	14,331	41	57,755	55	72,086
Western Australia	.....	.....	15	15,515	15	15,515
Tasmania	.....	.....	4	2,805	4	2,805
New Zealand	1	805	20	17,882	21	18,687
Total	31	26,168	171	203,599	202	229,767
United Kingdom	1	761	2	2,903	3	3,664
Other British Possessions—						
Cape Colony	.....	.....	68	88,876	68	88,876
Fiji	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hong Kong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
India	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mauritius	.....	.....	10	10,958	10	10,958
Natal	.....	.....	9	8,772	9	8,772
Straits Settlements	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Zanzibar	.....	.....	1	1,027	1	1,027
Total	.....	.....	88	109,633	88	109,633
Foreign Countries—						
Brazil	.....	.....	6	8,031	6	8,031
Celebes	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chili	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	.....	.....	2	3,257	2	3,257
Columbia	.....	.....	1	905	1	905
Ecuador	.....	.....	1	960	1	960
France	.....	.....	4	6,841	4	6,841
Java	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madagascar	.....	.....	2	2,969	2	2,969
Mexico	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mozambique	.....	.....	8	7,951	8	7,951
New Caledonia	.....	.....	1	921	1	921
Peru	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philippine Islands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Réunion	.....	.....	2	1,622	2	1,622
Siam	.....	.....	1	1,050	1	1,050
South Sea Islands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United States	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Uruguay	.....	.....	1	1,715	1	1,715
Total	.....	.....	29	36,222	29	36,222
Grand Total of Sailing Vessels	32	26,929	290	352,357	322	379,286

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Cleared.						Cleared for—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
Sailing Vessels.						
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Australasia—
3	331	.....	.....	3	331	Victoria.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Queensland.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	South Australia.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Western Australia.
112	35,371	.....	.....	112	35,371	Tasmania.
						New Zealand.
115	35,702	.....	.....	115	35,702	Total.
2	2,742	.....	.....	2	2,742	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
3	2,710	.....	.....	3	2,710	Cape Colony.
3	1,073	.....	.....	3	1,073	Fiji.
3	3,125	.....	.....	3	3,125	Hong Kong.
1	498	.....	.....	1	498	India.
7	6,973	.....	.....	7	6,973	Mauritius.
1	1,076	.....	.....	1	1,076	Natal.
2	1,583	.....	.....	2	1,583	Straits Settlements.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Zanzibar.
20	17,038	.....	.....	20	17,038	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Brazil.
1	1,068	.....	.....	1	1,068	Celebes.
171	220,649	.....	.....	171	220,649	Chili.
2	3,267	.....	.....	2	3,267	China.
14	12,535	.....	.....	14	12,535	Columbia.
1	684	.....	.....	1	684	Ecuador.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	France.
5	6,609	.....	.....	5	6,609	Java.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madagascar.
6	8,154	.....	.....	6	8,154	Mexico.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mozambique.
1	252	.....	.....	1	252	New Caledonia.
24	26,890	.....	.....	24	26,890	Peru.
22	30,931	.....	.....	22	30,931	Philippine Islands.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Réunion.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Siam.
49	43,911	.....	.....	49	43,911	South Sea Islands.
79	121,479	.....	.....	79	121,479	United States.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Uruguay.
375	476,429	.....	.....	375	476,429	Total.
512	531,911	.....	.....	512	531,911	Grand Total of Sailing Vessels.

No. 18.—Vessels Entered and Cleared

Entered from—	Entered.					
	With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
All Vessels.						
Australasia—						
Victoria	24	24,063	252	319,841	276	343,904
Queensland	14	8,161	34	45,510	48	53,671
South Australia	28	34,503	81	115,171	109	149,674
Western Australia	.....	.....	57	80,586	57	80,586
Tasmania	2	1,152	8	7,898	10	9,050
New Zealand	6	8,854	30	30,663	36	39,517
Total	74	76,733	462	599,669	536	676,402
United Kingdom	1	761	3	5,057	4	5,818
Other British Possessions—						
Cape Colony	.....	.....	70	93,288	70	93,288
Ceylon	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fiji	3	2,955	.....	.....	3	2,955
Hongkong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
India	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mauritius	.....	.....	11	14,384	11	14,384
Natal	.....	.....	9	8,772	9	8,772
New Guinea	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Straits Settlements	2	4,850	1	2,064	3	6,914
Zanzibar	.....	.....	1	1,027	1	1,027
Total	5	7,805	92	119,535	97	127,340
Foreign Countries—						
Brazil	.....	.....	6	8,031	6	8,031
Celebes	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chili	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	.....	.....	2	3,257	2	3,257
Cochin China	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Columbia	.....	.....	1	905	1	905
Ecuador	.....	.....	1	960	1	960
France	.....	.....	4	6,841	4	6,841
Japan	.....	.....	6	12,859	6	12,859
Java	.....	.....	2	2,640	2	2,640
Madagascar	.....	.....	2	2,969	2	2,969
Mexico	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mozambique	.....	.....	9	9,451	9	9,451
New Caledonia	1	762	4	3,207	5	3,969
New Hebrides	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Peru	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Philippine Islands	.....	.....	1	2,233	1	2,233
Réunion	.....	.....	2	1,622	2	1,622
Siam	.....	.....	1	1,050	1	1,050
South Sea Islands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
United States	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Uruguay	.....	.....	1	1,715	1	1,715
Total	1	762	42	57,740	43	58,502
Grand Total of all Vessels	81	86,061	599	782,001	680	868,062

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Cleared.						Cleared or—
With Cargo.		In Ballast.		Total.		
No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	
ALL VESSELS.						
						Australasia—
213	278,099	.....	.....	213	278,099	Victoria.
46	43,643	3	6,458	49	50,101	Queensland.
122	184,445	3	6,290	125	190,735	South Australia.
43	67,179	.....	.....	43	67,179	Western Australia.
7	7,497	1	27	8	7,524	Tasmania.
144	70,696	.....	.....	144	70,696	New Zealand.
575	651,559	7	12,775	582	664,334	Total.
4	8,371	.....	.....	4	8,371	United Kingdom.
						Other British Possessions—
3	6,601	.....	.....	3	6,601	Cape Colony.
3	2,710	.....	.....	3	2,710	Ceylon.
14	11,578	.....	.....	14	11,578	Fiji.
4	4,619	.....	.....	4	4,619	Hongkong.
15	29,735	.....	.....	15	29,735	India.
7	6,973	.....	.....	7	6,973	Mauritius.
1	1,076	.....	.....	1	1,076	Natal.
2	1,855	.....	.....	2	1,855	New Guinea.
16	25,117	.....	.....	16	25,117	Straits Settlements.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Zanzibar.
65	90,264	.....	.....	65	90,264	Total.
						Foreign Countries—
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Brazil.
3	4,567	.....	.....	3	4,567	Celebes.
171	220,649	.....	.....	171	220,649	Chili.
2	3,267	.....	.....	2	3,267	China.
1	762	.....	.....	1	762	Cochin China.
14	12,535	.....	.....	14	12,535	Columbia.
1	684	.....	.....	1	684	Ecuador.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	France.
1	1,287	.....	.....	1	1,287	Japan.
18	30,328	.....	.....	18	30,328	Java.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Madagascar.
6	8,154	.....	.....	6	8,154	Mexico.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Mozambique.
15	11,961	2	4,445	17	16,406	New Caledonia.
1	934	.....	.....	1	934	New Hebrides.
24	26,890	.....	.....	24	26,890	Peru.
28	43,770	.....	.....	28	43,770	Philippine Islands.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Réunion.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Siam.
49	43,911	.....	.....	49	43,911	South Sea Islands.
79	121,479	.....	.....	79	121,479	United States.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Uruguay.
413	531,178	2	4,445	415	535,623	Total.
1,057	1,281,372	9	17,220	1,066	1,298,592	Grand Total of all Vessels.

No. 19.—Shipping of Principal Ports, 1889-98.

Year.	Sydney.		Newcastle.		Wollongong.		Twofold Bay (Eden).		Other Ports.		Total Tonnage Entered and Cleared.
	Tonnage Entered and Cleared.	Percentage.	Tonnage Entered and Cleared.	Percentage.	Tonnage Entered and Cleared.	Percentage.	Tonnage Entered and Cleared.	Percentage.	Tonnage Entered and Cleared.	Percentage.	
1889	3,191,998	59·99	1,871,005	35·16	41,145	0·77	73,147	1·38	143,884	2·70	5,321,179
1890	3,001,221	63·03	1,467,578	30·82	56,483	1·18	81,356	1·71	155,234	3·26	4,761,872
1891	3,469,862	60·94	1,844,842	32·40	101,888	1·79	120,554	2·11	157,090	2·76	5,694,236
1892	3,490,785	61·81	1,753,485	31·05	149,720	2·65	123,552	2·19	129,642	2·30	5,647,184
1893	3,488,122	67·16	1,367,207	26·33	103,202	1·99	84,443	1·62	150,354	2·90	5,193,328
1894	3,571,614	62·24	1,757,861	30·63	150,558	2·62	73,351	1·28	185,170	3·23	5,738,554
1895	3,697,605	63·10	1,776,234	30·31	162,830	2·78	61,281	1·04	162,088	2·77	5,860,038
1896	3,911,051	63·18	1,867,889	30·18	207,288	3·35	46,124	0·75	157,408	2·54	6,189,760
1897	4,237,289	62·82	2,063,790	30·60	214,349	3·18	89,469	1·33	139,534	2·07	6,744,431
1898	4,305,318	62·21	2,166,654	31·31	233,659	3·38	86,944	1·26	127,353	1·84	6,919,928

NOTE.—Vessels are entered at the first port of call and cleared at the port from which final departure is taken.

No. 20.—Shipping Dues Collected during 1898.

Port.	Pilotage.	Harbour and Light Rates.	Removal Dues.	Tonnage Rates.	Wharfage, Rates, Rent of Jetties, Water, Cranage, and Weighbridge.	Steamer Certificate Fees and Licenses of Lighters.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	8,967	16,061	2,127	5,665	*50,398	1,322	84,540
Coff's Harbour ...	.....	.....	.....	24	164	.....	188
Eden	73	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	73
Grafton	44	43	.....	.....	.....	30	117
Macleay River ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	11
Manning River ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3
Newcastle	8,203	8,304	3,771	9,767	.....	42	30,087
Port Macquarie ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	3
Richmond River ...	6	5	.....	.....	.....	17	28
Shoalhaven	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Stockton	.....	.....	.....	.....	†960	.....	960
Tweed Heads ...	1	2	.....	.....	.....	6	9
Wollongong	27	119	.....	316	†15	1	478
Woolgoolga	.....	.....	.....	23	129	.....	152
Total ... £	17,321	24,534	5,898	15,795	51,666	1,436	116,650

* Includes collections (£776) for other ports. † Cranage. NOTE.—For rates see footnotes on pages 76, 78, 80, and 88.

No. 21.—Vessels Registered during each Year, 1895-98.

Description.	1895.			1896.			1897.			1898.		
	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.	No.	Tons (Net).	Crews.
Steam Vessels.												
Screw	11	5,043	180	22	5,394	191	18	8,093	212	22	9,090	244
Paddle	2	129	6	4	147	17	2	127	11	...	...	...
Total	13	5,172	186	26	5,541	208	20	8,220	223	22	9,090	244
Sailing Vessels.												
Barquentines	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	332	11	1	99	5
Barques	...	...	...	3	1,581	19	5	4,082	74	3	1,876	25
Brigs	1	230	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brigantines	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	195	7	...	...	...
Cutters	...	...	...	7	115	16	2	29	3	5	54	13
Ketches	3	218	13	5	342	20	5	245	19	23	620	81
Lighters and Barges ...	1	171	7	2	337	2	1	73	1	2	155	2
Schooners	5	625	32	4	244	17	14	1,422	70	7	827	39
Ships	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2,368	31
Sloops and Yawls	3	119	8	3	42	6	...	...	...	1	7	2
Total	13	1,363	85	24	2,661	80	29	6,378	185	44	6,006	198
Steam and Sailing Vessels.												
All classes	26	6,535	271	50	8,202	288	49	14,598	408	66	15,096	442

NOTE.—Sydney and Newcastle are the only ports in New South Wales at which vessels are registered. No fee is charged for registration.

No. 22.—Vessels on the Register, 31st December, 1898.

Description.	Wood.			Iron.			Steel.			Composite.			Total.		
	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews	No.	Tons.	Crews.
Steam Vessels.															
Screw	259	10,025	922	64	21,770	1,131	36	25,123	796	3	147	16	362	57,065	2,865
Paddle	74	4,624	336	51	4,915	311	3	1,486	81	4	241	20	132	11,266	748
Total	333	14,649	1,258	115	26,685	1,442	39	26,609	877	7	388	36	494	68,331	3,613
Sailing Vessels.															
Barquentines	6	1,238	44	..	..	..	1	284	10	..	..	..	7	1,522	54
Barques	26	14,326	187	6	4,096	69	1	1,170	15	2	1,597	29	35	21,189	300
Brigs	5	1,043	32	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	5	1,043	32
Brigantines	11	1,750	61	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	1,750	61
Cutters	46	779	101	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	779	101
Ketches	111	3,725	321	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	111	3,725	321
Lighters and Barges	32	2,169	61	6	2,232	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	4,401	70
Luggers	107	1,117	240	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	107	1,117	240
Schooners	103	8,018	415	1	285	8	..	..	..	1	33	4	105	8,336	427
Ships	2	2,200	16	2	2,509	35	1	1,820	28	*1	*2,130	..	*6	*8,659	79
Sloops and Yawls	17	427	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	427	38
Total	466	36,792	1,516	15	9,122	121	3	3,274	53	*4	*3,760	33	488	52,948	1,723
Steam and Sailing Vessels.															
All classes	799	51,441	2,774	130	35,807	1,563	42	29,883	930	11	4,148	69	982	121,279	5,336
											*			*	

* Includes the Nautical School Ship "Sobraon" (2,130 tons), moored in Sydney Harbour.

NOTE.—Classified according to the materials of which the vessels were constructed, the registered horse-power of steamers on the register at the end of the year was as follows:—Screw: Wood, 5,056; iron, 6,328½ steel, 5,289; composite, 50; total, 16,723½. Paddle: Wood, 1,902½; iron, 2,139½; steel, 880; composite, 94; total, 5,016.

No. 23.—Construction of Vessels, 1889–98.

Description.		1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Steam Vessels.											
Screw	Number	14	6	13	10	7	6	4	8	8	12
	Tonnage	663	697	767	317	236	415	259	598	541	755
Paddle	Number						2	...	...	1	...
	Tonnage						48	...	...	90	...
Total ...	Number	14	6	13	10	7	8	4	8	9	12
	Tonnage	663	697	767	317	236	463	259	598	631	755
Sailing Vessels.											
Barquentines ...	Number	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
	Tonnage	...	...	...	...	176	...	...	...	...	99
Cutters	Number	5	...	1	1	1	...	...	2	1	3
	Tonnage	73	...	7	15	3	...	...	21	13	30
Ketches	Number	2	...	3	18	6	2	3	3	3	19
	Tonnage	100	...	47	490	111	158	211	241	205	419
Lighters & Barges	Number	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1
	Tonnage	...	172	...	61	...	...	171	...	73	91
Luggers	Number	2	4	15	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tonnage	31	47	198	40	...	...	...	...	...	...
Schooners ...	Number	...	3	5	4	3	4	1	2	7	5
	Tonnage	...	175	285	176	273	308	99	107	541	616
Sloops and Yawls	Number	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	Tonnage	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	7
Total ...	Number	9	9	27	27	11	6	5	7	12	30
	Tonnage	204	394	573	782	563	466	481	369	832	1,262
Steam and Sailing Vessels.											
All Classes ...	Number	23	15	40	37	18	14	9	15	21	42
	Tonnage	867	1,091	1,340	1,099	799	929	740	967	1,463	2,017

Materials used in Construction, 1893–98.

Year.	Wood.		Iron.		Composite.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Steam Vessels.								
1893	7	236	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	236
1894	8	463	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	463
1895	3	223	1	36	.....	.....	4	259
1896	8	598	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	598
1897	8	541	.....	.....	1	90	9	631
1898	12	755	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	755
Sailing Vessels.								
1893	11	563	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	563
1894	6	466	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	466
1895	5	481	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	481
1896	7	369	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	369
1897	12	832	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	832
1898	30	1,262	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	1,262
All Vessels.								
1893	18	799	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	799
1894	14	929	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	929
1895	8	704	1	36	.....	.....	9	740
1896	15	967	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	967
1897	20	1,373	.....	.....	1	90	21	1,463
1898	42	2,017	.....	.....	.....	.....	42	2,017

No. 24.—Sales of Vessels, 1898.

Description.	Sold to British Subjects.		Sold to Foreigners.		Total.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
STEAM VESSELS.						
Screw	40	4,868	.....	.....	40	4,868
Paddle	6	310	.....	.....	6	310
Total	46	5,178	.....	.....	46	5,178
SAILING VESSELS.						
Ships	1	1,056	.....	.....	1	1,056
Barques	5	3,893	.....	.....	5	3,893
Barquentines	1	332	.....	.....	1	332
Brigantines	2	269	.....	.....	2	269
Cutters...	9	89	.....	.....	9	89
Ketches...	15	720	.....	.....	15	720
Lighters and Barges	2	78	.....	.....	2	78
Luggers	18	194	.....	.....	18	194
Schooners	27	2,338	2	114	29	2,452
Sloops and Yawls	1	27	.....	.....	1	27
Total	81	8,996	2	114	83	9,110
STEAM AND SAILING VESSELS.						
All Classes	127	14,174	2	114	129	14,288

NOTE.—When a vessel is sold to a foreigner it is removed from the Register, otherwise it remains.

No. 25.—Mortgages on Vessels, 1898.

Description.	On Vessel only. (Principal sum.)			On "Account Current."		
	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £
STEAM VESSELS.						
Screw	9	442	5,840	12	1,085	21,258
Paddle	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	9	442	5,840	12	1,085	21,258
SAILING VESSELS.						
Barquentines	1	176	500	.....	.....	.....
Barques	1	942	1,100	.....	.....	.....
Lighters and Barges	.....	.....	.....	1	35	800
Cutters...	1	16	50	.....	.....	.....
Ketches	1	89	500	1	81	1,550
Schooners	9	846	2,502	3	271	1,200
Total	13	2,069	4,652	5	387	3,550
STEAM AND SAILING VESSELS.						
All Classes	22	2,511	10,492	17	1,472	24,808

NOTE.—Mortgages of Registered British Vessels are dealt with under the Imperial Merchant Shipping Act of 1894. The mortgages are, according to the Act, divided into two classes—one in which the ship is the sole security (principal sum), and the other in which advances are made on the security of what is termed "the Account Current," which may comprise other appliances besides ships. Registrations are effected at the ports of registry—Sydney and Newcastle.

No. 26.—Discharges of Mortgages on Vessels, 1898.

Description.	On Vessel only. (Principal sum.)			On "Account Current."		
	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £	No.	Tonnage.	Amount. £
Steam Vessels.						
Screw	7	264	9,627	1	122	1
Paddle	1	38	375	...	.....	.....
Total	8	302	10,002	1	122	1
Sailing Vessels.						
Barques	2	760	800	.....	.....	.....
Barquentines	1	332	109	.....	.....	.....
Ketches	2	141	1,400	.....	.....	.....
Luggers	.....	.....	.....	3	35	1,200
Schooners	11	1,223	4,350	2	119	313
Sloops and Yawls	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	16	2,456	6,659	5	154	1,513
Steam and Sailing Vessels.						
All Classes	24	2,758	16,661	6	276	1,514

No. 27.—Vessels Examined by Health Officers, 1893-98.

Year.	Sydney.				Newcastle.				Total.				
	Vessels.		Persons.		Vessels.		Persons.		Vessels.		Persons.		
	Total	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total	Detained for special action.	Passengers.	Crews.	Total.
1893	427	121	11,668	30,959	113	71	84	3,015	540	192	11,752	33,974	45,726
1894	362	65	5,218	20,169	227	127	127	5,340	589	192	5,345	25,509	30,854
1895	414	98	3,812	16,011	240	125	217	5,854	654	223	4,029	21,865	25,894
1896	398	94	3,841	19,245	208	82	162	5,149	606	176	4,003	24,394	28,397
1897	393	87	3,914	18,828	151	33	131	3,571	544	120	4,045	22,399	26,444
1898	369	96	3,080	17,160	138	38	189	3,394	507	134	3,269	20,554	23,823

No. 28.—Certificated Steamers on 31st December, 1898.

Port.	No.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.
Sea-going Steamers—			
Sydney	94	91,574	12,958
Harbour & River Steamers—			
Sydney	89	4,973	29,320
Newcastle	23	706	5,644
Clarence River	12	345	1,515
George's River	1	19	170
Hawkesbury River	6	291	985
Lake Maqcuarie	2	38	277
Macleay River	4	213	895
Manning River	2	98	825
Port Hacking	1	10	20
Harbour & River Steamers (*continued*)			
Port Macquarie	2	80	526
Port Stephens	1	13	110
Richmond River	13	439	2,550
Shoalhaven	1	9	30
Tweed River	4	74	370
Wollongong	1	33	230
Total	162	7,341	43,467
Grand Total	256	98,915	56,425

Note.—Passenger certificates have to be renewed at least every six months. The half-yearly charges for vessels not exceeding 50 tons are £1; over 50 and under 100 tons, £2; over 100 and not exceeding 300 tons, £3; and an additional £1 for every additional 300 tons or part thereof. The amounts collected for all ports during 1898 were—£984 for sea-going steamers, and £452 for harbour and river steamers, making a total of £1,436. No certificates have been issued in New South Wales for passenger steamers trading on the Murray River.

No. 29.—Certificated Steamers, 1893–98.

Year.	Sea-going Steamers.			Harbour and River Steamers.			Total.		
	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.	Number.	Tonnage.	Passenger capacity.
1893	82	57,507	11,112	158	7,086	44,083	240	64,593	55,195
1894	80	58,980	11,208	165	7,285	45,067	245	66,265	56,275
1895	77	56,623	10,531	154	6,738	41,866	231	63,361	52,397
1896	101	86,699	12,408	158	7,256	42,973	259	93,955	55,381
1897	106	101,626	14,015	150	6,993	41,400	256	108,619	55,415
1898	94	91,574	12,958	162	7,341	43,467	256	98,915	56,425

No. 30.—Transactions at Government Shipping Offices, 1895–98.

Classification.	1895.			1896.			1897.			1898.		
	Sydney	Newcastle.	Total.	Sydney	Newcastle.	Total.	Sydney	Newcastle.	Total.	Sydney	Newcastle.	Total.
Registrations.												
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Engagements	11,203	2,054	13,257	13,735	2,512	16,247	15,453	2,674	18,127	15,826	2,907	18,733
Discharges	10,129	1,054	11,183	12,074	1,296	13,370	13,921	1,417	15,338	14,426	1,691	16,117
Seamen reported as deserted from British vessels trading on Foreign voyages	196	460	656	367	404	771	431	482	913	528	349	877
Wages.												
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Paid to seamen through the Shipping Office	33,649	5,948	39,597	44,472	8,979	53,451	56,899	9,419	66,318	56,382	10,712	67,094
Issued in Advance Notes	1,797	4,252	6,049	2,523	5,338	7,861	2,752	5,573	8,325	2,017	6,120	8,137
Total	35,446	10,200	45,646	46,995	14,317	61,312	59,651	14,992	74,643	58,399	16,832	75,231
Fees.												
Fees paid into Consolidated Revenue	£ 2,066	£ 352	£ 2,418	£ 2,476	£ 428	£ 2,904	£ 2,833	£ 448	£ 3,281	£ 2,966	£ 503	£ 3,469

NOTE.—A scale of fees for the engagement and discharge of crews is embodied in the Act, the amount payable being regulated according to the tonnage of the vessel. For engagement and discharge of seamen separately, a fixed fee of 2s. each is charged.

Shipping business with foreign vessels is transacted at the offices of the Consuls representing the countries to which the vessels belong.

No. 31.—Wages of Able Seamen, 1895–98.

Service.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
*Foreign Trade (Sailing only)—				
Great Britain and Europe direct	£2 15s. to £3	£2 15s. to £3 5s.	£3 to £3 10s.	£3 5s. to £3 10s.
India or China and Great Britain	£2 15s.	£2 15s. to £3		
West Coast of America and Great Britain Island Trade and back, per month	£2 17s. 6d. to £3 £3 to £4	£2 15s. to £3 5s. £3 to £3 10s.	£3 10s. to £4	£3 to £4
Intercolonial Trade—				
Steamers	£5	£5 to £6	£6 to £6 10s.	£6 to £6 10s.
Sailing vessels	£3 to £4 5s.	£3 5s. to £4	£3 10s. to £4	£3 10s. to £4
Coastal Trade—				
Steamers	£5	£5 to £6	£6	£6
Sailing vessels	£4 5s. to £5	£4 to £5	£4 to £5	£3 10s. to £5

* The Canadian Mail Company is paying the following rates, viz. :—A.B's £6, Firemen £8, and Trimmers £6 per month ; but as the seamen employed on other steam vessels trading beyond Australasia are not engaged in New South Wales, the rates of wages cannot be given.

NOTE.—The pay of Masters and Officers of Intercolonial Steamers is as follows :—*Masters*—As per arrangement with shipping owners. *Officers*—First, Second, and Third, respectively, £13 to £16, £10 to £13, and £9 to £11. *Engineers*—First, Second, and Third, respectively, £18 to £25, £14 to £18, and £12 10s. to £15. *Firemen and Trimmers*—Firemen, £8 to £8 10s. ; Trimmers, £6 to £6 10s.

No. 32.—Marine Board Certificates, 1895–98.

Master.—To obtain a master's Foreign-going certificate, it is necessary that the candidate should be at least 21 years of age, and have served six years at sea. For the coast trade the minimum age is 20 years, and the service at sea four years, one year of which must have been as mate.

Mate.—To obtain a mate's Foreign-going Certificate a first mate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served five years at sea, one year of which must have been as mate in a grade not lower than third or fourth mate in charge of a watch, whilst in possession of a second mate's certificate. For position of "only" mate the candidate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served five years at sea. For second mate the minimum age is fixed at 17 years, and the service at sea four years. For the coast trade a mate must be at least 19 years of age, and have served three years at sea.

Engineer.—A candidate for a first-class certificate of competency or service must be at least 22 years of age, and for the second and third-class certificates the minimum age is fixed at 21 years.

Marine Surveyor.—Certificates of Competency are issued to those who can pass, or have passed, the examinations necessary for an extra first-class engineer's certificate, or to master mariners who have been in command of foreign-going ships for not less than five years, or those who are in possession of extra master's certificates. Certificates of Service are issued to persons who have served as Marine Surveyors in any part of New South Wales for three years prior to 1881.

Pilots and Pilotage.—Appointments to the Pilot service are made by the Marine Board, and all pilots are Government officers. Certificates of Exemption from Pilotage for the various ports of the Colony may be granted to *bonâ fide* masters of British ships employed in the Australasian or South Sea Island trade, on passing the necessary examination, provided they have been three times in and out of the particular port for which the Exemption Certificate is desired, with their vessels as masters or watch-keeping officers. Masters of vessels who have obtained Certificates are not liable for pilot dues.

Certificate.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Certificate.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Master—Foreign	4	13	27	11	Engineer—1st Class	11	6	5	13
Master—Coast Trade... ...	3	14	9	6	Engineer—2nd Class ...	12	7	21	29
Master—Harbour and River...	16	18	26	25	Engineer—3rd Class ...	35	39	42	40
Mate—Foreign Service—1st Mate...	9	14	7	18	Marine Surveyor	4	2	4	2
Mate—Foreign Service—Only Mate	1	1	...	...					
Mate—Foreign Service—2nd Mate	15	18	20	13	Pilotage	81	98	33	30
Mate—Coast Trade... ...	4	3	9	9					

No. 33.—Licensed Lighters, 1895–98.

Port.	1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.	No.	Tonnage.
Sydney	50	3,066	50	3,066	52	3,146	52	3,146
Newcastle	45	4,870	45	4,870	45	4,870	45	4,870
Total ...	95	7,936	95	7,936	97	8,016	97	8,016

NOTE.—Under section 122 of the Navigation Act of 1871 (35 Vic. No. 7) all lighters used for the purpose of ballasting, loading, or unloading ships with stone, coal, or other material must be licensed by the Marine Board of New South Wales, a fee of £1 being charged for each license. The figures shown above represent the total number of licenses issued to the end of each year, and not the number of existing licenses, as no limit is fixed for the term of the license.

No. 34.—Licensed Watermen, 1893–98.

Port or Station.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Port or Station.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Sydney	252	259	266	268	271	274	Lake Macquarie ...	1	1	1	1	1	1
Newcastle	56	63	72	74	76	78	Merimbula ...	...	...	...	1	1	1
Bermagui River ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	Port Stephens ...	6	6	6	6	6	6
Botany Bay ..	2	2	2	2	2	2	Richmond River ...	3	3	3	3	3	3
Clarence River ...	15	15	15	15	15	15	Tweed River ..	4	4	4	4	4	5
George's River ...	6	7	7	7	7	7							
Hawkesbury River..	9	9	9	9	9	9	Total ..	355	370	386	391	396	402

NOTE.—The figures show the total number of licenses issued to the end of each year, and do not of necessity represent the number of watermen plying for hire.

Pleasure Boats.—*Sailing Boats* intended for hire must be examined, and a license for each boat issued from the Marine Board, the fee required being 10s. No definite period is fixed as the term of the license. *Rowing Boats* intended or hire are not required to be licensed by the Marine Board.

No. 35.—Pilot Vessels, 1898.

Station.	Pilots.	Pilot Vessel.	Crew exclusive of Pilot.	Station.	Pilots.	Pilot Vessel.	Crew exclusive of Pilot.
Sydney	5	Steamer "Captain Cook."	22	Bellinger River..	1	Boat	4
				Tweed River ...	1	,,	5
Newcastle ...	7	Steamer "Ajax."	11	Shoalhaven River	1	,,	4
Manning River ..	1	Boat	5	Nambucca River.	1	,,	2
Macleay River ...	1	,,	4	Camden Haven...	1	,,	2
Clarence River...	1	,,	5	Lake Macquarie..	1	,,	2
Richmond River	1	,,	6	Cape Hawke ...	1	,,	2
Port Macquarie ..	1	,,	5	Twofold Bay ...	1	,,	4
Moruya	1	,,	2				

NOTE—The "Captain Cook," steamer, has a gross tonnage of 396 tons, the nominal horse-power being 90; and the "Ajax," steamer, has a gross tonnage of 200 tons, the nominal horse-power being 50.

No. 36.—Depth of Water at High Tides on River and Harbour Bars, 1898.

Harbour or River.	Depth over Bar.				Harbour or River.	Depth over Bar.			
	Maximum.		Minimum.			Maximum.		Minimum.	
	ft.	in.	ft.	in.		ft.	in.	ft.	in.
Sydney, Eastern Channel	*33	0	*27	0	Port Macquarie	14	0	8	0
,, Western Channel	*27	0	*21	0	Manning River	13	0	7	6
Newcastle	25	0	20	0	Camden Haven	10	0	6	0
Tweed River	12	6	7	6	Cape Hawke	15	0	6	0
Richmond River ...	14	0	8	6	Lake Macquarie... ...	8	6	5	6
Clarence River	19	0	14	9	Wollongong	*17	0	*12	0
Bellinger River	12	6	5	9	Shoalhaven River ...	15	0	12	0
Nambucca River ...	12	0	9	0	Moruya	10	0	6	0
Macleay River	10	6	7	3					

* Spring tides.—The maximum and minimum depths of the channel are shown.

NOTE.—With the exception of Sydney and Newcastle, the depth of water is approximate.

No. 37.—Subsidised Tug Service, 1898.

Station.	Tugs.		Number of Vessels Towed.		Annual Subsidy paid by Government.
	No.	Tonnage.	In.	Out.	
					£
Tweed River and Brunswick ...	1	40	69	69	849
Richmond River	1	100	122	111	1,770
Clarence River	1	63	28	27	750
Bellinger River	1	18	36	45	732
Nambucca River	1	42	52	84	564
Macleay River			4	28	
Port Macquarie	1	43	194	202	196*
Manning River	1	42	125	185	400
Camden Haven	1	24	182	181	234
Cape Hawke	1	32	190	239	400
Wollongong	1	33	143	176	336
Total	10	437	1,145	1,347	6,231

* 1st January to 30th April, at £348 per annum, and from 1st May to 31st December, at £120 per annum.

NOTE.—The Marine Board of New South Wales subsidises tugs at the places mentioned in the above table for the purpose of towing vessels in and out of port or river. The tugs are not allowed to leave the station without the sanction of the Board, and the master must endeavour to be in the vicinity when vessels are ready for sea, and in cases where vessels are in actual danger he must promptly render assistance. The maximum rate for ordinary towing is fixed at 4d. per registered ton with a minimum of £1 10s. Disputes arising with respect to special services must be settled by arbitration. The masters of tugs are required to take pilots off to vessels signalling for services of a pilot.

No. 38.—Lights and Lighthouses, 1898.

Name.	Order.	Description.	Fixed, flashing, or revolving.	Interval between Flashes.	Colour.	Height of focal plane.	Visible.
(From South to North.)							
				′ ″		feet.	miles.
Green Cape	1	Dioptric	Revolving	1 0	White	144	12
Twofold Bay (Eden)	..	Catoptric	Fixed	..	Red	140	7
Montague Island	1	Dioptric	Fixed and Flashing	1 0	White	262	20
Ulladulla (Warden Head)	..	.....	Fixed	..	,,	140	12
Jervis Bay (Cape St. George)‡	..	Catoptric	Revolving	0 30	White, Red, and Green alt.	224	14 to 18
Shoalhaven	..	.....	Fixed	..	Red	..	8
Kiama	..	Dioptric	,,	..	Green	..	8 to 12
Wollongong	4	,, ..	,,	..	White	56	10
,, Leading Lights (2)	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
Port Jackson, Sydney—							
Macquarie (South Head)	1	Dioptric	Revolving	1 0	White (electric)	346	25
Hornby	..	Catoptric	Fixed	..	White	..	15
Leading Lights (2) Eastern Channel	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
Sow and Pigs Lightship (2)	..	.....	,,	..	White	..	16
Fort Denison	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
Broken Bay (Barrenjoey)	2	Dioptric		..	,,	371	1
Port Hunter, Newcastle—							
Nobby's	..	Catoptric	,,	..	White	115	18
Fairway Leading Lights (2)	..	.....		..	White and Red	..	....
Leading Lights (2) for North Harbour	..	.....	,,	..	,,	..	....
Outer Breakwater	..	.....	,,	..	Red	..	....
Lightship (2)	..	.....	,,	..	,,	..	....
Leading Lights (2) Coal Channel	..	.....	,,	..	White and Red	..	....
Port Stephens	..	Catoptric	Revolving	1 0	White and Red alt.	126	17
Nelson Head	..	,, ..	Fixed	..	White	..	8 to 10
Sugarloaf Point (Seal Rocks)	1	Dioptric	Revolving	0 30	,,	258	22
(same Tower)	4	.....	Fixed	..	Green	..	....
Crowdy Head*	4	Dioptric	,,	..	White	130	10 to 12
Tacking Point	4	,, ..	,,	..	,,	120	11
Smoky Cape†	1	Dioptric (triple.)	Group Flashing	0 30	,,	450	27 to 35
South Solitary Island	1	Dioptric	Revolving	0 30	,,	188	19
Clarence River	4	,, ..	Fixed	..	,,	..	12
Richmond River (2)	4	,, ..	,,	..	,,	..	12
Tweed River (Cape Fingal)	4	,, ..	,,	..	,,	180	6 to 8

* Showing red *inside* and eclipse *over* Mermaid Reef. † Subsidiary red over Fish Rock.

‡ On the 1st May, 1899, a First Order Triple-flashing Dioptric White Light was shown from the tower erected at Point Perpendicular, at the northern headland of Jervis Bay. The light is 304 feet above sea-level, and is visible 20 miles from seaward.

NOTE.—The total amount paid for Salaries to lighthouse keepers, assistants, and leading light keepers during 1898 was £9,457; for Repairs, £350 (Lights, £55; Lighthouses and Quarters, £295); and Stores, £841; or a total of £10,648. During 1898 a further sum of £7,444 was expended in the construction of the Point Perpendicular Lighthouse.

No. 39.—Wrecks and Disasters to Shipping, 1889-98.

Year.	Vessels.								Summary.			Total Tonnage	Value of Vessels and Cargoes.	Total Crews and Passengers.	Lives Lost.
	Under 50 tons.	50 to 100 tons.	100 to 200 tons.	200 to 300 tons.	300 to 400 tons.	400 to 500 tons.	Over 500 tons.	Unregistered.	Steam.	Sailing.	Total.				
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	tons.	£	No.	No.
1889	4	8		2	....	....	1	..	4	16	20	2,420	50,040	192	4
1890	3	6		1	1	....	3	..	5	11	16	5,303	145,350	185	31
1891	3	10		....	....	1	1	..	2	16	18	2,988	unknown	123	47
1892	4	5		....	....	....	....	..	4	7	11	783	18,485	67	16
1893	4			1	1	....	....	..	4	11	15	1,759	27,310	128	4
1894	5	10		....	1	....	1	..	6	12	18	2,804	45,523	139	10
1895	4	4	....	....	....	1	2	..	5	6	11	3,948	unknown	137	63
1896	1	4		2	....	....	....	..	5	4	9	1,043	18,810	72	2
1897	4	5	1	....	1	....	3	..	2	12	14	3,461	38,740	196	3
1898	3	11	4	3	....	....	4	1	9	17	26	6,710	67,440	297	79

No. 40.—Wrecks and Disasters to Shipping within the Jurisdiction of New South Wales, 1898.

Date.	Name and Description of Vessel.	Tonnage.	Cargo.	Value of Vessel and Cargo.	Total Crew and Passengers.	Lives Lost.	Particulars.
1898.				£			
1 Jan..	Minora, brig ..	249	Coal	1,300	8	7	Sprung a leak and foundered off Terrigal during southerly weather.
19 ,, ..	Active, ketch ..	49	Timber.. ..	750	4	Nil.	Suddenly foundered at entrance to Newcastle Harbour; supposed to have struck some hard submerged substance.
25 ,, ..	Koonya, steamer	80	General ..	1,250	22	Nil.	Wrecked near Port Hacking during thick weather.
1 Feb..	Atacama, ship ..	1,312	Coal	5,000	18	13	Sprung a leak and abandoned 300 miles off the coast.
13 ,, ..	Malcolm, brigantine.	182	,, ...	1,290	7	7	Left Wollongong for Sydney; not since been heard of.
13 ,, ..	Marion Fenwick, steamer.	66	General ..	3,000	10	Nil.	Beached at Port Hacking during heavy weather, to save life.
13 ,, ..	Amy, brig ..	220	Coal	1,200	8	8	Cast on shore near Bulli during a heavy easterly gale.
20 April..	Isabel, schooner	69	Timber.. ..	800	5	Nil.	Beached in Crowdy Bay during a heavy gale, to save life.
4 May ..	Coral, ketch ..	60	,, ...	950	5	Nil.	Went ashore from her anchor in Port Stephens during an easterly gale.
6 ,, ..	Hereward, ship..	1,513	Ballast	8,000	24	Nil.	Stranded in Maroubra Bay during a heavy gale.
6 ,, ..	Philip Pa'frey, schooner.	96	Timber.. ..	1,200	6	Nil.	Driven ashore in Trial Bay during exceptionally heavy weather.
6 ,, ..	J. G. Kondio, steamer.	92	,, ...	1,200	6	6	Sailed from Nambucca River for Sydney; not heard of since.
6 ,, ..	Merksworth, steamer.	165	Coal	3,150	12	9	Abandoned during heavy weather.
6 ,, ..	Maitland, steamer.	555	General ..	15,000	67	26	Totally wrecked on East Reef, near Cape Three Points, during a terrific gale.
12 ,, ..	Ethel, steamer..	88	Fish	1,000	6	Nil.	Totally wrecked at Port Stephens during a heavy gale.
17 ,, ..	Saxonia, steamer	243	Coal	2,500	14	Nil.	Totally wrecked on Bellambi Reef.
18 ,, ..	Liffey, brigantine.	101	Coal and lime..	1,350	6	Nil.	Wrecked on Richmond River bar through the tow-line parting, and insufficient power of the tug.
19 July..	Korunah, ketch	41	Ballast	600	4	1	During collision with s.s. "Cintra," in Port Jackson, master of "Korunah" was knocked overboard and drowned.
20 ,, .	Wendouree, steamer.	1,066	Coal	8,800	28	Nil.	Wrecked on Oyster Bank, Newcastle, when attempting to leave that port.
31 ,, ..	Jessie Sinclair, ketch.	74	Timber.. ..	1,200	5	Nil.	Wrecked on Port Macquarie Bar, through the fouling of tug's propeller with towing hawser.
4 Sept..	Bessie Maud, schooner.	63	,, ...	700	4	Nil.	Sunk by collision with steamer "Virawa," in Newcastle Harbour.
28 ,, ..	Mary Adkins, ketch.	120	,, ...	1,600	6	Nil.	Sprung a leak and beached in Crowdy Bay, to save life.
5 Oct. ..	Amelia White, schooner.	94	,, ...	1,500	6	Nil.	Totally wrecked on Camden Haven Bar, through the fouling of tug's propeller with towing hawser.
5 Nov...	Aurora, ketch ..	92	General ..	1,800	6	Nil.	Sunk by tug "Champion" about 10 miles off coast.
16 Dec...	Little Nell, steamer.	..	Unregistered ..	1,500	5	2	Suddenly foundered when being convoyed by s.s. "Dawn" from Sydney to Newcastle.
30 ,, ..	Centennial, steamer.	20	General ..	800	5	Nil.	Went on rocks at Broughton Islands, near Port Stephens.
Total..	26	6,710	.....	67,440	297	79	

NOTE.—During 1898 thirty-eight inquiries were held, of which twenty-four were heard by the Marine Board at Sydney, and fourteen by the local Marine Board at Newcastle. Of the inquiries, twenty-one were held as to the cause of shipwreck, one as to cause of leak, six as to supposed loss, and ten in respect of collisions. In three cases the master's certificate was suspended for a period of three months, in one case the master's pilotage certificate for Newcastle was cancelled, and in another case the mate's certificate was cancelled.

No. 41.—Cost of Dredging for year ended 30th June, 1898.

NOTE.—All dredges are owned by the State, and the Dredge Service of New South Wales is administered by the Public Works Department.

LADDER DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Attendant punts (built of iron). No.	Attendant punts (built of iron). Tonnage.	Where Employed.	Material Dredged.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditure. Total.	Expenditure. Per Ton.	Expenditure. Per Hour Dredging.
							£	pence.	£ s. d.
Samson	3	1,200	Newcastle	Sand and mud ..	375,200	1,699	3,202	2·05	1 17 10
Sydney	2	1,300	Sydney	Clay, sewage, &c..	346,100	2,070	3,781	2·62	1 16 6
Newcastle	3	1,350	Newcastle	Mud and sand ..	446,600	1,833	4,071	2·12	2 4 5
Hunter	3	1,250	,, ...	Mud, rock, and sand	270,780	2,041	2,897	2·56	1 8 4
Vulcan	3	830	Hunter River	Sand	195,170	1,685	3,124	3·84	1 17 0
Fitzroy*	2	280	Macleay River	,, ...	95,900	737	1,911	4·78	2 11 10
Ulysses	2	480	Manning River	Sand and shingle ..	271,920	1,951	2,466	2·14	1 5 3
Minos	2	280	Clarence River	Shingle and sand ..	166,700	1,306	2,510	3·61	1 18 5
Pluto†	2	480	Wollongong	Sand	5,600	74	1,079	46·18	14 11 7
Archimedes‡	2	480	Sydney Harbour and Shoalhaven.	Sand and clay ..	138,500	1,648	2,644	4·58	1 12 1
Alcides§	2	750	Sydney	Clay, sewage, &c...	93,260	1,099	2,573	6·62	2 6 9
			Total		2,405,730	16,143	30,258	..	.....
			Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	3·02	1 17 6

* Laid up five months; extensive repairs. † Laid up, repairs and removal. ‡ Removal. § Repairs and removal.

GRAB DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Where Employed.	Material Dredged.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditure. Total.	Expenditure. Per Ton.	Expenditure. Per Hour Dredging.
					£	pence.	£ s. d.
Alpha*	Tweed River	Sand, &c.	41,230	1,154	702	4·08	0 12 2
Beta*	Sydney	Clay, rock, &c.	19,760	1,904	1,131	13·73	0 11 11
Zeta	Richmond River	Sand, rock, &c.	7,070	417	541	18·35	1 5 11
Iota	Nambucca River	Gravel	59,015	1,769	552	2·25	0 6 3
Kappa	Hunter River	Sand	34,290	1,153	574	4·01	0 10 0
Lambda	Clarence River	Gravel and rock	13,535	1,895	441	7·82	0 4 8
Mu	Richmond River	Sand, &c.	40,449	1,446	755	4·48	0 10 5
Nu	Newcastle	Rock, mud and sand ..	22,538	2,620	805	8·57	0 6 2
Omicron†	Cook's River	Sandy clay and mud ..	38,650	1,458	752	4·68	0 10 4
Pi	Sydney	Clay and rock	21,505	2,066	921	10·28	0 9 0
Chi*	Sydney Harbour and Shea's Creek	Clay and silt	50,881	1,903	844	3·97	0 8 10
Omega*	Clarence River	Rock and sand	15,337	900	669	10·46	0 14 10
	Total		364,260	18,685	8,687	..	.....
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	5·72	0 9 4

* Used as a crane, thus making the cost of dredging appear high. † Lifted over dam, and extensive repairs.

SAND-PUMP DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Where Employed.	Material Lifted.	Estimated Tons Lifted.	Hours Pumping.	Expenditure. Total.	Expenditure. Per Ton.	Expenditure. Per Hour Pumping.
					£	pence.	£ s. d.
Neptune*	Cook's River and Bateman's Bay..	Sand, mud, and shell ..	340,867	1,626	3,702	2·61	2 5 6
Juno*	Newcastle	Sand	242,706	1,083	3,297	3·21	3 0 11
Jupiter*	Newcastle, Macleay River, and Sydney Harbour.	,, ...	353,080	828	3,832	2·60	4 12 6
Actor	Tweed River	,, ...	320,375	1,281	2,390	1·79	1 17 3
Alesus	Nambucca River	,, ...	262,065	1,456	3,069	2·81	2 2 2
Dorus†	Macleay River..	Sand and clay	288,958	1,605	4,488	3·72	2 16 0
Dictys	Ballina	Sand	414,000	1,025	2,809	1·62	2 14 3
Groper	Sydney Harbour	Sand, mud, and clay ..	514,556	1,844	4,199	1·95	2 5 6
	Total		2,736,607	10,758	27,786	..	.....
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour		.. .. ..		.. ..	2·43	2 11 8

* Spoil taken to sea by dredge. † Delayed by roots of trees.

No. 41.—Cost of Dredging for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

COMBINED GRAB AND SAND-PUMP DREDGES.

Name of Dredge.	Where Employed.	Material Lifted.	Estimated Tons Lifted.	Hours Pumping.	Expenditure. Total.	Per Ton.	Per Hour Pumping.
					£	pence.	£ s. d.
Gamma	Lake Macquarie	Sand	72,793	471	621	2·04	1 6 5
Delta*	Camden Haven	,, and shell	144,207	1,803	1,582	2·63	0 17 7
Sigma	Myall River	,, ,, ...	100,575	2,011	1,500	3·58	0 15 0
Rho	Cape Hawke and Manning River ..	,, ...	216,875	1,816	1,462	1·62	0 16 2
Tau	Moruya River..	,, ...	195,498	1,504	1,387	1·70	0 18 5
Theta	Bellinger River	,, ...	270,100	2,147	1,501	1·33	0 13 11
Eta	Port Macquarie	,, ...	105,533	1,055	1,380	3·14	1 6 2
	Total		1,105,581	10,807	9,433	....	.....
	Average Cost per Ton and per Hour					2·05	0 17 5

* Cutting through dry ground.

No. 42.—Cost of Towing Dredged Material, for year ended 30th June, 1898.

Name of Tug.	Where employed.	Tons Towed.	Miles Towed.	Hours attending.	Expenditure. Total.	Per Ton.	Per Mile.	Per Hour.
					£	pence.	pence.	£ s. d.
Thetis ..	Sydney	56,130	3,812	714	668	2·86	42·07	0 18 8
Ceres.. ..	Newcastle	377,400	11,294	2,554	1,490	0·94	31·64	0 11 8
Orestes ..	,, ...	448,400	10,146	2,592	1,605	0·86	37·95	0 12 4
Dione ..	Manning River	267,360	6,618	2,191	933	0·84	33·84	0 8 6
Dawn ..	Sydney	257,660	9,024	1,990	997	0·93	26·52	0 9 10
Achilles ..	,, ...	144,905	8,218	2,366	864	1·43	25·23	0 7 4
Little Nell ..	Hunter River	171,730	10,901	2,344	1,158	1·61	25·50	0 9 10
Cyclops ..	Sydney	118,810	5,279	2,424	1,077	2·18	48·97	0 8 11
Ganymede ..	Newcastle	14,760	435	127	48	0·77	26·26	0 7 6
Dayspring ..	Sydney	66,100	3,073	759	281	1·02	21·61	0 7 4
Athena* ..	Maclcay River	86,800	2,080	947	440	1·21	50·74	0 9 3
Scylla ..	Hunter River	33,610	3,202	2,136	205	1·46	15·36	0 2 0
Callisto ..	Sydney	8,830	1,397	570	249	6·77	42·11	0 8 8
Vesta ..	Clarence River..	77,700	1,875	1,679	185	0·57	23·73	0 2 2
Aurora ..	Sydney	58,450	5,725	1,716	426	1·75	17·87	0 5 0
Galatea ..	Newcastle	249,550	7,774	2,204	806	0·77	24·87	0 7 4
Octopus ..	Sydney	6,840	825	323	57	1·99	16·55	0 3 6
	Total	2,445,035	91,678	27,636	11,489			
	Average Cost per Ton, per Mile, and per Hour				1·12	30·08		0 8 1

* Extensive repairs.

No. 43.—Total Cost of Dredging and Towing, for year ended 30th June, 1898.

Class of Dredges.	Tons Dredged.	Hours Dredging.	Expenditure. Dredging only. Total.	Per Ton.	Per Hour.	Dredging and Towing. Total.	Per Ton.
			£	pence.	£ s. d.	£	pence.
Ladder	2,405,730	16,143	30,258	3·02	1 17 6	39,667	3·95
Sand-pump	2,736,607	10,758	27,786	2·43	2 11 8	28,261	2·44
Grab and Sand-pump	1,105,581	10,807	9,433	2·05	0 17 5	9,884	2·15
Grab	364,260	18,685	8,687	5·72	0 9 4	9,967	6·59
Total	6,612,178	56,393	76,164	2·76	1 7 0	87,779	3·18

No. 44.—Cost of Dredging and Towing from 1st January, 1896, to 30th June, 1897, and from 1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.

Name of Dredge and where employed.	1st January, 1896, to 30th June, 1897.			1st July, 1897, to 30th June, 1898.		
	Tons Dredged.	Expenditure, Dredging and Towing.		Tons Dredged.	Expenditure, Dredging and Towing.	
		Total. £	Per Ton. pence.		Total. £	Per Ton. pence.
Ladder Dredges.						
Samson and attendant tugs, at Newcastle	711,985	9,116	3·07	375,200	4,682	2·99
Sydney ,, ,, Sydney	471,060	7,569	3·86	346,100	5,339	3·70
Newcastle ,, ,, Newcastle	1,202,850	12,370	2·47	446,600	5,663	3·04
Hunter ,, ,, Sydney and Newcastle	211,040	4,760	5·41	270,780	3,744	3·32
Vulcan ,, ,, Hunter River	289,490	6,629	5·50	195,170	4,373	5·38
Alcides ,, ,, Richmond River and Sydney	104,900	2,337	5·34	93,260	3,262	8·39
Fitzroy ,, ,, Macleay River	197,696	4,040	4·90	95,900	2,543	6·36
Ulysses ,, ,, Manning River	344,390	4,924	3·43	271,920	3,400	3·00
Minos ,, ,, Clarence River	235,960	3,638	3·70	166,700	2,695	3·88
Pluto ,, ,, Shoalhaven River and Wollongong	205,060	4,462	5·22	5,600	1,246	53·42
Archimedes ,, ,, Sydney and Shoalhaven	169,720	2,701	3·82	138,500	3,720	6·44
Grab Dredges.						
Alpha, Tweed River	48,538	1,180	5·83	41,230	702	4·08
Beta and attendant tugs, at Sydney and Cape Hawke	41,590	2,491	14·37	19,760	1,253	15·21
Zeta, at Richmond River	96,170	1,376	3·43	7,070	543	18·44
Iota, at Nambucca River	71,806	1,237	4·13	59,015	560	2·27
Kappa and attendant tugs, at Hunter River and Lake Macquarie	89,256	2,217	5·96	34,290	757	5·29
Lambda, at Clarence River	15,920	505	7·61	13,535	441	7·83
Mu, at Myall and Richmond Rivers and Sydney	79,172	1,319	4·00	40,449	759	4·50
Nu, with attendant tugs, at Newcastle and Sydney	21,624	1,156	12·83	22,538	863	9·19
Omicron, at Cook's River	98,874	841	2·04	38,650	752	4·67
Pi and attendant tugs, at Moruya and Sydney	61,215	2,159	8·46	21,505	1,379	15·98
Chi and attendant tugs, at Bellinger River, Cook's River, and Sydney	99,458	2,854	6·89	50,881	1,280	6·03
Omega, at Clarence River	22,006	1,077	11·75	15,337	678	10·60
Sand-pump Dredges.						
Neptune, at Sydney, Bateman's Bay, Twofold Bay, and Cook's River	338,100	4,286	3·04	340,867	3,759	2·64
Juno, at Newcastle and Sydney	473,180	4,180	2·12	242,706	3,297	3·26
Jupiter, at Newcastle, Sydney, and Macleay River	685,500	5,536	1·94	353,080	4,188	2·84
Actor, at Tweed River	580,425	3,972	1·64	320,375	2,392	1·79
Alesus, at Nambucca and Macleay Rivers	474,400	4,046	2·05	262,065	3,075	3·04
Dorus, at Macleay River and Newcastle	653,115	6,250	2·30	288,958	4,526	3·75
Dictys, at Richmond River	481,920	3,398	1·69	414,000	2,814	1·63
Groper, at Sydney Harbour	782,970	5,088	1·56	514,556	4,211	1·96
Combined Grab and Sand-pump Dredges.						
Gamma, at Lake Macquarie	....	... ..	....	72,793	668	2·20
Delta, at Camden Haven	210,820	1,506	1·71	144,207	1,601	2·66
Sigma, at Myall River	217,050	2,230	2·47	100,575	1,520	3·63
Rho, at Cape Hawke and Manning River	340,790	2,154	1·52	216,875	1,585	1·75
Tau, at Port Hacking and Moruya	128,220	2,272	4·25	195,498	1,539	1·89
Theta, at Bellinger River	51,469	678	3·16	270,100	1,501	1·33
Eta, at Port Macquarie	....	.....	....	105,533	1,471	3·34

No. 45.—Government Wharves, 1898.

Tides.—*Port Jackson, Sydney.*—The self-recording tide-gauge, situated at Fort Denison, was set up in 1871, since when there has been a continuous record of tides. The average rise and fall of the ordinary tides is 3 feet 3·8 inches; but the spring tides average a rise of 4 feet 11½ inches, the greatest range of spring tides being 6 feet 1½ inches.

Port Hunter, Newcastle.—The tide-gauge is at the pilot's house. The average rise and fall of the ordinary tides is 3 feet 4·5 inches; but the spring tides average a rise of 5 feet 2½ inches, the greatest range being 6 feet 6½ inches.

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
PORT JACKSON.								
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Brown & Co. ..	Woolloomooloo Bay (west side and southern end)	1	2	500 0 362 0 263 0 263 0 400 0	....	24 0 24 0 24 0 27 0	25 0 25 0 25 0 28 0	1 crane, 15 tons; 3 cargo-sheds, 200 ft. x 40 ft., and 2, 180 ft. x 40 ft.; enclosed with iron railing. Large wool-dumping plants have been erected at three of the sheds. Lit with electric light.
Fitzroy	Woolloomooloo Bay.	..	..	277 0	....	27 0	28 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft.
Stevedoring Co...	,, (east side)	..	..	300 0	....	27 0	28 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft. — Also one large shed constructed at rear, 225 ft. x 155 ft.
	,, ,,	..	..	852 0	....	....	....	In course of construction.
Horse-ferry Landing.	Fort Macquarie.	..	..	212 0	....	....	....	
Peninsular and Oriental Co.	Circular Quay (east side.)	..	..	570 0	....	28 0	29 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft. — These berths are enclosed with iron railing. Lit with electric light.
Messageries Maritimes Co.		..	..	515 0	....	28 0	29 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft.
Orient Co. ..		..	..	372 0	....	28 0	29 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft.
Burns, Philp, & Co.		..	..	550 0	....	25 0	26 0	2 cargo-sheds, 175 ft. x 35 ft. each. Lit with electric light.
Watson's Bay Co.	Circular Quay (used for passenger traffic)	1	2	110 0 124 0	32 0	....	....	Waiting-rooms, offices, &c., on each of these jetties. Water and gas laid on.
Manly Ferry Co.		1	2	220 0 220 0	49 0	....	....	
,, ..		1	2	165 0 165 0	34 0	....	....	
Princes Stairs..		1	1	90 0	22 0	....	....	
Neutral Bay Co.		1	2	100 0 100 0	25 0	.. .	....	
North Shore Co.		1	2	188 0 168 0	part 50 ,, 72	....	....	
North German Lloyd Co.	Circular Quay (west side)	..	..	500 0	....	29 0	30 0	Cargo-shed, 317 ft. x 30 ft. — These berths are enclosed with iron railings.
Eastern and Australian Co.		..	..	400 0	....	28 0	29 0	Cargo-shed, 200 ft. x 40 ft.
German Australian Line.		..	..	435 0	....	27 0	28 0	2 cargo-sheds—one 100 ft. x 35 ft., and one 231 ft. x 40 ft.
Open Berth ..		..	..	94 0	....	21 0	22 0	
,, ..		..	..	80 0	...	16 0	18 0	Cargo-shed, 128 ft. x 45 ft.
Jetty No. 1 ..		1	2	240 0 281 0	41 0	23 0 25 0	24 0 and 26 0	
Open Berth ..		..	..	154 0	....	23 0	24 0	Cargo-shed, 196 ft. x 45 ft.
Jetty No. 2 ..		1	3	408 0 264 0 214 0	.... 41 0 71 0	21 0 21 0 12 0	22 0 22 0 12 0	Cargo-shed, 215 ft. x 40 ft.
Open Berth Jetties.	Pyrmont	..	..	570 0	....	16 0	17 0	4 steam-cranes, each 10 tons; railway on all jetties.
		2	2	500 0 470 0	....	27 0 24 0	28 0 25 0	Wharf lit with electric light.
		..	2	500 0 470 0	....	24 0 24 0	25 0 25 0	
Darling Harbour..	Darling Harbour	Length of wharf, 2,414 feet ..				17 0 to 27 0	18 0 to 28 0	1 steam-crane, 10 tons. Wharf lit with electric light.
Blackwattle Bay..	Blackwattle Bay	Length of wharf, 1,400 feet ..				11 0	12 0	
White Bay Jetty..	White Bay ..	1	2	239 0 245 0	31 0	21 0	22 0	Suitable for landing timber, stone, coal, &c.

NOTE.—All these wharves afford ample space for the receiving and discharging of cargo, &c., in addition to being provided in most cases with covered-in sheds with a large storage capacity. At present the wharves are under lease to the companies whose names they bear, but the Government collect the wharfage rates as they accrue.

No. 45.—Government Wharves, 1898—*continued.*

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
NEWCASTLE.								
					ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Newcastle ..	Newcastle ..			Length of wharf, 2,790 feet.	24 6	20 0 to	12 0 to	2,130 ft. for cargo berths for deep-draft vessels, 500 ft. for passenger steamers, and 940 ft. for general cargo; 2 hand-cranes; 2 sheds at steamers' wharf. Wharf is lit with gas.
				780 feet	34 6	22 0	23 0	
					ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Bullock Island ..	Carrington ..			Length of wharf, 7,760 feet.		23 6	16 0 to 23 0	5,550 ft. set apart for shipment of coal, 700 feet in connection with harbour works, 480 feet in connection with landing ore for the Sulphide Corporation, and the rest for discharge of ballast. 12 hydraulic cranes—6 15-ton, 4 9-ton, and 2 25-ton; also 3 15-ton steam-cranes. Wharf lit with electric light.
				4 ballast jetties each 50 feet	24 6			
				Wharf for 30-ton crane				
				54 feet for harbour works				
	Cattle shipping wharf 192 ft. long ..				32 6	26 0	28 0	In course of construction.
Stockton	Stockton ..			Length of wharf, 600 feet.	24 6	23 0	6 0	1 15-ton steam-crane, and 1 shoot. The 600 feet of wharf are used for the shipment of coal.
				Ferry wharf, 66 feet ..	24 0		15 0	
				,, 60 ,, ..	20 0		20 0	
				Five ballast jetties, 50 feet each, and sixteen mooring dolphins, 20 feet each.	24 6	17 0	18 0	Steam-winch for hoisting ballast.
				Wharf for gantry, 40 feet.	23 5			
				Wharf for gantry, 40 feet, for harbour works.	20 0			
WOLLONGONG.								
					ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Illawarra S.N. Co.	Wollongong ..	1	1		244 0	18 0	6 6	4 6	
Belmore Basin ..	,, ...		1		66 0	....	9 0	6 9	Cargo-shed, 120 ft. x 40 ft.; capacity, 150 to 200 tons; boiler-shed, blacksmiths' shop and cement-shed; 5 coal-shoots, 3 cranes, 1 derrick; 3 lamps each side lit with gas.
			1		90 0	....	9 0	8 3	
			1		440 0	....	9 0	10 6	
			1		140 0	....	9 0	11 6	
			1		360 0	....	9 0	8 6	
			1		100 0	....	9 0	9 3	
			1		140 0	....	9 0	9 0	
			1		100 0	....	9 0	8 0	

No. 46.—Private Wharves, 1898.

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
PORT JACKSON.								
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Manly	.....	..	..	.....	....	....	....	
Mosman's Bay ..	Mosman's Bay ..	1	1	110 0	15 0	8 0	12 0	Waiting-room.
Cremorne ..	,, ..	1	1	40 0	8 0	12 0	15 0	
Musgrave-street..	,, ..	1	1	33 0	20 0	12 0	15 0	,,
Kurraba	Neutral Bay ..	1	1	18 0	18 0	10 0	12 0	,,
Hayes-street ..	,, ..	1	1	30 0	33 0	4 6	5 0	,,
High-street ..	,, ..	1	1	20 0	30 0	10 0	12 0	,,
Patent Asphaltum Co.	Greenwich	1	1	80 0	55 0	18 0	18 0	Steam automatic hoist.
North Shore Gas Co.	Neutral Bay ..	2	1	24 0 192 0	20 0	13 0	13 6	One steam-winch for shipping coal, two cranes to lift 30 cwt. each.
Kirribilli	North Sydney ..	1	1	190 0	162 0 to 80 0	....	42 0	Wharf half covered by shed.
Milson's Point ..	,, ..	1	1	70 0	66 0	20 0	22 0	Waiting-room.
Lavender Bay ..	,, ..	1	2	25 0	20 0	10 0	12 0	,,
McMahon's Point	,, ..	1	1	35 0	15 0	12 0	15 0	,,
Eaton's	Berry's Bay, North Sydney.	1	1	46 0	80 0	20 0	15 0	
Clifford, Love, & Co.	Lane Cove River	2	1	22 0 8 0	22 0 8 0	....	dry. 6 0	Mills.
Australian Gas-light Co.	Mortlake	1	1	160 0	160 0	15 0	15 0	Two steam-cranes.
Elliott Bros., Ltd.	IronCove, Balmain	1	1	40 0	40 0	15 0	15 0	
Mort's Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd.— "Shearlegs" ..	Mort's Bay, Balmain.	..	2	wharf, 512 0 berths 256 0	48 0	18 0	18 0	One 55-ton shearlegs, 1 5-ton crane, 1 steam-winch, 1 hand-winch, 1 1 engine and boiler-house, 1 machinery-shed, 3 timber stores.
"Patent Slip"..	,, ..	1	1	wharf, 168 0 berth, 168 0	10 0	12 0	12 0	
"Boiler Shop"	,, ..	..	1	wharf, 129 0 berth, 119 0	25 0	10 0	10 0	One 10-ton hand-crane, 1 6-ton hand-crane.
"Steam Crane"	,, ..	.. (for lighter)	1	wharf, 66 0 berth, 66 0	13 0	10 0	10 0	One 1-ton steam-crane.
"Saw-mill" ..	,, ..	..	2	wharf, 355 0 berths, 177 0	57 0	10 0	10 0	One 10-ton hand-crane, 1 3-ton hand-crane.
Lever Bros., Ltd.	Johnston's Bay, Balmain.	1	2	165 0	25 0	16 5	18 6	Large shelter-shed at shore end of wharf, and travelling crane.
Booth's	,, ..	4	8	2, 200 0 2, 160 0 2, 150 0 2, 120 0	40 0	16 0 and 8 0	12 0 and 4 0	One jib crane.
Guthrey's ..	,, ..	1	2	90 0	40 0	11 0	8 0	
Bald Rock ..	Mansfield-street, Balmain.	2	2	66 0 50 0	8 0	6 0	8 0	For ferry boats only.
Colonial Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., "Knox."	Pyrmont	3	2	297 0 x 297 0 125 0 x 208 0 91 0 x 91 0	30 0	18 0	18 0	Buildings and stores; 2 cranes and derricks. Lit with gas.
Goodlet's.. ..	Elizabeth Bay, Pyrmont.	6	1	755 0 total length.	60 0	14 0 to 22 0	14 0 to 22 0	Two travelling cranes; 2 jib cranes; 2 hydraulic cranes; 2 hydraulic lifts; stone store, 6 storeys, 120 x 70 feet.
McCredie's ..	Mill and Bayview sts., Pyrmont.	..	1	145 0	20 0	14 0	....	Stores—capacity 2,200 tons.
Grant's	Johnston's Bay, Balmain.	1	1	180 0	22 0	16 0	10 0	One set shearlegs; engineering, boilermaking, and blacksmiths' shops.
Chadwick's ..	Liverpool-street, Darling Harbour.	2	2	80 0	wharf, 155 0 jetties, 19 6	16 0	12 0	Tramway for discharging coal; stables and offices.
Murphy's.. ..	,, ..	1	2	100 0	25 0	14 0	15 0	Tramway for discharging coal; stable and office.
Miller and Harrison's.	Duncan-street, Darling Harbour.	ft. in. Length of wharf, 300 0		70 0	70 0	....	18 0	Seven-ton crane; large sawmill, 10-stall stable; 2 brick stores; large iron shed; storage for timber.

No. 46.—Private Wharves, 1898—*continued.*

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
PORT JACKSON.								
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Russell's	Barker-street, Darling Harbour.	..	1 1	200 0 130 0	....	23 0	23 0	Shed—room for 5,000 tons produce; stone and brick store—space for 9,000 tons merchandise; 1 10-ton crane; 4 small cranes and travellers; 1 12-ton weighbridge.
Gillespie's "Anchor."	Bathurst-street, Darling Harbour.	1	1	80 0	....	26 0	19 0	Large iron wheat-sheds, capacity 3,000 tons. Lit with electric light.
Gillespie's ..	,, ..	..	..	160 0	21 0	22 0	22 0	Wheat-sheds, with storage for 50,000 sacks; coal bunker for 300 tons coal.
Patent Asphaltum Company.	Druitt-street, Darling Harbour.	1	1	120 0	20 0	....	10 0	10-ton crane.
Federal	Sussex-street, Darling Harbour.	1	2	300 0	30 0	25 0	22 6	Galvanised shed; room for 8,000 tons.
		1	2	300 0	36 0	25 0	22 6	Three open sheds; accommodation for timber.
Pacific	Druitt-street, Darling Harbour.	1	2	200 0	25 0	12 0	16 0 at end of jetty.	Cargo store, 50 x 18 feet.
Albion	Off Wharf street, Darling Harbour.	1 1	1 1	172 0 160 0	24 0 26 0	12 0 12 0	12 0 12 0	Iron sheds—capacity, 5,000 tons, fitted with travelling cranes.
Baltic	Wharf-st., No. 9, Darling Harbour.	Length of wharf, 150 0			....	18 0	18 0	Quarters for caretaker; store, 2 floors, 50 ft. x 20 ft.; offices and store, 2 floors, 48 ft. x 18 ft.; 2 cranes; storage sheds, 190 ft. x 20 ft. and 55 ft. x 18 ft.
Market	Market-street, Darling Harbour.	4	1 2 2 1	150 0 150 0 150 0 90 0	21 0 30 0 30 0 20 0	....	20 0 20 0 19 0 16 0	Shed, 150 feet x 21 feet, on No. 1 wharf; on No. 2 wharf, shed 150 feet x 29 feet; 3 other sheds, 214 feet x 63 feet, 100 feet x 50 feet, 66 feet x 31 feet. Timber yard all covered in. Brick building, for storing grain, 3 floors; 3-ton crane. Lit with gas.
Newcastle and Hunter River Steam Co.	Wharf-street, Darling Harbour.	1	2	197 0	23 6 to 33 0	14 6	15 0	Large store, with 2 floors, 163 ft. 6 in. x 149 ft. 5 in.; storage capacity, 20,000 tons. Store, with 2 floors, 63 ft. 3 in. x 56 ft.
		1	1	81 0	10 6 to 28 0	14 6	15 0	6 in.; 2 cranes on wharf; 2 cranes in store; 1 steam hoist.
Caledonian ..	King-street, Darling Harbour.	1	1	150 0	260 0	12 0	12 0	Shed, 100 ft. x 30 ft.
Howard Smith's..	King-street, Darling Harbour.	2	3	250 0 214 0 254 0	70 6 29 0	24 0	20 0	Four stores and sheds; capacity, 8,000 tons; 5-ton crane; store capacity, 1,500 tons; 5-ton crane; 1 pair shearlegs. Lit with gas.
		1	2	218 0 238 0	22 6	20 0		
A.U.S.N. Co.....	Lime-street ..	2	2 2	250 0 210 0	33 0	17 0	18 0	Offices, bonds, and workshops, with a 15-ton derrick; large open wood and iron sheds; 3 buildings; premises are capable of working 25,000 tons.
		1	2	250 0 302 0	38 0	20 0	20 0	
Bethel	Erskine-street ..	1	2	75 0	8 0	10 0	11 0 to nothing.	Terminus for Lane Cove River steamers; waiting rooms and fruit shop.
Illawarra S.N. Co.	Shelly-street ..	1 1 1	2 1 1	180 0 167 0 149 0	18 0 10 0 10 0	14 0 12 0 12 0	10 0 8 0 8 0	Stores, offices, and carpenter's shop; capacity, 2,000 tons; 1 crane; 1 heaving hoist. Lit with gas.
Union S. S. Co..	Darling Harbour..	2	4	250 0	50 0 25 0	17 0	17 0	Brick stores; capacity, 10,000 tons. Lit with gas.
Australian Gas Light Co.	,, ..	..	..	total length, 590 0	93 0 to 10 0	13 0	13 0	1 steam-crane; 1 hydraulic crane; 2 coal stores.
Grafton	Sussex-street ..	3	2 2 2	302 0 250 0 252 0	54 0 50 0 40 0	25 0 18 0 18 0	25 0 18 0 18 0	Three open sheds; 3 enclosed stores; capacity, 3,000 tons; crane, 5 tons. Grafton stores adjoining wharf; storage capacity, 33,000 tons.
Dibbs'	Miller's Point ..	2	2	300 0	50 0 45 0	22 6	23 0	Bonded and free stores; total capacity, 30,000 tons; steam and hand cranes. Lit with gas.
		1	1	275 0	30 0	20 0	21 0	
		1	1	100 0	25 0	15 0	16 0	
Smith's	,, ..	2	5	278 0 115 0 704 0 127 0	60 0 74 0 40 0	22 0 23 0	22 0 23 0	One enclosed shed on China Navigation Co.'s jetty; three enclosed and one open shed on main wharf; storage accommodation, 20,000 tons.

No. 46.—Private Wharves, 1898—*continued.*

Name.	Situation.	Jetties.	Berths at each Jetty.	Length of each Berth.	Width of Jetty or Wharf.	Draft of Vessel that can be taken at each Jetty.	Depth of Water at Low Tide.	Accommodation at Wharf—Buildings, Cranes, &c.
PORT JACKSON.								
				ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.	
Moore's	Miller's Point ..	3	..	179 0 352 0 184 0	30 6	23 0 27 0 24 0	19 0 to 31 0	Shed of 2 floors, 125 ft. x 42 ft.; store of 3 floors, 237 ft. x 43 ft.; stores for gear, offices, &c.
Towns'	,, ..	1	2	220 0 150 0	35 0	22 0 16 0	24 0 18 0	Bonded and free stores; cargo sheds; capacity, 11,550 tons; portable crane and hoists. Wharf lit with gas.
Dalgety's.. ..	Kent-street ..	1	2	340 0	45 0	24 0	25 0 to 30 0	Two brick stores, each 5 storeys; cargo-shed, capacity, 20,000 tons; hydraulic lifts. Lit with electric light and gas.
Central	Pottinger-street..	1 1	2 3	328 0 145 0 194 0 256 0	35 0 40 0	24 0	27 0	Storage capacity, 1,750,000 cubic feet; wool stores and sheds; 2 cranes and 4 engines; hydraulic lift and hydraulic power for working; 7 wool-presses and 3 lifts; pumps, boilers, and engines. Lit with gas.
Dalton's	Miller's Point ..	2	2 1	180 0 150 0	40 0 25 0	23 0	25 0	Five stone stores, with hydraulic lifts; 2 iron sheds, with hydraulic lifts; 3 iron sheds.
Saywell, late "Algers."	Dawes Point	2	1 2	192 0 252 0 241 0	50 0 to 22 4 56 0	16 0 25 0	43 0 to 9 0 53 0 to 19 0	Bonded and free stores; capacity, 10,000 tons.
Parbury's ..	Lower Fort-street, Dawes Point.	1	2	350 0	60 0	25 0 upwards	25 0 to 60 0	Three stores.
Walker's	Dawes Point ..	..	1	330 0	60 0	25 0	26 6	Bonded and free stores; capacity, 5,380 tons. Lit with gas.
NEWCASTLE.								
Newcastle A. A. Co.	Newcastle ..	..	..	400 0 200 0 400 0 500 0	10 0	23 0 19 0 19 0 13 0	20 0 15 0 14 0 8 0	Shed, 100 ft. x 55 ft.; 1 coal shoot. 1 coal shoot. 1 coal shoot.

No. 47.—Dock Accommodation, 1898.

Name of Dock.	Where situated.	Length.	Breadth.	Draught of Vessel that may be taken.	Lifting power of Floating Dock or Patent Slip.
Sydney—					
Graving Docks—		ft.	ft.	ft. in.	tons.
Government—					
Sutherland ..	Cockatoo Island..	600	84	32 0	.....
Fitzroy		450	59	21 6	.....
Mort's	Mort's Bay, Balmain ..	640	66 at top, 54 at bottom.	19 0	.....
Floating Docks—					
Rowntree's	Waterview Bay.. ..	160	42	12 0	474
Woolwich (Mort's)	Woolwich	242 on blocks	73 extreme	14 0	1,500
Jubilee (Mort's) ..	Johnston's Bay ..	317	55	15 0	1,500
Johnston's Bay (Mort's)		100	23	7 3	120
Drake's	White Bay	150	60	7 6	300
Patent Slips—					
Mort's No. 1.. ..	Mort's Bay, Balmain	270	30	11 ft. forwd. 17 ft. aft.	2,000
,, ,, 2.. ..		200	25	10 ft. forwd. 16 ft. aft.	1,000
,, ,, 3.. ..		80	13 ft. 8 in.	5 ft. 3 in.	40
Newcastle—					
Patent Slips—					
Sullivan's	Stockton	200	40	10 ft. forwd. 12 ft. aft.	1,100
Austin Callen's	New Township, Stockton	150	30	8 ft. 0 in.	100

NOTE.—During 1898 there were 86 vessels docked at the Sutherland Dock, and 70 at the Fitzroy Dock, making a total of 156, of which 27 were British ships of war. The gross tonnage of the vessels was 181,030. The receipts during 1898 amounted to £4,698, and the expenditure to £2,043, the latter being exclusive of interest on capital expenditure.

No. 48.—Passenger Fares from Sydney during 1898.

Steamers.

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.
New South Wales Ports :—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Bateman's Bay	1 0 0	0 10 0
Bellinger River	1 10 0	0 15 0
Byron Bay	1 10 0	1 0 0
Clarence River	1 5 0	0 10 0
Eden	1 10 0	0 15 0
Macleay River	1 5 0	0 10 0
Manning River	1 5 0	0 10 0
Nambucca River	1 10 0	0 15 0
Newcastle	0 5 0	0 2 6
Port Macquarie	1 5 0	0 10 0
Richmond River—		
Ballina	1 5 0	0 10 0
Coraki	1 7 6	0 12 6
Lismore	1 10 0	0 15 0
Ulladulla	0 15 0	0 10 0
Wollongong	0 4 0	0 2 6
Victorian Port :—		
Melbourne	£1 10s.–£2 10s.	0 10 0
Queensland Ports :—		
Burketown	15 5 0	7 5 0
Bowen	6 0 0	2 2 0
Brisbane	£1 10s.–£2 8s.	0 10 0
Bundaberg	£2 18s.–£3 12s.	1 6 6
Cairns	£4 10s.–£6 16s.	2 8 0
Cooktown	9 10 0	5 0 0
Mackay	5 12 0	1 18 0
Maryborough	2 12 0	1 2 6
Mourilyan Harbour	£4 10s.–£6 16s.	2 8 0
Normanton	13 10 0	6 15 0
Rockhampton	£3 10s.–£4 16s.	1 10 0
Townsville	£4–£6 8s.	2 2 0
Thursday Island	12 15 0	6 5 0
South Australian Ports :—		
Adelaide	£3 4s.–£4	2 0 0
Port Darwin	18 0 0	12 0 0
Western Australian Ports :—		
Albany	8 0 0	4 0 0
Fremantle	8 0 0	4 0 0
Tasmanian Ports :—		
Hobart	£1 10s.—£2 5s.	1 0 0
Launceston	2 10 0	1 5 0
New Zealand Ports :—		
Auckland	5 0 0	2 15 0
Dunedin (*via* Cook Strait)	6 10 0	3 10 0
Lyttelton ,, ,,	5 15 0	3 0 0
Napier (*via* Auckland)	6 10 0	3 10 0
Wellington	5 0 0	2 15 0

Ports.	Single Fares. First Class.	Single Fares. Second Class.	Single Fares. Third Class.
European Ports :—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Antwerp	57 0 0	35 0 0	15 15 0
Bremen	57 0 0	35 0 0	15 15 0
Brindisi	£55—£65	£32—£37	£14 14s.—£17 17s.
Genoa	50 0 0	30 0 0	13 10 0
London	£60—£70	£35—£44	£15 15s.—£22 12s. 9d.
Marseilles	65 0 0	£32—£37	20 0 0
Naples	£50—£65	£30—£37	£13 10s.—£17 17s.
Southampton	£57—£62	£32—£35	14 0 0
Venice	£55—£65	£32—£37	.....
Eastern Ports :—			
Aden	45 0 0	£30—£33	£8 10s.—£15
Bombay	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	13 10 0
Calcutta	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	13 10 0
Colombo	35 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	10 0 0
Hong Kong	33 0 0	23 0 0	15 0 0
Java	27 0 0	.....	10 10 0
Madras	40 0 0	£25—£27 10s.	.....
Penang	30 10 0	.....	15 15 0
Port Moresby	22 10 0	14 0 0	.....
Shanghai	37 10 0	26 0 0	18 0 0
Singapore	38 0 0	27 0 0	18 0 0
Mauritius	52 0 0	35 12 0	17 16 0
Port Said	£53—£63	£31—£36	16 16 0
Réunion	51 0 0	35 0 0	17 12 0
Yokohama	37 10 0	26 8 0	17 15 0
Pacific Ports :—			
Aneityum	10 10 0	6 0 0	.....
Fiji (Suva and Levuka)	10 0 0	6 0 0	.....
Havannah (New Hebrides)	12 0 0	7 0 0	.....
Honolulu	30 0 0	12 0 0	.....
Noumea	10 0 0	7 0 0	3 12 0
Samoa Islands	20 0 0	.....	10 0 0
San Francisco	40 0 0	.....	16 0 0
Tonga Islands	16 0 0	9 10 0	4 10 0
Vancouver	40 0 0	.....	16 0 0
South African Ports :—			
Cape Town	31 10 0	.....	£13 13s.—£17 17s.
Natal	31 10 0	.....	£13 13s.—£17 17s.

Sailing Vessels.

Fares by sailing vessels are in nearly every instance a matter of private arrangement between the captain of the vessel and the intending passenger; but the number of passengers is becoming smaller from year to year, owing to the great decrease of the rates of steamer fares. Single fares from Sydney to London are, however, given as £35 to £45 first class and £18 to £22 second class, and from Newcastle to San Francisco as £20 to £25.

No. 49.—Rates of Freights, 1889–98.

SYDNEY TO LONDON, 1889–98.

Year.	Vessel.	Per lb.	Per ton weight.				Per ton measurement (40 cubic feet).	
		Wool (Greasy).	Tallow.	Copra.	Leather.	Hides.	Preserved Meats.	Measurement Goods.
1889	Sailing	5/16d. to 7/16d.	25/- to 45/-	32/6 to 50/-	27/6 to 45/-	15/- to 20/-	22/6	20/- to 25/-
	Steam	1/2d. to 3/4d.	25/- to 50/-	50/-	40/- to 60/-	.....	.....	.....
1890	Sailing	3/8d. to 1/2d.	32/6 to 47/6	32/6 to 47/6	35/- to 45/-	15/- to 25/-	25/- to 30/-	25/- to 35/-
	Steam	1/2d. to 7/8d.	35/- to 50/-	45/- to 50/-	45/- to 60/-	.....	30/-	60/-
1891	Sailing	1/4d. to 7/16d.	26/- to 45/-	35/- to 47/6	27/6 to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	17/6 to 25/-	22/6 to 45/-
	Steam	5/16d. to 3/4d.	32/6 to 45/-	35/- to 45/-	32/6 to 50/-	30/- to 35/-	.....	32/6 to 60/-
1892	Sailing	3/8d. to 9/16d.	27/6 to 37/6	37/6 to 42/6	27/6 to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	20/- to 27/6	27/6 to 40/-
	Steam	3/8d. to 3/4d.	45/- to 50/-	40/- to 45/-	40/- to 60/-	35/-	32/6 to 40/-	40/- to 60/-
1893	Sailing	5/16d. to 1/2d.	25/- to 40/-	27/6 to 30/-	25/- to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	15/- to 17/6	25/- to 40/-
	Steam	3/8d. to 5/8d.	35/- to 50/-	35/- to 40/-	35/- to 60/-	30/- to 40/-	30/-	40/- to 60/-
1894	Sailing	3/8d. to 7/16d.	32/6 to 37/6	36/3 to 37/6	32/6 to 40/-	17/6 to 20/-	17/6	25/- to 30/-
	Steam	3/8d. to 1/2d.	40/- to 50/-	.....	35/- to 50/-	30/-	25/- to 30/-	35/- to 50/-
1895	Sailing	5/16d. to 3/8d.	17/6 to 35/-	20/- to 40/-	30/- to 40/-	15/- to 22/6	15/- to 17/6	20/- to 35/-
	Steam	5/16d. to 1/2d.	22/6 to 40/-	.....	35/- to 65/-	25/- to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	30/- to 45/-
1896	Sailing	1/4d. to 5/16d.	12/6 to 25/-	20/- to 22/6	25/- to 30/-	15/- to 17/6	12/6 to 15/-	17/6 to 30/-
	Steam	1/4d. to 1/2d.	12/6 to 35/-	20/- to 40/-	27/6 to 45/-	25/- to 40/-	20/- to 30/-	20/- to 40/-
1897	Sailing	5/16d. to 3/8d.	15/- to 30/-	20/- to 40/-	32/6	15/-	12/6 to 15/-	20/-
	Steam	7/16d. to 1/2d.	30/-	.....	45/- to 50/-	.....	25/- to 27/6	27/- to 32/6
1898	Sailing	3/8d.	30/- to 32/6	37/6	.....	.....	15/-	27/- to 30/-
	Steam	3/8d. to 5/8d.	25/- to 30/-	.....	45/- to 50/-	.....	25/-	35/- to 45/-

WOOL (GREASY) SYDNEY TO EUROPE AND UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, 1898.

Vessel.	Europe.			United States of America.*	
	France.	Germany.	Belgium.	*Via* London.	*Via* Vancouver.
	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.	Per lb.
Steam	5/8d.	5/8d.	5/8d.	3/4d.	7/8d.

* To Eastern Ports.

No. 50.—National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.

National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.—This Society was established in the year 1877, in order to afford relief in cases of distress to widows, orphans, and aged parents, or others dependent upon seamen belonging to New South Wales, or to vessels owned in New South Wales, who have lost their lives, or have been seriously injured in the performance of their duty; to relieve crews of vessels and necessitous passengers wrecked in or near New South Wales waters; and to grant the Society's medals or rewards to persons performing acts of bravery in the saving of human life.

Balance Sheet for Year ended 30th June, 1898.

Receipts.	£	£	Disbursements.	£	£	£
To Balance—30th June, 1897 ...	...	28	By General relief granted—			
Donations	557		Widows and Orphans	1,186		
Subscriptions	198		Seamen	784		
Government Grant	250		Donations to Hospitals	7		
Private collections on behalf of Mesdames Baggs and Jacobsen	32				1,977	
Interest on Fixed Deposits...	485		Rewards of Merit, Medals, Certificates, &c....		65	
		1,522	Salaries, Office Rent, Commission, Printing, Advertising, &c....		403	
Fixed Deposits—			General Expenses		34	
Bank of New South Wales	700		Private collections on behalf of Mesdames Baggs and Jacobsen		32	
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.)	9,000					2,511
Government Savings Bank of N.S.W. ...	5,900		Fixed Deposits—			
Savings Bank of N.S.W.	400		Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.) ...		9,000	
		16,000	Government Savings Bank of New South Wales ...		5,900	
						14,900
			Balance—Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Ltd.)			139
		17,550				17,550

Transactions for Year 1897-8, and since Establishment of Society.

	During 1897-8.	Since establishment of Society in 1877.
Relief granted—	£	£
Widows and orphans or others dependent on seamen ...	1,186	10,612
Distressed seamen and passengers who have suffered through shipwreck	783	4,288
Donations to Hospital and ambulance	7	14
Total	1,976	14,914
Medals (including Certificates of Merit) awarded for saving life—	No.	No.
Gold	2	19
Silver	18	125
Bronze	.....	24
Certificates only	7	11
Miscellaneous awards—		
Gold watches	.....	2
Silver watches	... ..	3
Marine Binocular Glasses	1	5
Piece Silver Plate	.....	1
Cash	£6	£199

No. 51.—Distances of Principal Ports from Sydney by Sea.

Places on the Coast of New South Wales.

North.

	Miles.		Miles.
Broken Bay	19	Trial Bay	209
Catherine Hill Bay	48	Macleay River Heads	216
Newcastle	62	Nambucca River Heads	223
Port Stephens	83	Bellinger River Heads	230
Seal Rocks	109	Coff's Harbour	240
Cape Hawke	123	Woolgoolga	254
Manning River Heads	144	Clarence River Heads	296
Crowdy Head	147	Richmond River Heads	331
Camden Haven Heads	159	Cape Byron	345
Tacking Point	169	Brunswick River Heads	351
Port Macquarie	174	Tweed River Heads	374
Smoky Cape	205		

South.

	Miles.		Miles.
Botany	12	Jervis Bay	87
Clifton	31	Ulladulla	108
Bulli	36	Bateman's Bay	134
Bellambi	41	Moruya	139
Wollongong	44	Narooma	157
Port Kembla	48	Bermagui	163
Shellharbour	53	Tathra	186
Kiama	59	Merimbula	197
Gerringong	65	Twofold Bay (Eden)	210
Shoalhaven River Heads	69	Green Cape	218
Crookhaven Heads	74	Cape Howe	238

Intercolonial and Island Ports.

	Miles.
Victoria—	
Gabo Island	237
Wilson's Promont'ry	432
Port Phillip Heads	534
Melbourne	576
Cape Otway	682
Queensland—	
Brisbane	500
Maryborough	690
Bundaberg	782
Gladstone	882
Rockhampton	982
Mackay	1,050
Bowen	1,155
Townsville	1,258
Cairns	1,418
Port Douglas	1,453
Cooktown	1,518
Thursday Island	1,958
Normanton	2,458
Burketown	2,596

	Miles.
South Australia—	
Cape Northumberland	827
Cape Jervis	1,022
Semaphore (Adelaide, 10 miles inland)	1,074
Cape Borda	1,183
Port Pirie	1,344
Port Augusta	1,379
Port Darwin (via East Coast)	2,540
Western Australia—	
Breaksea Island	2,090
Albany (King George's Sound)	2,100
Fremantle (Perth, 12 miles inland)	2,496
Tasmania—	
Hobart (direct)	648
Low Head	509
Launceston (via Melbourne)	853

	Miles.
New Zealand—	
North Island (via Auckland)—	
Russell	1,172
Auckland	1,280
Tauranga	1,414
Gisborne	1,620
Napier	1,706
Wellington	1,909
,, (direct)	1,239
South Island (via Wellington)—	
Nelson	1,377
Picton	1,292
Lyttleton (Christchurch, 17 miles inland)	1,414
Akaroa	1,458
Westport	1,537
Greymouth	1,600
Dunedin	1,617
Bluff (Invercargill, 18 miles inland)	1,749

	Miles.
Island Ports—	
Lord Howe Island	436
Norfolk Island	900
Fiji (Suva), direct	1,770
New Caledonia (Noumea)	1,060
New Hebrides	1,260
Tongatabu (Tonga)	2,030
Samoa (Apia)	2,540
New Guinea (Port Moresby), via Cooktown	1,888
Honolulu (via Auckland)	5,181

British and Foreign Ports.

	Miles.
Via P. & O. and Orient Co.'s routes.	
Colombo	5,442
Madras	6,052
Bombay	6,317
Calcutta	6,706
Aden	7,535
Suez	8,843
Brindisi	9,860
Naples	10,040
Plymouth	12,255
London	12,500
London (direct)	12,145

	Miles.
Via Cape of Good Hope.	
Table Bay	7,088
Madeira	11,878
London	13,379
Via Cape Horn.	
Cape Horn	4,505
Rio de Janeiro	6,855
Madeira	10,550
London	12,051
Via Torres Straits.	
Batavia	4,195
Aden	8,045
Suez	9,452
Port Said	9,540
London	12,975

	Miles.
Via San Francisco.	
Honolulu	5,181
San Francisco	7,281
New York	10,567
(inc. 3,286 overland)	
Liverpool	13,627
London	13,829
(inc. 3,488 overland)	
Via Vancouver.	
Vancouver	6,985
Quebec	10,063
(inc. 3,078 overland)	
Liverpool	12,723
London	12,925
(inc. 3,280 overland)	

	Miles.
Belgium—Antwerp	12,735
Germany—Bremen	13,105
Hamburg	13,121
France—Marseilles	10,296
Dunkirk	12,351
Singapore (direct)	4,451
China—Hong Kong	5,888
Shanghai	6,758
Japan—Nagasaki	6,955
Yokohama	7,478

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COMMERCE.

COMMERCE.

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PART III.—COMMERCE.

No. 1.—Trade of each Port and Station, 1894-98.

Port or Station.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
IMPORTS.					
SEAWARD—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	13,564,181	13,778,148	16,821,742	17,302,514	18,364,539
Clarence River	8,056	5,127	484	.....	9
Eden	618	1,119	1,271	288	1,211
Newcastle	424,114	420,138	611,880	509,941	409,527
Richmond River	81	1,680	2	.....	.....
Tweed River Heads	16,237	2,835	460	315	73
Total Seaward ... £	14,013,287	14,209,047	17,435,839	17,813,058	18,775,359
OVERLAND—					
Albury	207,732	184,563	614,779	1,406,277	3,367,669
Barringun	209,261	218,129	227,292	70,851	104,241
Boggabilla	51,061	24,890	96,493	112,953	124,432
Bourke	17,960	1,996	9,089	3,761	3,711
Cobram	9,826	10,596	23,033	23,664	25,353
Corowa	41,033	42,884	69,815	79,184	64,993
Delegate	85	63	206	.....	.....
Euston	3,590	3,147	3,729	4,082	4,474
Genoa	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Howlong	7,088	7,419	6,947	7,582	6,400
Moama	260,524	259,261	251,390	245,471	188,738
Mulwala	30,848	27,981	53,530	68,606	38,870
Mungindi	.....	.....	38,762	43,412	35,422
Swan Hill	9,952	9,684	15,280	17,752	25,827
Tocumwal	14,453	19,761	49,383	54,063	36,867
Tweed River Heads—Live Stock..	.....	4,450	8,706	9,156	4,106
Wallangarra	77,846	149,449	217,749	326,307	213,262
Wentworth	89,188	48,641	73,501	55,412	47,019
Wilcannia	17,307	21,034	60,694	41,686	30,267
Willyama (Broken Hill)	562,966	590,197	928,536	1,022,310	944,211
Other Crossing Places—Live Stock	177,934	159,223	376,745	338,763	412,339
Total Overland ... £	1,788,654	1,783,368	3,125,671	3,931,292	5,678,201
Total Imports ... ... £	15,801,941	15,992,415	20,561,510	21,744,350	24,453,560

No. 1.—Trade of each Port and Station, 1894-98—*continued.*

Port or Station.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
EXPORTS.					
SEAWARD—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	13,790,770	15,696,631	16,638,847	17,438,592	21,630,664
Clarence River	5,250	5,800	6,131	10,040	12,340
Eden	15,201	3,760	1,269	7,173	5,568
Macleay River	196	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newcastle	1,485,475	1,415,826	1,496,687	1,723,325	1,782,634
Port Macquarie	142	815	1,168	100	.....
Port Stephens	532	361	.....	.....	4,250
Richmond River	520	320	17	.....	.....
Tweed River Heads	581	537	1,567	345	12
Wollongong	56,917	62,606	94,925	72,878	90,865
Total Seaward	15,355,584	17,186,656	18,240,611	19,252,453	23,526,333
OVERLAND—					
Albury	50,008	417,995	542,225	570,150	551,624
Barringun	29,728	26,366	18,703	17,794	5,973
Boggabilla	26,290	30,361	24,315	43,876	31,193
Bourke	14,081	7,280	4,485	2,902	2,934
Brewarrina	214	18	42	95	149
Cobram	17,199	38,650	41,685	38,480	43,084
Corowa	177,779	197,913	203,458	206,625	177,425
Delegate	.....	.....	.....	25,776	.....
Euston	24,645	53,292	44,046	26,840	20,266
Howlong	13,209	16,899	14,654	9,332	18,413
Moama	547,027	669,337	607,430	445,194	476,127
Mulwala	95,626	96,255	97,961	144,734	111,615
Swan Hill	535,551	478,314	358,870	339,269	329,818
Tocumwal	24,718	69,000	146,307	156,891	145,319
Tweed River Heads—Live Stock..	.....	200	.....	.....	.....
Wallangarra	75,658	406,907	129,480	55.557	288,717
Wentworth	609,299	244,236	529,484	380,428	170,195
Wilcannia	232	145	176	30	44
Willyama (Broken Hill) ...	2,512,104	1,960,944	1,967,228	1,994,908	1,729,973
Other Crossing Places—Live Stock	18,721	34,017	39,189	39,738	18,915
Total Overland	5,222,089	4,748,129	4,769,738	4,498,619	4,121,784
Total Exports	20,577,673	21,934,785	23,010,349	23,751,072	27,648,117

No. 2.—Direction of Trade, 1894–98.

Country.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
IMPORTS.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Australasian Colonies	7,794,168	7,321,668	9,559,860	9,602,277	12,467,059
United Kingdom	5,983,489	6,420,107	7,190,115	7,557,069	7,744,418
Other British Possessions	608,356	611,021	625,164	856,576	864,420
Foreign Countries—					
Belgium	115,119	150,288	104,293	77,552	98,077
China	131,006	133,870	190,545	187,646	151,241
France	70,649	76,663	145,972	211,317	214,530
Germany	345,364	425,697	690,843	900,464	771,626
New Caledonia	25,171	28,345	41,263	30,404	40,391
United States	542,427	624,268	1,729,871	1,887,877	1,602,954
Other Foreign Countries... ...	186,192	200,488	283,584	433,168	498,844
Total Imports	15,801,941	15,992,415	20,561,510	21,744,350	24,453,560
EXPORTS.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Australasian Colonies	8,243,954	7,590,985	8,374,826	8,174,666	8,675,199
United Kingdom	7,956,377	9,371,418	8,375,883	8,728,828	7,734,880
Other British Possessions	395,871	360,703	520,328	602,449	725,383
Foreign Countries—					
Belgium	1,121,822	780,826	877,880	668,545	887,272
China	7,581	7,943	7,877	2,598	14,745
France	1,067,440	1,436,122	1,472,909	1,543,480	1,699,629
Germany	917,310	1,141,661	771,389	880,440	1,158,814
New Caledonia	72,732	71,344	110,335	143,707	162,254
United States	374,541	683,606	2,064,964	2,462,319	5,951,287
Other Foreign Countries... ...	420,045	490,177	433,958	544,040	638,654
Total Exports	20,577,673	21,934,785	23,010,349	23,751,072	27,648,117
TOTAL TRADE.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Australasian Colonies	16,038,122	14,912,653	17,934,686	17,776,943	21,142,258
United Kingdom	13,939,866	15,791,525	15,565,998	16,285,897	15,479,298
Other British Possessions	1,004,227	971,724	1,145,492	1,459,025	1,589,803
Foreign Countries—					
Belgium	1,236,941	931,114	982,173	746,097	985,349
China	138,587	141,813	198,422	190,244	165,986
France	1,138,089	1,512,785	1,618,881	1,754,797	1,914,159
Germany	1,262,674	1,567,358	1,462,232	1,780,904	1,930,440
New Caledonia	97,903	99,689	151,598	174,111	202,645
United States	916,968	1,307,874	3,794,835	4,350,196	7,554,241
Other Foreign Countries... ...	606,237	690,665	717,542	977,208	1,137,498
Total Trade	36,379,614	37,927,200	43,571,859	45,495,422	52,101,677

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1894–98.

Country.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
AUSTRALASIA.					
IMPORTS FROM:—	£	£	£	£	£
Victoria	1,583,206	1,499,592	2,115,721	2,854,497	5,301,214
Queensland	4,506,490	4,011,776	4,679,456	4,467,867	4,663,597
South Australia	854,190	911,170	1,436,927	1,185,099	1,112,421
Western Australia	23,310	32,332	25,351	51,182	54,709
Tasmania	342,522	303,270	597,706	414,209	589,092
New Zealand	484,450	563,528	704,699	629,423	746,026
Total ... ... £	7,794,168	7,321,668	9,559,860	9,602,277	12,467,059
EXPORTS TO:—					
Victoria	3,129,663	3,078,017	3,296,451	2,961,988	3,294,618
Queensland	970,926	1,416,257	1,227,754	1,342,322	1,691,111
South Australia	3,108,600	2,314,682	2,720,374	2,587,286	2,216,994
Western Australia	83,790	143,405	533,265	709,547	635,290
Tasmania	180,583	152,451	167,399	186,934	324,416
New Zealand	770,392	486,173	429,583	386,589	512,770
Total ... ... £	8,243,954	7,590,985	8,374,826	8,174,666	8,675,199
TOTAL TRADE WITH:—					
Victoria	4,712,869	4,577,609	5,412,172	5,816,485	8,595,832
Queensland	5,477,416	5,428,033	5,907,210	5,810,189	6,354,708
South Australia	3,962,790	3,225,852	4,157,301	3,772,385	3,329,415
Western Australia	107,100	175,737	558,616	760,729	689,999
Tasmania	523,105	455,721	765,105	601,143	913,508
New Zealand	1,254,842	1,049,701	1,134,282	1,016,012	1,258,796
Total Trade ... ... £	16,038,122	14,912,653	17,934,686	17,776,943	21,142,258
UNITED KINGDOM.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Imports from	5,983,489	6,420,107	7,190,115	7,557,069	7,744,418
Exports to	7,956,377	9,371,418	8,375,883	8,728,828	7,734,880
Total Trade ... ... £	13,939,866	15,791,525	15,565,998	16,285,897	15,479,298

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1894-98—*continued.*

Country.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS.					
	£	£	£	£	£
IMPORTS FROM :—					
Canadian Dominion	52,740	61,742	83,810	187,291	131,962
Cape Colony	18	34	1,524	1,536	1,292
Ceylon	81,146	94,595	113,352	132,940	144,123
Fiji	45,039	27,890	36,058	53,836	106,436
Hong Kong	182,496	181,529	75,860	76,468	81,574
India	201,805	212,337	203,176	259,723	309,720
Mauritius	25,284	12,950	73,635	123,729	48,632
Natal	.....	.....	.....	.....	55
New Guinea	3,232	1,325	14,176	1,168	14,397
Straits Settlements	12,625	14,074	19,877	14,196	22,263
Other British Possessions ...	3,971	4,545	3,696	5,689	3,966
Total ... ... £	608,356	611,021	625,164	856,576	864,420
EXPORTS TO :—					
Canadian Dominion	14,523	16,804	11,555	19,340	86,964
Cape Colony	4,166	3,266	18,971	18,210	80,197
Ceylon	2,822	2,055	6,785	6,123	18,133
Fiji	117,840	86,420	107,724	124,093	138,076
Hong Kong	162,167	141,976	185,601	175,435	202,187
India	36,991	54,407	126,203	169,857	67,205
Mauritius	32,508	24,155	19,608	22,915	21,067
Natal	.....	.....	.....	11,164	48,311
New Guinea	5,405	3,624	14,183	20,512	24,395
Straits Settlements	16,890	24,507	19,113	28,151	32,816
Other British Possessions ...	2,559	3,489	10,585	6,649	6,032
Total Exports ... ... £	395,871	360,703	520,328	602,449	725,383
TOTAL TRADE WITH :—					
Canadian Dominion	67,263	78,546	95,365	206,631	218,926
Cape Colony	4,184	3,300	20,495	19,746	81,489
Ceylon	83,968	96,650	120,137	139,063	162,256
Fiji	162,879	114,310	143,782	177,929	244,512
Hong Kong	344,663	323,505	261,461	251,903	283,761
India	238,796	266,744	329,379	429,580	376,925
Mauritius	57,792	37,105	93,243	146,644	69,699
Natal	.....	.....	.....	11,164	48,366
New Guinea	8,637	4,949	28,359	21,680	38,792
Straits Settlements	29,515	38,581	38,990	42,347	55,079
Other British Possessions ...	6,530	8,034	14,281	12,338	9,998
Total Trade ... ... £	1,004,227	971,724	1,145,492	1,459,025	1,589,803

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1894–98—*continued.*

Country.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Foreign Countries.					
Imports from:—	£	£	£	£	£
Belgium	115,119	150,288	104,293	77,552	98,077
Chili	38	3,845	2,890	1,443	.....
China	131,006	133,870	190,545	187,646	151,241
Egypt	4,744	6,937	7,622	19,718	10,687
France	70,649	76,663	145,972	211,317	214,530
Germany	345,364	425,697	690,843	900,464	771,626
Greece	3,894	3,138	10,321	9,148	23,980
Hawaiian Islands	.....	.....	.....	238	1,077
Italy	24,124	39,563	48,925	58,685	58,473
Japan	27,468	28,179	40,857	69,615	77,679
Java	40,546	2,749	7,278	12,537	13,696
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	.....	.....	35	.....
Marshall Islands	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,987
Netherlands	.....	230	1,489	7,614	15,858
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	4,868	307	4	.....	10,179
New Caledonia	25,171	28,345	41,263	30,404	40,391
Norway	29,193	25,353	34,227	46,734	56,637
Peru	.....	.....	.....	.....	195
Philippine Islands	7,982	15,211	18,004	24,566	24,402
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides)	38,885	54,436	75,470	113,448	99,323
Sumatra	.....	.....	.....	50	.....
Sweden	.....	435	1,163	21,490	33,799
Switzerland	.....	109	2,020	6,955	21,136
United States	542,427	624,268	1,729,871	1,887,877	1,602,954
Other Foreign Countries	4,450	19,996	33,314	40,892	46,736
Total £	1,415,928	1,639,619	3,186,371	3,728,428	3,377,663
Exports to:—					
Belgium	1,121,822	780,826	877,880	668,545	887,272
Chili	148,355	158,486	137,246	136,451	139,340
China	7,581	7,943	7,877	2,598	14,745
Egypt	611	3,370	3,696	2,277	5,889
France	1,067,440	1,436,122	1,472,909	1,543,480	1,699,629
Germany	917,310	1,141,661	771,389	880,440	1,158,814
Greece	.....	.....	.....	75	.....
Hawaiian Islands	22,392	19,415	23,333	21,533	31,853
Italy	27,648	63,509	40,680	102,467	169,047
Japan	15,302	54,242	35,523	58,452	64,221
Java	12,915	11,417	19,540	22,404	29,457
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	2,960	1,676	119	1,516	880
Marshall Islands	7,269	5,807	6,590	4,744	7,468
Netherlands	35,577	27,331	9,646	23,965	12,136

No. 3.—Trade with Principal Countries, 1894-98—*continued.*

Country.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—*continued.*					
EXPORTS TO—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	9,772	9,121	11,417	8,862	14,821
New Caledonia	72,732	71,344	110,335	143,707	162,254
Norway	.....	2,747	.....	50	.....
Peru	15,290	12,422	19,644	12,797	16,064
Philippine Islands	34,663	18,603	25,883	36,342	45,207
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides)	69,893	68,713	80,516	83,516	85,772
Sumstra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sweden	.....	4,627	804	....	350
Switzerland	.....	364	.....	808	.....
United States	374,541	683,606	2,064,964	2,462,319	5,951,287
Other Foreign Countries	17,398	28,327	19,321	27,781	16,149
Total ... ... £	3,981,471	4,611,679	5,739,312	6,245,129	10,512,655
TOTAL TRADE WITH :—					
Belgium	1,236,941	931,114	982,173	746,097	985,349
Chili	148,393	162,331	140,136	137,894	139,340
China	138,587	141,813	198,422	190,244	165,986
Egypt	5,355	10,307	11,318	21,995	16,576
France	1,138,089	1,512,785	1,618,881	1,754,797	1,914,159
Germany	1,262,674	1,567,358	1,462,232	1,780,904	1,930,440
Greece	3,894	3,138	10,321	9,223	23,980
Hawaiian Islands...	22,392	19,415	23,333	21,771	32,930
Italy	51,772	103,072	89,605	161,152	227,520
Japan	42,770	82,421	76,380	128,067	141,900
Java	53,461	14,166	26,818	34,941	43,153
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	2,960	1,676	119	1,551	880
Marshall Islands	7,269	5,807	6,590	4,744	12,455
Netherlands	35,577	27,561	11,135	31,579	27,994
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	14,640	9,428	11,421	8,862	25,000
New Caledonia	97,903	99,689	151,598	174,111	202,645
Norway	29,193	28,100	34,227	46,784	56,637
Peru	15,290	12,422	19,644	12,797	16,259
Philippine Islands	42,645	33,814	43,887	60,908	69,609
South Sea Islands (including New Hebrides)	108,778	123,149	155,986	196,964	185,095
Sumatra	.....	.....	.....	50	.....
Sweden	.....	5,062	1,967	21,490	34,149
Switzerland	.....	473	2,020	7,763	21,136
United States	916,968	1,307,874	3,794,835	4,350,196	7,554,241
Other Foreign Countries ...	21,848	48,323	52,635	68,673	62,885
Total Trade ... £	5,397,399	6,251,298	8,925,683	9,973,557	13,890,318

No. 4.—Trade Seaward and Overland, 1889–98.

Imports.

Year.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total Imports.	Imports for Home Consumption.	Year.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total Imports.	Imports for Home Consumption.
	£	£	£	£		£	£	£	£
1889	19,712,359	3,150,698	22,863,057	17,268,516	1894	14,013,287	1,788,654	15,801,941	11,129,229
1890	17,907,663	4,707,341	22,615,004	17,664,623	1895	14,209,047	1,783,368	15,992,415	10,493,840
1891	21,064,193	4,319,204	25,383,397	21,714,322	1896	17,435,839	3,125,671	20,561,510	14,293,852
1892	17,848,109	2,928,417	20,776,526	16,499,895	1897	17,813,058	3,931,292	21,744,350	15,050,821
1893	15,409,024	2,698,011	18,107,035	12,280,025	1898	18,775,359	5,678,201	24,453,560	14,532,510

Exports.

Year.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.			Other Produce or Manufacture.			Total.		
	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	Total.	Seaward.	Overland.	Exports.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	11,153,155	6,547,238	17,700,393	5,222,288	372,253	5,594,541	16,375,443	6,919,491	23,294,934
1890	9,392,955	7,839,770	17,232,725	4,626,606	186,606	4,813,212	14,019,561	8,026,376	22,045,937
1891	12,746,013	8,339,699	21,085,712	4,567,759	290,549	4,858,308	17,313,772	8,630,248	25,944,020
1892	11,792,124	5,914,978	17,707,102	4,145,912	119,233	4,265,145	15,938,036	6,034,211	21,972,247
1893	11,023,038	6,071,175	17,094,213	5,191,249	635,761	5,827,010	16,214,287	6,706,936	22,921,223
1894	10,837,079	5,067,882	15,904,961	4,518,505	154,207	4,672,712	15,355,584	5,222,089	20,577,673
1895	12,139,033	4,297,177	16,436,210	5,047,623	450,952	5,498,575	17,186,656	4,748,129	21,934,785
1896	12,210,070	4,532,621	16,742,691	6,030,541	237,117	6,267,658	18,240,611	4,769,738	23,010,349
1897	12,718,435	4,339,108	17,057,543	6,534,018	159,511	6,693,529	19,252,453	4,498,619	23,751,072
1898	13,734,643	3,992,424	17,727,067	9,791,690	129,360	9,921,050	23,526,333	4,121,784	27,648,117

Adjustment of Returns.—From 1889 to 1893 the figures now given do not agree with those originally published in the "Register" for the years in question. The differences have been caused by the adjustment of the returns relating to gold and live stock. As New South Wales is a gold-producing country, it has been adopted as a rule to treat as domestic produce any excess of export over import of gold, and when the import is the greater to class as foreign produce the whole export. In the case of live stock the returns published by the Chief Inspector of Stock, Queensland, of the border traffic between the two colonies, have been accepted in lieu of those of the New South Wales Customs Department.

No. 5.—Value of Imports, Exports, and Total Trade per head of Population, 1889–98.

Year.	Imports.		Exports.			Total Trade.
	For Home Consumption.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	16 3 10	21 8 9	16 11 11	5 4 11	21 16 10	43 5 7
1890	16 0 8	20 10 6	15 12 10	4 7 4	20 0 2	40 10 8
1891	18 19 9	22 3 11	18 8 9	4 5 0	22 13 9	44 17 8
1892	13 19 2	17 11 7	14 19 9	3 12 2	18 11 11	36 3 6
1893	10 2 11	14 19 2	14 2 5	4 16 4	18 18 9	33 17 11
1894	8 19 11	12 15 5	12 17 1	3 15 6	16 12 7	29 8 0
1895	8 6 0	12 12 11	13 0 0	4 6 11	17 6 11	29 19 10
1896	11 2 0	15 19 4	13 0 0	4 17 4	17 17 4	33 16 8
1897	11 9 8	16 11 10	13 0 4	5 2 2	18 2 6	34 14 4
1898	10 17 9	18 6 5	13 5 7	7 8 8	20 14 3	39 0 8

No. 6.—Trade in Principal Articles per head of Population, 1889-98.

Article.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Imports for Home Consumption.										
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Ale and Beer	7 6	6 3	6 1	5 7	4 5	3 11	3 4	3 9	4 1	3 6
Animals (Live)—										
Horses	2 3	2 8	2 10	2 9	1 10	1 9	1 3	1 3	1 8	1 6
Cattle	14 8	32 11	13 3	8 6	8 0	4 9	4 2	7 8	5 10	9 0
Sheep	7 7	5 10	5 7	3 10	5 0	3 2	2 3	4 8	4 6	2 11
Apparel—Wearing, and Gloves	20 1	19 1	24 4	20 5	12 9	12 10	13 9	15 1	15 5	14 4
Boots and Shoes	9 8	8 8	10 2	7 3	5 7	4 4	4 3	5 4	4 3	4 5
Drapery (including Furs and Millinery)	37 8	37 1	46 9	32 7	25 1	23 9	28 0	28 0	22 10	23 11
Grain, Pulse, &c.—										
Flour	11 6	6 11	10 5	8 3	3 8	3 4	2 3	7 7	8 4	1 9
Oats	2 5	2 8	2 6	2 5	2 6	1 1	1 2	1 6	1 3	1 5
Wheat	11 10	0 11	3 3	3 2	1 3	0 5	0 11	7 11	2 6	1 1
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	7 7	10 2	10 9	9 11	5 1	2 4	2 8	3 4	3 10	2 5
Iron and Steel—										
Manufactured Wrought	4 5	4 11	6 0	4 2	2 10	2 5	3 3	4 1	4 4	4 5
Wire (Black and Galvanised)	1 8	2 4	3 1	3 5	1 7	1 5	1 2	1 11	2 6	1 9
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	3 7	4 0	5 11	3 11	2 7	2 10	2 0	2 5	2 10	2 5
Machinery	7 1	7 9	8 1	4 2	2 4	2 0	2 5	6 1	6 0	6 8
Paper, Books, &c.	5 10	6 2	6 11	6 5	5 5	5 0	5 7	4 9	5 7	4 10
Spirits	8 3	7 4	8 6	6 2	5 7	4 8	4 7	4 8	4 10	5 4
Sugar	15 0	12 6	9 10	7 4	5 9	8 5	6 5	7 2	7 2	8 3
Tea	6 7	6 7	7 7	5 11	4 10	5 1	4 6	3 4	4 0	3 10
Timber (Rough and Dressed)	7 7	7 1	12 8	7 3	5 2	4 6	4 7	4 11	6 2	5 8
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	2 9	2 10	3 8	3 2	2 3	1 10	2 8	2 6	3 0	2 10
Exports—Domestic Produce or Manufacture.										
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Animals (Live)—										
Horses	9 1	3 6	2 10	3 4	1 8	1 6	1 6	1 11	2 6	2 6
Cattle	8 11	14 0	11 5	2 11	3 3	1 9	1 10	2 4	2 10	3 11
Sheep	9 1	21 5	11 5	8 4	4 9	4 9	4 6	3 9	5 10	7 2
Butter	0 4	0 8	0 5	1 3	2 1	2 5	0 11	1 7	4 0	5 8
Coal and Coke	25 0	18 0	23 0	17 5	13 7	13 2	12 4	14 0	14 11	14 10
Copper	3 11	3 2	3 7	3 2	1 0	1 2	2 3	3 1	4 7	4 2
Fruit (Fresh)	2 8	2 6	2 3	1 10	2 3	1 8	1 1	1 7	1 4	2 0
Gold Coin and Gold Bullion	6 1	2 6	22 8	0 6	0 5	5 3	16 10	26 5	26 4	26 3
Grain, Pulse, &c.—										
Flour	1 5	1 0	0 7	0 3	0 3	0 1	0 2	3 0	5 1	2 8
Maize	1 0	0 1	0 1	0 1	..	..	0 1	0 1	0 2	0 4
Wheat	0 5	0 6	0 10	..	..	..	..	1 1	4 3	3 5
Kerosene Shale	1 1	1 11	1 9	2 2	1 4	0 10	1 3	0 6	0 8	0 5
Leather	2 11	2 3	2 5	3 0	3 3	3 9	4 5	5 1	4 5	4 10
Meat	1 10	2 11	3 6	4 10	5 2	6 10	11 2	9 4	7 7	9 9
Silver, Silver Lead, and Ore	37 0	50 2	63 4	41 10	50 1	36 8	26 1	27 9	25 11	25 6
Skins and Hides	7 2	5 4	8 6	11 8	10 2	6 7	9 8	5 3	7 2	7 3
Tallow	3 8	4 10	5 4	7 4	12 3	14 5	12 3	5 6	6 1	4 8
Timber (Rough and Dressed)	1 11	1 6	0 10	0 10	0 7	0 5	0 8	0 8	0 11	1 2
Tin	7 9	6 0	4 9	5 4	3 9	3 0	2 2	1 7	1 1	0 11
Wool	199 2	163 2	193 0	172 0	159 10	145 8	141 8	136 4	122 5	124 9
Exports—Other Produce or Manufacture.										
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Animals (Live)	1 1	1 2	1 6	0 9	1 0	0 11	0 6	1 5	1 8	1 2
Apparel—Wearing, and Gloves	0 5	0 9	0 7	0 8	0 7	0 7	0 9	0 6	0 5	0 5
Boots and Shoes	1 4	1 4	1 0	0 5	0 4	0 3	0 5	0 7	0 5	0 4
Copper	1 9	1 1	0 10	0 6	0 7	0 3	0 3	0 1	0 1	..
Copra	0 10	1 2	0 11	0 7	1 1	0 9	1 0	1 0	0 8	1 0
Drapery	5 6	4 5	4 6	2 9	2 4	1 8	1 8	3 2	2 5	3 0
Flour	2 4	2 9	1 10	0 4	0 1	0 1	0 1	0 9	1 2	1 5
Gold Coin and Gold Bullion	54 0	39 1	42 11	37 10	49 1	32 0	32 11	34 0	46 3	77 8
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	1 4	1 1	0 10	0 10	0 8	0 7	0 6	0 9	0 10	1 10
Iron and Steel—										
Manufactured Wrought	0 10	0 8	0 5	0 5	0 4	0 7	0 9	1 0	1 0	1 3
Wire—Black and Galvanised	0 5	0 5	0 4	0 2	0 3	0 4	0 4	0 3	0 3	0 5
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	0 9	0 7	0 5	0 7	0 6	0 5	0 7	0 10	0 6	0 7
Machinery	1 7	1 6	1 5	1 0	1 4	1 1	1 4	1 6	1 11	2 7
Paper, Books, &c.	1 1	1 0	0 10	0 8	0 6	0 6	0 8	0 9	0 8	1 2
Spirits	1 0	1 2	0 9	0 9	0 6	0 6	0 7	0 9	0 10	0 10
Sugar	1 8	1 7	1 10	1 5	3 2	2 3	1 3	1 2	1 3	3 3
Tea	0 8	0 8	0 9	1 5	0 10	0 11	1 3	1 2	1 3	1 4
Tin	0 10	2 1	1 7	1 4	1 11	1 5	1 2	1 1	0 11	0 8
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	1 5	1 2	1 0	1 0	0 9	0 9	0 10	1 1	1 2	1 4

No. 7.—Domestic Exports of Pastoral and Dairy Produce, other than Wool, 1894–98.

Article.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Quantity.					
Animals (Live)—					
Horses ... ... No.	4,588	5,186	8,138	8,701	7,809
Cattle ... ... ,,	34,521	37,897	29,488	45,409	48,678
Sheep ... ... ,,	860,825	966,031	726,400	998,464	1,280,964
Pigs ... ... ,,	1,427	832	1,997	6,361	11,494
Butter ... ... lb.	4,590,606	2,028,349	2,565,806	6,526,673	8,949,588
Cheese ... ... ,,	229,203	158,096	141,777	549,730	320,759
Eggs ... ... doz.	1,115	1,516	101,329	198,308	264,720
Glue-pieces, &c. ... ... cwt.	12,144	6,901	12,833	13,947	18,443
Hair ... ... lb.	59,686	82,449	171,234	146,353	142,047
Leather ... . pkg.	11,500	12,678	15,165	12,709	14,283
Manure—Bone dust ... ... cwt.	151,461	197,769	134,862	170,934	232,160
Meat—					
Extract ... ... lb.	92,464	121,693	145,394	190,517	200,149
Frozen Beef ... ... qr.	339,404	88,719	16,286	28,529	39,593
		cwt.	or	or	or
,, ... cwt.		152,144	26,699	38,918	60,736
Frozen Mutton ... carcases		1,021,005	1,372,373	1,065,990	1,095,568
		or	or	or	or
,, ... cwt.		455,674	615,489	465,007	478,759
Preserved ... ... lb.	16,382,577	22,384,285	16,351,936	10,903,611	13,930,801
Salt Beef ... ... cwt.	6,397	7,855	6,431	7,403	8,078
Tallow, Grease, and Soap-stock ,,	860,156	806,456	414,452	491,516	336,083
Value.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Animals (Live)—					
Horses	94,834	94,075	123,448	162,409	168,288
Cattle	108,753	117,437	152,128	184,014	259,665
Sheep	293,289	284,477	242,283	381,387	478,856
Pigs	1,354	790	2,311	9,675	15,121
Butter	150,263	57,575	102,502	258,725	376,421
Cheese	3,513	2,798	2,620	10,394	7,188
Eggs	47	93	3,331	6,450	9,643
Glue-pieces, &c.	4,092	2,539	4,452	5,538	7,979
Hair	2,676	4,630	8,339	6,618	6,972
Hoofs, Bones, and Horns	17,558	20,114	20,627	21,973	14,620
Leather	230,917	279,281	324,989	292,220	323,358
Manure—Bone dust	25,411	32,656	21,708	28,804	45,037
Meat—					
Extract	14,609	12,184	25,360	28,337	29,413
Frozen Beef	193,760	104,605	16,518	28,868	45,541
Frozen Mutton		275,502	326,879	246,250	284,784
Preserved	206,054	302,828	218,292	147,165	227,288
Salt Beef	5,649	6,526	5,494	6,160	6,907
Other (Bacon and Ham, Fresh, Rabbits, &c.)	2,715	4,092	8,242	44,591	55,410
Skins and Hides	407,122	611,504	339,474	466,664	485,496
Tallow, Grease, and Soap-stock ...	901,761	783,316	361,808	404,059	313,400

No. 8.—Export of New South Wales Wool, 1889–98.

Year.	Domestic Exports.				Total New South Wales Wool exported (According to Customs Returns.)		
	Seaward.		Overland.			Value.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Total.	Proportion to Total Domestic Exports.
	lb.	£	lb.	£	lb.	£	Per cent.
1889	172,619,769	7,454,851	89,233,715	3,165,785	261,853,484	10,620,636	60·00
1890	163,400,611	6,102,714	72,922,217	2,888,682	236,322,828	8,991,396	52·18
1891	251,498,342	8,101,496	80,389,378	2,934,522	331,887,720	11,036,018	52·34
1892	238,210,340	7,828,697	74,014,953	2,382,759	312,225,293	10,211,456	57·67
1893	242,582,301	7,427,345	76,400,557	2,247,716	318,782,858	9,675,061	56·60
1894	254,529,504	6,897,910	77,244,920	2,113,880	331,774,424	9,011,790	56·66
1895	232,609,906	7,004,940	64,838,198	1,953,750	297,448,104	8,958,690	54·51
1896	201,455,473	6,734,084	70,577,789	2,042,445	272,033,262	8,776,529	52·42
1897	204,622,642	6,477,146	53,891,638	1,546,747	258,514,280	8,023,893	47·04
1898	205,310,711	7,084,949	43,756,201	1,244,338	249,066,912	8,329,287	46·99

NOTE :—The above table shows the export of greasy and washed wool during the calendar year. The wool year ends on the 30th June.

No. 9.—Export of Minerals raised in New South Wales, 1894–98.

Description.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
QUANTITY.					
Chrome Ore ... ...cwt.	60,686	84,589	77,035	67,591	42,218
Coal ... ...tons	2,125,125	2,166,230	2,474,907	2,696,623	2,791,796
Copper—					
Ingots and contained in Matte ...cwt.	36,819	55,853	89,060	135,123	113,079
Ore and Regulus ... ... ,,	5,918	21,160	297	3,325	3,569
Gold—					
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte ... ...oz.	89,676	116,637	82,707	104,319	104,413
Kerosene Shale... ... ...tons	18,859	34,549	14,220	21,930	13,845
Silver—					
Ingots and contained in Matte ...oz.	846,822	705,887	202,789	150,005	533,059
Lead ... ... cwt.	850,262	593,747	391,464	362,107	202,173
Ore ... ... ,,	2,756,268	3,803,859	5,347,261	5,418,263	7,769,204
Tin—					
Ingots ... ... ,,	52,225	43,991	34,204	22,813	17,877
Ore ... ... ,,	3,807	1,544	1,939	282	24
VALUE.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Chrome Ore	12,336	13,048	11,280	10,269	6,301
Coal	804,769	773,954	900,264	952,054	962,668
Copper—					
Ingots and contained in Matte... ...	72,071	119,290	200,236	299,829	280,048
Ore and Regulus	1,410	21,576	75	851	839
Gold—					
Bars and Dust and contained in Matte	325,302	419,082	283,093	403,258	395,165
Quartz and Concentrates	45,463	189,057	97,685	56,195	45,482
Kerosene Shale	49,187	77,934	32,846	44,511	27,197
Silver—					
Ingots and contained in Matte ...	94,150	87,290	26,518	16,711	59,278
Lead	1,543,213	959,736	794,610	645,477	321,136
Ore	652,126	601,077	964,323	1,036,051	1,323,641
Tin—					
Ingots	179,445	136,080	99,212	70,128	60,565
Ore	7,752	2,543	2,905	560	35

No. 10.—Trade with each Country during 1898.

The Collector of Customs has authority under various Acts to administer affairs relating to Customs; the body of the law, however, is contained in the "Customs Regulation Act of 1879" (42 Vic. No. 19) and the "Customs Duties Act of 1895" (59 Vic. No. 18). Under the provisions of the first-mentioned Act a Board of Commissioners of Customs is established, which consists of three persons. The functions of the Board are to hear and determine disputes between officers of the Customs and the general public in matters relating to the Department. The decisions, are, however, subject to disallowance by the Governor and the rulings of the Supreme Court and Privy Council. In the exercise of their duties the Commissioners have power to frame rules, orders, and forms for the general conduct of business in relation to matters submitted to them, but have no administrative powers whatever in the working of the Customs Department.

Transhipments.—Entries under this head contain only the description of the packages, as particulars relating to quantity and value are not obtained. Transhipment transactions are chiefly confined to the port of Sydney. Goods transhipped at the ports of New South Wales are not included in the Import or Export returns. It is the practice, however, in some Colonies to enter such articles as imports from or exports to New South Wales. To this practice is due the discrepancy between the returns of New South Wales, as given in the Statistical Register, and those published by the other Colonies, in respect to many articles, such as fruit and minerals, in which a considerable transhipment trade is done between New South Wales and the other Australasian Colonies.

Domestic Exports.—Exported articles which were partly or entirely manufactured from imported materials have been shown as domestic produce.

Country.	Imports.	Exports.			Excess of—	
		Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
AUSTRALASIA—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Victoria	5,301,214	2,686,150	608,468	3,294,618	2,006,596	.....
Queensland	4,663,597	653,974	1,037,137	1,691,111	2,972,486	.....
South Australia	1,112,421	2,020,655	196,339	2,216,994	.....	1,104,573
Western Australia ...	54,709	415,431	219,859	635,290	.....	580,581
Tasmania	589,092	114,454	209,962	324,416	264,676	.....
New Zealand	746,026	204,032	308,738	512,770	233,256	.....
Total, Australasia £	12,467,059	6,094,696	2,580,503	8,675,199	3,791,860	.....
United Kingdom ... £	7,744,418	6,302,521	1,432,359	7,734,880	9,538	.....
OTHER BRITISH POSSESSIONS—						
Aden	722	5	.....	5	717	.....
British North Borneo ...	.....	25	.....	25	.....	25
Burmah	558	.....	30	30	528	.....
Canadian Dominion ...	131,962	28,577	58,387	86,964	44,998	.....
Cape Colony	1,292	77,004	3,193	80,197	.....	78,905
Ceylon	144,123	17,256	877	18,133	125,990	.....
Fiji	106,436	37,371	100,705	138,076	.....	31,640
Gibraltar	.....	2,000	.....	2,000	.....	2,000
Hong Kong	81,574	25,691	176,496	202,187	.....	120,613
India	309,720	66,594	611	67,205	242,515	.....
Malta	1,301	1,792	.....	1,792	.....	491
Mauritius	48,632	18,952	2,115	21,067	27,565	.....
Natal	55	46,687	1,624	48,311	.....	48,256
Newfoundland	353	.....	.....	.....	353	.....
New Guinea	14,397	5,902	18,493	24,395	.....	9,998
Norfolk Island	412	440	1,740	2,180	.....	1,768
Straits Settlements ...	22,263	32,394	422	32,816	.....	10,553
Trinidad	620	.....	.....	.....	620	.....
Total, Other British Possessions	864,420	360,690	364,693	725,383	139,037	.....
Total, British Countries £	21,075,897	12,757,907	4,377,555	17,135,462	3,940,435	.....

No. 10.—Trade with each Country during 1898—*continued.*

Country.	Imports.	Exports.			Excess of—	
		Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Imports.	Exports.
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Arabia	2,073	.....	.....	.....	2,073	.....
Argentine Republic	218	20	.....	20	198	.....
Austria	12,232	1891	9	1,900	10,332	.....
Belgium	98,077	714,557	172,715	887,272	.....	789,195
Brazil	86	.....	.....	.....	86	.....
Celebes	.....	694	.....	694	.....	694
Chili	.....	134,941	4,399	139,340	.....	139,340
China	151,241	14,607	138	14,745	136,496	.....
Cochin China	.....	508	25	533	.....	533
Cuba	1,593	.....	.....	.....	1,593	.....
Denmark	146	23	.....	23	123	.....
Ecuador	.....	338	3	341	.....	341
Egypt	10,687	5,852	37	5,889	4,798	.....
France	214,530	1,338,788	360,841	1,699,629	.....	1,485,099
Germany	771,626	949,382	209,432	1,158,814	.....	387,188
Greece	23,980	.....	.....	.....	23,980	.....
Hawaiian Islands	1,077	28,903	2,950	31,853	.....	30,776
Italy	58,473	138,162	30,885	169,047	.....	110,574
Japan	77,679	47,047	17,174	64,221	13,458	.....
Java	13,696	29,116	341	29,457	.....	15,761
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	458	422	880	.....	880
Macao	3,190	.....	.....	.....	3,190	.....
Marshall Islands	4,987	2,079	5,389	7,468	.....	2,481
Mexico	1,287	4,160	37	4,197	.....	2,910
Netherlands	15,858	10,644	1,492	12,136	3,722	.....
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	10,179	4,683	10,138	14,821	.....	4,642
New Caledonia	40,391	83,372	78,882	162,254	.....	121,863
Norway	56,637	.....	.....	.....	56,637	.....
Panama	.....	7,266	189	7,455	.....	7,455
Peru	195	15,900	164	16,064	.....	15,869
Philippine Islands	24,402	37,702	7,505	45,207	.....	20,805
Portugal	765	.....	.....	.....	765	.....
Réunion	23	.....	.....	.....	23	.....
Russia	115	.....	.....	.....	115	.....
Siberia	.....	123	.....	123	.....	123
South Sea Islands	78,977	18,017	67,755	85,772	13,551	.....
New Hebrides	20,346					
Spain	10,775	.....	.....	.....	10,775	.....
Sweden	33,799	.....	350	350	33,449	.....
Switzerland	21,136	.....	.....	.....	21,136	.....
Tahiti	.....	649	214	863	.....	863
Turkey	14,233	.....	.....	.....	14,233	.....
United States	1,602,954	1,379,278	4,572,009	5,951,287	.....	4,348,333
Total, Foreign Countries £	3,377,663	4,969,160	5,543,495	10,512,655	.....	7,134,992
Total Trade with all Countries £	24,453,560	17,727,067	9,921,050	27,648,117	.....	3,194,557

SPECIE AND GOLD BULLION. (Included in the above table.)

	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australasia	5,580,483	248,045	72,585	320,630	5,259,853	.....
United Kingdom	47,000	357,251	476,233	833,484	.....	786,484
Other British Possessions	6,571	19,869	165,377	185,246	.....	178,675
Foreign Countries	5,211	1,125,582	4,499,655	5,625,237	.....	5,620,026
Total £	5,639,265	1,750,747	5,213,850	6,964,597	.....	1,325,332

No. 11.—Trade Seaward and Overland, at each Port and Station, 1898.

Port or Station.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.
		Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	
Trade with Victoria.					
Seaward—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	1,452,932	494,428	559,663	1,054,091	2,507,023
Clarence River	9	.....	.....	.....	9
Eden	565	1	65	66	631
Newcastle	77,339	287,706	624	288,330	365,669
Wollongong	.....	31,348	.....	31,348	31,348
Total, Seaward £	1,530,845	813,483	560,352	1,373,835	2,904,680
Overland—					
Albury	3,367,669	525,859	25,765	551,624	3,919,293
Cobram	25,353	43,024	60	43,084	68,437
Corowa	64,993	171,124	6,301	177,425	242,418
Euston	4,324	20,197	69	20,266	24,590
Howlong	6,400	18,269	144	18,413	24,813
Moama	188,738	467,443	8,684	476,127	664,865
Mulwala	38,870	111,567	48	111,615	150,485
Swan Hill	25,827	329,447	371	329,818	355,645
Tocumwal	36,867	138,887	6,432	145,319	182,186
Wentworth	5,534	46,850	242	47,092	52,626
Wilcannia	5,794	.....	.....	.....	5,794
Total, Overland £	3,770,369	1,872,667	48,116	1,920,783	5,691,152
Total £	5,301,214	2,686,150	608,468	3,294,618	8,595,832
Trade with Queensland.					
Seaward—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	3,631,173	309,334	1,015,408	1,324,742	4,955,915
Clarence River	.....	432	.....	432	432
Newcastle	27,644	12,784	2,921	15,705	43,349
Tweed River Heads	73	9	3	12	85
Wollongong	.....	642	.....	642	642
Total, Seaward £	3,658,890	323,201	1,018,332	1,341,533	5,000,423
Overland—					
Barringun	104,241	1,775	4,198	5,973	110,214
Boggabilla	124,432	31,138	55	31,193	155,625
Bourke	.....	88	2,846	2,934	2,934
Brewarrina	.....	.....	149	149	149
Mungindi	35,422	.....	.....	.....	35,422
Tweed River Heads—Live Stock	4,106	.....	.....	.....	4,106
Wallangarra	213,262	278,857	9,860	288,717	501,979
Wilcannia	.....	.....	14	14	14
Willyama (Broken Hill)	110,905	.....	1,683	1,683	112,588
Other Crossing Places—Live Stock	412,339	18,915	.....	18,915	431,254
Total, Overland £	1,004,707	330,773	18,805	349,578	1,354,285
Total £	4,663,597	653,974	1,037,137	1,691,111	6,354,708
Trade with South Australia.					
Seaward—	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	199,065	65,868	132,266	198,134	397,199
Newcastle	10,231	140,124	1,634	141,758	151,989
Wollongong	.....	25,679	.....	25,679	25,679
Total, Seaward £	209,296	231,671	133,900	365,571	574,867
Overland—					
Bourke	3,711	.....	.....	.....	3,711
Euston	150	.....	.....	.....	150
Wentworth	41,485	122,492	611	123,103	164,588
Wilcannia	24,473	.....	30	30	24,503
Willyama (Broken Hill)	833,306	1,666,492	61,798	1,728,290	2,561,596
Total, Overland £	903,125	1,788,984	62,439	1,851,423	2,754,548
Total £	1,112,421	2,020,655	196,339	2,216,994	3,329,415

No. 11.—Trade Seaward and Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Port or Station.	Imports.	Exports.			Total Trade.
		Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	
Trade with Western Australia.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	54,043	249,793	219,336	469,129	523,172
Newcastle	666	154,837	523	155,360	156,026
Wollongong	.....	10,801	.....	10,801	10,801
Total .. .. £	54,709	415,431	219,859	635,290	689,999
Trade with Tasmania.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	586,271	81,487	209,785	291,272	877,543
Eden	646	5,502	.....	5,502	6,148
Newcastle	2,175	19,278	177	19,455	21,630
Wollongong	.....	8,187	.....	8,187	8,187
Total .. .. £	589,092	114,454	209,962	324,416	913,508
Trade with New Zealand.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	716,808	126,846	307,632	434,478	1,151,286
Clarence River	.....	11,908	.....	11,908	11,908
Newcastle	29,218	59,612	1,106	60,718	89,936
Port Stephens	.....	4,250	.....	4,250	4,250
Wollongong	.....	1,416	.....	1,416	1,416
Total .. .. £	746,026	204,032	308,738	512,770	1,258,796
Trade with Other Countries.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney	11,724,247	10,524,385	7,334,433	17,858,818	29,583,065
Newcastle	262,254	1,095,194	6,114	1,101,308	1,363,562
Wollongong	.....	12,792	.....	12,792	12,792
Total .. .. £	11,986,501	11,632,371	7,340,547	18,972,918	30,959,419
Summary.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Seaward—					
Merchandise	16,409,909	12,239,600	4,581,958	16,821,558	33,231,467
Specie and Gold Bullion	2,365,450	1,495,043	5,209,732	6,704,775	9,070,225
Total Seaward .. .. £	18,775,359	13,734,643	9,791,690	23,526,333	42,301,692
Overland—					
Merchandise	2,404,386	3,736,720	125,242	3,861,962	6,266,348
Specie and Gold Bullion	3,273,815	255,704	4,118	259,822	3,533,637
Total Overland .. .. £	5,678,201	3,992,424	129,360	4,121,784	9,799,985
Total Trade .. £	24,453,560	17,727,067	9,921,050	27,648,117	52,101,677

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Bark—Non-medicinal	169	230
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Baskets	169	230
Basketware	169	230
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Collection of Trade Returns.—The quantities and values of the imports and exports are in nearly every instance those furnished by importers and exporters or their authorised agents. In the case of the imports, the particulars are obtained under declaration; but this procedure is not generally adopted for the export returns, although the Collector of Customs has power to demand particulars of goods, under declaration if necessary. No official valuations are made, but the entries are, nevertheless, checked and amended if necessary by competent officials of the Customs Department.

Valuation of Imports.—*Articles Free or subject to Specific Duties.*—The values given are understood to represent the values at the port of shipment, with the cost of freight, insurance, packing, and porterage added, and are in every instance *exclusive of Duty.*

Post Office Parcels, &c.—The quantities and values of goods transmitted through the Post Office have been included in these returns.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation.		Rate of Duty.
	Quantity.	Value.	
Acids.			
Acetic.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	795	193	
South Australia..	633	175	
United Kingdom...	4,929	785	
Germany	14,490	2,282	
	20,847	3,435	Free.
Acetic—Dry.	cwt.		
United Kingdom...	138	314	
Germany	409	740	
	547	1,054	Free.
Sulphuric.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,344	871	
Queensland ...	50	34	
South Australia..	143	170	
United Kingdom...	395	520	
	1,932	1,595	Free.
Tartaric.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	15,548	797	
South Australia..	7,236	465	
Tasmania ...	560	28	
United Kingdom...	64,022	3,492	
France	104,720	5,518	
United States ...	62,658	3,130	
	254,744	13,430	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	286	649	
Queensland ...	1	3	
South Australia..	92	305	
Tasmania ...	1	13	
United Kingdom...	1,603	3,567	
France	102	560	
Germany	174	696	
United States ...	28	139	
	2,287	5,932	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation.		Rate of Duty.
	Quantity.	Value.	
Aerated and Mineral Waters.			
Australasia—	doz. bott.	£	
Victoria ...	10,227	952	
Queensland ...	8,026	1,836	
South Australia..	1,036	264	
West'n Australia	12	1	
New Zealand ...	1,470	248	
United Kingdom...	2,674	700	
China	36	8	
France	905	431	
Germany	4,059	923	
Italy	21	8	
Japan	2,611	360	
New Caledonia ...	5	4	
Spain	874	435	
United States ...	164	47	
	32,120	6,217	Free.
Agricultural Implements.			
Ploughs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3,993	31,968	
Queensland ...	81	526	
South Australia..	302	1,788	
West'n Australia	1	38	
New Zealand ...	108	643	
United Kingdom...	270	2,947	
Canadian Dominion	244	2,060	
United States ...	965	4,558	
	5,964	44,528	Free.
Plough Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3,474	5,801	
Queensland ...	8	54	
South Australia..	1,884	2,162	
New Zealand ...	40	135	
United Kingdom...	1,519	10,628	
Canadian Dominion	5	13	
Fiji	2	6	
United States ...	164	1,114	
	7,096	19,913	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Agricultural Implements—*continued.*			
Reapers and Binders.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	428	9,004	
Queensland ...	44	210	
South Australia..	26	404	
New Zealand ...	488	2,077	
United Kingdom...	257	2,136	
United States ...	3,272	13,343	
	4,515	27,174	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,435	18,476	
Queensland ...	11	30	
South Australia..	98	622	
New Zealand ...	86	286	
United Kingdom...	529	3,565	
Canadian Dominion	404	926	
Germany	42	142	
Italy	1	4	
United States ...	2,028	9,197	
	4,634	33,248	Free.
Ale and Beer.			
In Wood.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	72,873	6,487	
Queensland ...	3,049	325	
South Australia..	18,571	1,486	
Tasmania ...	275	29	
New Zealand ...	206	16	
United Kingdom...	716,199	66,958	
Germany	45	5	
United States ...	340	32	
	811,558	75,338	6d. ℔ gal.
In Bottle.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	45,892	9,132	
Queensland ...	1,071	212	
South Australia..	45,512	9,856	
Tasmania ...	34	7	
New Zealand ...	169	52	
United Kingdom...	687,645	138,118	
Belgium	19,692	3,601	
France	8,050	1,289	
Germany	49,705	8,658	
United States ...	18,573	3,613	
	876,343	174,538	9d. ℔ gal.
Alkalies.			
Bicarbonate of Soda.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	33,737	216	
Queensland ...	448	4	
South Australia..	40,853	291	
United Kingdom...	1,628,292	5,398	
United States ...	396,790	1,390	
	2,100,120	7,299	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Alkalies—*continued.*			
Caustic Soda.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	166	128	
South Australia..	1,307	859	
United Kingdom...	22,498	11,442	
Germany	183	110	
United States ...	268	106	
	24,422	12,645	Free.
Silicate of Soda.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	104	38	
South Australia..	226	126	
United Kingdom...	2,703	615	
	3,033	779	Free.
Soda Ash.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	1,007	383	
United Kingdom...	25,812	6,847	
United States ...	2,093	551	
	28,912	7,781	Free.
Soda Crystals.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	706	262	
Queensland ...	391	57	
South Australia..	3,039	1,478	
United Kingdom...	5,084	891	
	9,220	2,688	Free.
Alum.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	30	12	
South Australia..	107	93	
United Kingdom...	1,331	390	
United States ...	61	69	
	1,529	564	Free.
Ammunition.			
(See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)			
Anchors.	No.		
Australasia—			
West'n Australia	2	660	
United Kingdom...	876	744	
	878	1,404	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Animals (Live).			
Horses.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	1,626	67,005	
Queensland ...	*3,288	*24,920	
South Australia	143	2,160	
Tasmania ...	5	109	
New Zealand ...	64	7,255	
United Kingdom...	5	1,010	
Straits Settlements	1	300	
Arabia	2	200	
United States ...	4	550	
	5,138	103,509	Free.
Cattle.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	6,701	24,177	
Queensland ...	*188,883	*602,264	
South Australia..	382	3,798	
New Zealand ...	65	564	
United Kingdom...	70	6,802	
	196,101	637,605	Free.
Sheep.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	47,210	23,854	
Queensland ...	*641,177	*161,590	
South Australia..	8,380	5,832	
Tasmania ...	3,302	21,002	
New Zealand ...	395	1,213	
United Kingdom...	14	440	
Canadian Dominion	47	5,000	
Germany	10	600	
United States ...	183	7,798	
	700,718	227,329	Free.
Pigs.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1,431	1,455	
Queensland ...	1,812	2,830	
South Australia..	319	509	
New Zealand ...	10	41	
United Kingdom...	22	266	
United States ...	4	10	
	3,598	5,111	Free.
Dogs.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	61	155	
Queensland ...	53	123	
South Australia..	1	1	
Tasmania ...	11	24	
New Zealand ...	2	4	
United Kingdom...	5	290	
	133	597	Free.
Goats.			
Australasia—	No.		
Queensland ...	2	5	
Tasmania ...	14	30	
	16	35	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Animals (Live)—*continued.*			
Mules.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Queensland ...	37	284	
New Zealand ...	1	15	
	38	299	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	34	53	
Queensland ...	44	3,347	
South Australia..	2	2	
Tasmania ...	1	2	
Fiji	2	2	
	83	3,406	Free.
Antimony.			
Metal.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	23	48	
United Kingdom...	3	5	
	26	53	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	180	80	Free.
Apparel (Wearing).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5,652	65,864	
Queensland ...	541	3,911	
South Australia..	2,214	32,493	
West'n Australia	86	2,278	
Tasmania ...	41	485	
New Zealand ...	154	1,857	
United Kingdom...	23,634	732,125	
Canadian Dominion	97	1,101	
Cape Colony ...	1	5	
Ceylon	25	201	
Fiji	6	66	
Hong Kong ...	66	716	
India	19	327	
Austria	3	66	
China	153	1,885	
France	290	11,943	
Germany	1,132	34,285	
Italy	10	384	
Japan	32	1,286	
Netherlands ...	1	7	
New Caledonia ...	6	24	
New Hebrides ...	5	13	
South Sea Islands	7	30	
Switzerland ...	4	225	
United States ...	619	8,641	
	34,798	900,218	Free.

* The Statistics have been adjusted in accordance with the Overland Stock Return of Queensland.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.*			
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	121	1,306	
Queensland ...	20	373	
South Australia..	28	172	
New Zealand ...	7	238	
United Kingdom...	382	24,927	
Ceylon	1	24	
Fiji	7	29	
India	1	10	
New Guinea ...	2	11	
Belgium	85	1,452	
Germany	90	2,125	
Italy	1	7	
New Caledonia ...	1	6	
South Sea Islands..	2	2	
United States ...	259	4,499	
	1,007	35,181	Free.
Gun-caps.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	1	14	
South Australia..	3	4	
United Kingdom...	36	563	
Germany	3	50	
United States ...	6	95	
	49	726	Free.
Shot.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	137	162	
South Australia..	107	148	
United Kingdom...	3,847	3,695	
Belgium	910	810	
France	150	140	
Germany	200	185	
South Sea Islands..	5	6	
	5,356	5,146	Free.
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,037	5,348	
Queensland ...	4	16	
South Australia..	103	376	
United Kingdom...	4,201	24,118	
New Guinea ...	1	2	
Belgium	7	64	
France	31	185	
Germany	21	146	
United States ...	1,676	5,894	
	7,081	36,149	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.*—*continued.*			
Powder (Sporting.)			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	2,182	269	
South Australia..	815	153	
United Kingdom...	114,367	8,473	
United States ...	2,782	182	
	120,146	9,077	Free.
Powder (Blasting.)			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	25,275	540	
South Australia..	123,950	2,900	
United Kingdom...	802,550	16,589	
	951,775	20,029	Free.
Fuse.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	143	1,076	
South Australia..	216	1,992	
United Kingdom...	1,046	7,787	
	1,405	10,855	Free.
Dynamite and Lithofracteur.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	34,800	2,525	
Queensland ...	150	10	
South Australia..	312,940	25,252	
Tasmania ...	1,500	75	
United Kingdom...	512,950	38,259	
Germany	142,956	8,083	
United States ...	4,000	168	
	1,009,296	74,372	Free.
Other Explosives.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	125	1,199	
Queensland ...	2	11	
South Australia..	87	833	
United Kingdom...	115	600	
New Guinea ...	7	105	
Belgium	3	22	
Germany	85	1,505	
	424	4,275	Free.
Arrowroot.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	5,881	115	
Queensland ...	230,524	3,069	
South Australia..	793	17	
United Kingdom...	112	1	
Hong Kong ...	200	1	
Norfolk Island ...	320	4	
China	1,234	23	
New Hebrides ...	4,476	46	
South Sea Islands..	4,032	36	
	247,572	3,312	Free.

* *Explosives.*—The importation of explosives is regulated by Act of Parliament, the administration of which is entrusted to the Mercantile Explosives Department. The imports for 1898 include dynamite, 405,740 lb.; gelatine dynamite, 109,150 lb.; gelignite, 385,550 lb.; blasting gelatine, 101,200 lb.; blasting cartridges, 502,550 lb.; S.A. cartridges, 4,480 boxes; detonators, 272 boxes; lithotrite, 432 lb.; electronite, 275 lb.; rendite, 5,000 lb.; roburite, 1,500 lb.; carbonite, 250 lb.; sundries, 40 boxes. For additional information, see Return No. 30.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Asbestos.	pkg.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	2	3	
United Kingdom...	218	329	
Fiji	1	4	
Italy	25	16	
	246	352	Free.
Asphalt & Bitumen.	cwt.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	405	217	
United Kingdom...	5,632	1,078	
Trinidad (West Indies)	2,000	620	
Germany	478	115	
United States ...	1,060	354	
	9,575	2,384	Free.
Bags and Sacks (other than paper).			
Bran.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	24,235	3,872	
India	199,636	30,702	
	223,871	34,574	Free.
Calico (Plain).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	133	1,115	
South Australia..	5	15	
United Kingdom...	16	432	
	154	1,562	Free.
Corn Sacks.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	82,394	18,476	
Queensland ...	550	75	
South Australia..	1,625	345	
India	352,507	72,774	
	437,076	91,670	Free.
Gunny and Ore.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	869	139	
South Australia..	66,377	5,620	
United Kingdom...	83	6	
India	49,200	6,125	
	116,529	11,890	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	695	1,520	
Queensland ...	77	28	
South Australia..	617	379	
New Zealand ...	25	91	
United Kingdom...	579	13,102	
Fiji	100	120	
India	341	2,391	
Germany	24	517	
United States ...	11	26	
	2,469	18,174	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Bark (Non-medicinal).			
Wattle.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	5,232	1,333	
Queensland ...	500	125	
South Australia..	12,080	3,001	
Tasmania ...	44,642	11,060	
New Zealand ...	188	35	
	62,642	15,554	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1	2	
Fiji	22	20	
New Guinea ...	8	10	
	31	32	Free.
Baskets and Basket-ware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	133	145	
Queensland ...	52	51	
South Australia..	79	257	
United Kingdom...	227	2,260	
Hong Kong ...	23	34	
India	3	3	
Belgium	1	12	
China	196	248	
Germany	222	1,991	
Italy	22	77	
Japan	86	374	
United States ...	20	71	
	1,064	5,523	Free.
Bêche-de-mer.	cwt.		
Fiji	137	335	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	1,170	2,720	
New Hebrides ...	374	855	
South Sea Islands...	166	555	
	1,847	4,465	Free.
Bedsteads.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	404	753	
Queensland ...	1	2	
South Australia..	399	855	
New Zealand ...	2	5	
United Kingdom...	2,838	27,406	
Germany	2	31	
Italy	5	30	
United States ...	42	196	
	3,693	29,278	Free.
Beer.			
(See Ale and Beer.)			

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Bees.	pkg.	£	
Italy	1	5	Free.
Bee-keepers' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	9	7	
Queensland ...	2	1	
United Kingdom...	2	15	
United States ...	2,108	2,119	
	2,121	2,142	Free.
Belting (Leather and other).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	59	552	
Queensland ...	11	218	
South Australia..	36	426	
West'n Australia	1	20	
Tasmania ...	1	12	
New Zealand ...	1	10	
United Kingdom...	80	3,540	
United States ...	9	450	
	198	5,228	Free.
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,571	35,253	
Queensland ...	120	1,958	
South Australia..	902	10,731	
West'n Australia	17	434	
Tasmania ...	20	308	
New Zealand ...	101	2,546	
United Kingdom...	722	26,127	
Canadian Dominion	732	24,780	
Fiji	3	20	
Hong Kong ...	1	20	
Belgium	8	136	
France	31	1,765	
Germany	130	3,579	
Italy	2	31	
United States ...	1,219	18,450	
	5,579	126,138	Free.
Billiard Tables and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	79	1,670	
Queensland ...	23	64	
South Australia..	9	51	
United Kingdom...	72	1,374	
Fiji	1	6	
France	10	95	
Germany	4	92	
South Sea Islands..	1	5	
	199	3,357	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Birds.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	74	168	
Queensland ...	105	282	
South Australia..	14	28	
New Zealand ...	16	299	
United Kingdom...	6	34	
South Sea Islands..	1	1	
United States ...	2	13	
	218	825	Free.
Biscuits.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	39,780	1,001	
Queensland ...	191	6	
South Australia..	11,106	374	
New Zealand ...	50	1	
United Kingdom...	13,512	757	
Canadian Dominion	767	20	
Germany	60	3	
	65,466	2,162	1d. per lb. to 30 June, 1898, ½d. per lb. from 1 July, 1898.
Bismuth Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	43	54	Free.
Bitumen.			
(See Asphalt and Bitumen.)			
Blacking and Boot Polish.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	745	2,179	
Queensland ...	11	26	
South Australia..	232	407	
United Kingdom...	1,835	5,753	
France	14	35	
Germany	8	17	
Italy	14	30	
United States ...	2,725	4,769	
	5,584	13,216	Free.
Blankets.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	211	2,281	
Queensland ...	3	5	
South Australia..	98	1,364	
Tasmania ...	12	183	
New Zealand ...	20	440	
United Kingdom...	2,582	44,683	
China	1	5	
France	3	59	
Germany	28	426	
United States ...	11	118	
	2,969	49,564	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Blue.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	15,426	388	
Queensland ...	744	14	
South Australia..	14,230	447	
Tasmania ...	56	1	
New Zealand ...	5,000	150	
United Kingdom...	598,471	14,021	
	633,927	15,021	Free.
Boats.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	14	1,068	
Queensland ...	3	252	
South Australia..	2	160	
West'n Australia	2	25	
Tasmania ...	3	125	
New Zealand ...	3	1,069	
United Kingdom...	2	229	
New Hebrides ...	1	15	
South Sea Islands..	1	20	
	31	2,963	Free.
Bones.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	98	21	
Queensland ...	36,671	6,331	
South Australia..	16	4	
West'n Australia	175	41	
Tasmania ...	123	29	
New Zealand ...	122	28	
New Caledonia ...	965	174	
	38,170	6,628	Free.
Books. (See Paper, Books, &c.)			
Boots and Shoes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,814	32,237	
Queensland ...	402	5,233	
South Australia..	1,039	12,890	
West'n Australia	82	1,033	
Tasmania ...	22	136	
New Zealand ...	105	1,298	
United Kingdom ..	11,587	169,931	
Canadian Dominion	45	401	
Fiji	9	140	
Hong Kong ...	50	295	
Austria	186	2,582	
China	93	413	
France	37	1,813	
Germany	935	16,924	
Italy	14	163	
New Caledonia ...	4	7	
United States ...	5,432	71,154	
	22,856	316,650	Free.
Boot Uppers.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1	9	
South Australia..	7	22	
United Kingdom...	87	5,837	
	95	5,868	Free.
Bottles (Empty.)			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,373	3,747	
Queensland ...	716	478	
South Australia..	428	1,173	
Tasmania ...	22	15	
New Zealand ...	56	95	
United Kingdom .	12,773	19,259	
Belgium	13	57	
France	5	37	
Germany	4,589	7,539	
United States ...	1,145	1,709	
	22,120	34,109	Free.
Brassware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ..	87	419	
Queensland ...	12	57	
South Australia..	172	1,456	
Tasmania ...	6	31	
New Zealand ...	5	63	
United Kingdom...	871	22,394	
Canadian Dominion	4	135	
Ceylon	3	49	
India	3	28	
Straits Settlements	2	30	
Belgium	4	54	
China	5	6	
France	62	1,444	
Germany	38	705	
Italy	1	5	
United States ...	194	1,042	
	1,469	27,918	Free.
Bread and Dough.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	161,182	1,046	Free.
Bricks.			
Building.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	104,275	227	
South Australia..	9,500	52	
United Kingdom...	1,000	49	
	114,775	328	Free.
Fire.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	3,607	44	
Queensland ...	1,623	16	
South Australia..	62,645	495	
United Kingdom...	354,038	2,589	
Germany	10,500	37	
	432,413	3,181	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Bridge Material.	pkg.	£	
United Kingdom ...	1,375	427	Free.
Bronze Coin. (See Coin.)			
Brushware and Brooms.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	936	1,506	
Queensland ...	19	209	
South Australia..	559	1,446	
New Zealand ...	1	1	
United Kingdom...	972	17,906	
Canadian Dominion	1	13	
Ceylon	10	60	
Hong Kong ...	27	141	
India	12	66	
Belgium	20	170	
China	41	105	
France	39	1,892	
Germany	319	4,857	
Italy	72	545	
Japan	40	898	
United States ...	160	975	
	3,228	30,790	Free.
Brushmakers' Materials.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	107	493	
New Zealand ...	173	95	
United Kingdom...	617	1,372	
China	38	509	
Germany	457	1,867	
Italy	1	5	
Japan	48	315	
United States ...	5,099	6,514	
	6,540	11,170	Free.
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated).	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	114	170	
Queensland ...	3	7	
United Kingdom...	175	1,732	
France	114	73	
Germany	102	414	
United States ...	2,392	5,334	
	2,900	7,730	Free.
Bungs. (See Corks and Bungs.)			

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Butter.	lb.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	163,571	7,604	
Queensland ...	87,602	3,658	
South Australia..	605,518	29,031	
Tasmania ...	4,301	142	
New Zealand ...	397,750	19,429	
United Kingdom...	39,200	1,912	
Fiji	76	3	
India	916	28	
Egypt	254	11	
France	80	2	
New Caledonia ...	112	6	
Turkey	1,056	36	
United States ...	67,324	3,366	
	1,367,760	65,228	Free.
Candles.	lb.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	111,581	2,554	
Queensland ...	43,166	846	
South Australia..	586,833	10,976	
West'n Australia	62,500	1,024	
Tasmania ...	3,875	80	
United Kingdom...	152,322	2,473	
Hong Kong ...	1,717	51	
Belgium	872,449	14,362	
France	135	3	
Germany	572,207	9,405	
Italy	35,300	682	
Netherlands ...	657,023	11,264	
United States ...	3,120	117	
	3,102,228	53,837	½d. ℔ lb.
Candle-nuts.	cwt.		
Fiji	390	126	
South Sea Islands..	3	5	
	393	131	Free.
Canes, Willows, and Rattans.	pkg.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	326	181	
Queensland ...	46	36	
South Australia	61	11	
Tasmania ...	1,634	619	
New Zealand ...	21	20	
United Kingdom ..	5	8	
Hong Kong ...	88	132	
India	2,911	242	
New Guinea ...	450	70	
Straits Settlements.	12,734	1,515	
China	217	453	
Germany	97	75	
Japan	447	449	
Java	615	77	
	19,652	3,888	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Canvas.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	240	2,128	
Queensland ...	51	438	
South Australia..	196	1,580	
West'n Australia	20	278	
United Kingdom...	2,142	41,341	
Canadian Dominion	6	59	
India	185	2,405	
Germany	71	822	
United States ...	86	790	
	2,997	49,841	Free.
Carpeting and Druggeting.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	194	1,367	
Queensland ...	49	102	
South Australia..	44	330	
New Zealand ...	5	43	
United Kingdom...	1,545	35,164	
Hong Kong ...	10	78	
India	9	97	
China	11	64	
France	1	15	
Germany	94	1,593	
Japan	19	160	
Turkey	2	128	
United States ...	60	298	
	2,043	39,439	Free.
Carriages (complete), **Carts, &c.**			
Carriages.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	102	2,428	
Queensland ...	1	10	
South Australia..	47	1,657	
Tasmania ...	4	141	
New Zealand ...	6	150	
United Kingdom...	12	1,066	
Canadian Dominion	21	454	
India	1	20	
United States ...	112	3,164	
	306	9,090	Free.
Carts and Waggons.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	214	3,225	
Queensland ...	3	18	
South Australia..	35	672	
United Kingdom...	2	155	
United States ...	13	210	
	267	4,280	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Carriage Makers' Materials. (Exclusive of Tools.)			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	2,344	2,636	
Queensland ...	37	74	
South Australia..	3,245	1,754	
West'n Australia	53	83	
Tasmania ...	16	16	
New Zealand ...	50	86	
United Kingdom...	10,305	18,596	
Canadian Dominion	22	224	
Fiji	6	4	
New Guinea ...	1	2	
Germany	125	199	
United States ...	5,718	24,273	
	21,922	47,947	Free.
Cement.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	1,291	892	
Queensland ...	61	55	
South Australia..	1,824	1,628	
New Zealand ...	3	7	
United Kingdom...	46,170	19,698	
Belgium	1,614	739	
Germany	131,797	60,303	
Italy	886	392	
United States ...	5	2	
	183,651	83,716	Free.
Chaff. (See Hay and Chaff.)			
Chalk. (See Whiting and Chalk.)			
Charcoal.			
Wood.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	263	450	
Queensland ...	50	115	
United Kingdom...	4	28	
	317	593	Free.
Animal.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	5,055	772	
New Zealand ...	427	100	
United Kingdom...	41	12	
	5,523	884	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cheese.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	56,968	1,523	
Queensland ...	33,880	579	
South Australia..	95,921	2,313	
West'n Australia	784	15	
New Zealand ...	1,854,349	35,516	
United Kingdom...	8,792	320	
Canadian Dominion	100	3	
India	24	1	
Belgium	2,187	73	
France	11,402	476	
Germany	23,036	777	
Italy	1,775	66	
Netherlands ...	31,669	1,043	
New Caledonia ...	200	10	
Switzerland ...	132	7	
United States ...	893	40	
	2,122,112	42,762	Free.
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated).*			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	4,332	12,795	
Queensland ...	287	268	
South Australia..	1,840	2,704	
Tasmania ...	7	26	
New Zealand ...	37	248	
United Kingdom...	15,300	40,355	
Belgium	49	220	
Denmark	21	69	
France	11	52	
Germany	4,654	19,029	
Italy	19	15	
New Caledonia ...	1	2	
Sweden	42	74	
United States ...	2,497	7,815	
	29,097	83,672	Free.
Chicory.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	16,557	102	
United Kingdom...	79,724	319	
Germany	244,414	1,245	
	340,695	1,666	Free.
Prepared.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	779	24	
South Australia..	8,624	120	
United Kingdom...	7,840	70	
Belgium	11,200	95	
	28,443	309	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Chinaware and Porcelain. (See also Earthenware.)			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	183	670	
Queensland ...	10	60	
South Australia..	135	859	
New Zealand ...	12	131	
United Kingdom...	1,255	12,426	
Canadian Dominion	1	9	
Hong Kong ...	50	130	
Austria	17	196	
Belgium	75	550	
China	157	331	
France	29	438	
Germany	1,060	7,445	
Italy	7	51	
Japan	87	348	
	3,078	23,644	Free.
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	5	
Hong Kong ...	177	247	
China	601	764	
	779	1,016	Free.
Chinese Provisions.	pkg.		
Hong Kong ...	390	457	
China	967	1,048	
	1,357	1,505	Free.
Chocolate. (See Cocoa and Chocolate.)			
Chrome Ore.	cwt.		
New Caledonia ...	94,098	16,554	Free.
Cider and Perry.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	35	10	
Tasmania ...	853	118	
New Zealand ...	208	51	
United Kingdom...	199	46	
United States ...	624	100	
	1,919	325	6d. ℔ gal. in wood. 9d. ℔ gal. in bottle.
Clocks. (See Watches and Clocks.)			
Coal.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	135	147	
South Australia..	16	61	
Tasmania ...	500	375	
United Kingdom...	5	14	
	656	597	Free.

* Exclusive of Medicines.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cobalt Ore.	cwt.	£	
New Caledonia ...	1,281	301	Free.
Cocoa (Prepared) and Chocolate.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	35,923	3,030	
Queensland ...	3,872	309	
South Australia..	26,399	1,524	
Tasmania ...	40	4	
New Zealand ...	2,517	175	
United Kingdom...	944,085	53,333	
France	3,914	266	
Germany	13,200	1,484	
Italy	1,896	108	
Netherlands ...	8,169	1,453	
United States ...	799	44	
	1,040,814	61,730	Free.
Cocoa (Raw).			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	6,472	131	
United Kingdom...	71,254	2,821	
Ceylon	989	25	
India	1,899	54	
	80,614	3,031	Free.
Coffee.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	43,103	1,526	
Queensland ...	12,440	405	
South Australia..	6,099	267	
New Zealand ...	1,344	30	
United Kingdom...	11,668	350	
Aden	13,440	583	
Ceylon	36,791	1,495	
India	31,934	1,185	
Straits Settlements	560	10	
Arabia	15,640	671	
France	100	5	
Germany	112	2	
Netherlands ...	20,160	550	
New Hebrides ...	193,774	3,804	
South Sea Islands..	29,000	342	
United States ...	321,977	12,547	
	738,142	23,772	Free.
Prepared.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	24,252	1,330	
South Australia..	18,679	959	
United Kingdom...	4,322	198	
	47,253	2,487	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Coin.			
Gold.	boxes.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	466	3,483,900	
South Australia..	11	54,000	
Tasmania ...	24	120,300	
New Zealand ...	7	4,255	
Canadian Dominion	1	50	
Germany	1	250	
Hawaiian Islands...	1	1,000	
South Sea Islands..	10	1,041	
	521	3,664,796	Free.
Silver.	boxes.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	48	7,065	
Queensland ...	1	500	
South Australia..	10	3,150	
New Zealand ...	6	1,067	
United Kingdom...	215	43,000	
Japan	1	100	
South Sea Islands..	11	2,320	
	292	57,202	Free.
Bronze.	boxes.		
United Kingdom...	400	4,000	Free.
Coke.	tons.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	146	146	
South Australia..	3,854	12,201	
	4,000	12,347	Free.
Confectionery.	lb.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	70,721	2,477	
Queensland ...	770	20	
South Australia..	29,311	979	
New Zealand ...	910	26	
United Kingdom...	518,317	16,768	
Canadian Dominion	1,920	58	
Hong Kong ...	8,046	152	
Egypt	25	1	
France	40,399	1,464	
Germany	56,707	1,585	
Italy	4,787	179	
Spain	441	40	
Turkey	3,933	58	
United States ...	148,809	4,267	
	885,096	28,074	

2d. ℔ lb. to 30th June;
1d. ℔ lb. from 1st July, 1898.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Copper.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
South Australia..	64	200	Free.
Rod and Bar.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	6	17	
South Australia..	176	110	
United Kingdom...	65	421	
United States ...	2	35	
	249	583	Free.
Sheet.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	26	147	
South Australia..	11	34	
United Kingdom...	88	2,077	
Hong Kong ...	1	2	
Germany	14	344	
United States ...	10	196	
	150	2,800	Free.
Wire.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	6	6	
South Australia..	8	18	
United Kingdom ..	287	5,157	
France	3	70	
Germany	11	105	
United States ...	58	3,588	
	373	8,944	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	800	400	
Queensland ...	5,754	2,320	
South Australia..	13,295	5,265	
Tasmania ...	45	20	
New Zealand ...	40	44	
	19,934	8,049	Free.
Copra.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	520	235	
South Australia	60	24	
Fiji	97,089	53,969	
New Guinea ...	3,370	1,865	
Marshall Islands...	7,560	4,914	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	12,093	7,352	
New Caledonia ...	13,777	7,611	
New Hebrides ...	23,377	11,637	
South Sea Islands...	120,388	65,145	
	278,234	152,752	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope).			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	3,636	10,134	
Queensland ...	245	467	
South Australia..	861	2,048	
West'n Australia	237	350	
New Zealand ...	3,133	4,066	
United Kingdom...	10,472	26,839	
Canadian Dominion	25	36	
Fiji	2	6	
Hong Kong ...	72	64	
India	684	894	
Straits Settlements	20	14	
Germany	330	717	
Italy	5	20	
New Caledonia ...	2	8	
Philippine Islands.	3,925	7,743	
South Sea Islands..	1	5	
United States ...	3,212	3,181	
	26,862	56,592	Free.
Cordage (Old).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	121	25	Free.
Cordials (not containing spirit).			
Australasia—	doz. bottles.		
Victoria... ...	1,316	581	
Queensland ...	140	32	
South Australia .	861	421	
United Kingdom...	2,950	1,230	
Germany	1	2	
	5,268	2,266	Free.
Corks and Bungs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	134	613	
Queensland ...	12	47	
South Australia..	84	412	
Tasmania ...	1	5	
New Zealand ...	4	40	
United Kingdom...	672	4,893	
France	24	221	
Germany	105	872	
Italy	20	61	
Spain	891	7,541	
United States ...	99	92	
	2,046	14,797	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Cotton.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria... ...	22	135	
New Caledonia ...	2	8	
	24	143	Free.
Wick.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Tasmania ...	4	33	
United Kingdom...	47	696	
	51	729	Free.
Waste.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	44	144	
South Australia..	86	561	
United Kingdom...	1,327	6,439	
India	9	65	
Straits Settlements	3	14	
Japan	13	82	
	1,482	7,305	Free.
Cream of Tartar.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	84,090	3,308	
Queensland ...	112	4	
South Australia..	11,408	504	
United Kingdom...	114,352	4,126	
France	874,050	33,389	
Germany	2,240	70	
United States ...	5,157	243	
	1,091,409	41,644	Free.
Cutlery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	162	1,317	
Queensland ...	41	528	
South Australia..	237	2,199	
West'n Australia	1	70	
Tasmania ...	3	29	
New Zealand ...	5	112	
United Kingdom...	1,036	37,377	
Fiji	1	6	
Belgium	2	78	
China	1	5	
France	7	258	
Germany	159	4,067	
South Sea Islands..	1	17	
Sweden	10	110	
United States ...	149	1,007	
	1,815	47,180	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Dentist's Tools and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria... ..	36	178	
Queensland ...	9	99	
Tasmania ...	3	421	
United Kingdom...	149	5,919	
Canadian Dominion	3	42	
Germany	19	204	
United States ...	262	8,541	
	481	15,404	Free.
Diving Gear.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	1	12	
Queensland ...	10	85	
United Kingdom...	23	899	
	34	996	Free.
Dough.			
(See Bread and Dough.)			
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	8,363	105,447	
Queensland ...	691	7,195	
South Australia..	1,740	35,076	
West'n Australia	26	804	
Tasmania ...	16	148	
New Zealand ...	172	2,516	
United Kingdom...	51,663	1,506,145	
Canadian Dominion	268	4,714	
Ceylon	3	44	
Fiji	61	656	
Hong Kong ...	18	110	
India	103	958	
Malta	5	336	
Norfolk Island ...	3	3	
Austria	6	375	
Belgium	7	214	
China	84	1,106	
Egypt	3	100	
France	340	17,289	
Germany	1,024	31,833	
Italy	30	619	
Japan	42	693	
New Caledonia ...	26	180	
South Sea Islands..	24	584	
Switzerland ...	16	1,216	
Turkey	2	90	
United States ...	974	15,619	
	65,710	1,734,070	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated).*			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	4,852	15,109	
Queensland ...	153	632	
South Australia..	1,281	6,515	
West'n Australia	21	204	
Tasmania ...	83	201	
New Zealand ...	66	1,486	
United Kingdom...	13,573	113,309	
Canadian Dominion	55	277	
Ceylon	48	211	
Fiji	3	8	
Hong Kong ...	206	1,045	
India	14	63	
Straits Settlements	9	54	
Austria	17	65	
Belgium	6	15	
Brazil	1	11	
China	491	1,272	
Cuba	3	56	
France	218	2,406	
Germany	1,148	11,410	
Greece	11	87	
Italy	143	1,398	
Japan	416	1,652	
Java	5	100	
New Caledonia ...	6	125	
New Hebrides ...	33	14	
South Sea Islands..	12	728	
Spain	6	16	
Sweden	20	70	
Switzerland ...	1	50	
United States ...	2,695	17,661	
	25,596	176,250	Free.
Dyes and Dye Ware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	572	1,969	
Queensland ...	2	6	
South Australia	16	33	
New Zealand ...	10	12	
United Kingdom...	901	3,548	
India	16	16	
Straits Settlements	97	154	
Germany	187	1,267	
United States ...	387	2,853	
	2,188	9,858	Free.
Earthenware. (See also Chinaware and Porcelain.)			
Crockeryware.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	687	2,548	
Queensland ...	23	50	
South Australia	345	1,994	
New Zealand ...	1	1	
United Kingdom...	1,082	8,836	
Hong Kong ...	3	3	
Belgium	6	9	
Germany	79	427	
Italy	1	8	
United States ...	9	43	
	2,236	13,919	Free.
Drain-pipes.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1,668	208	
South Australia..	518	42	
	2,186	250	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	484	1,703	
Queensland ...	37	201	
South Australia	384	932	
West'n Australia	8	205	
New Zealand ...	1	2	
United Kingdom...	6,508	55,217	
Hong Kong ...	13	20	
Belgium	37	248	
China	43	43	
France	3	61	
Germany	281	1,727	
Italy	15	144	
Japan	49	176	
United States ...	28	186	
	7,891	60,865	Free.
Eggs.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	1,882	128	
Queensland ...	4,578	173	
South Australia..	275,835	12,966	
New Zealand ...	42	4	
Hong Kong ...	13,997	394	
China	25,105	668	
	321,439	14,333	Free.
Engine Packing. (See Machinery.)			
Explosives. (See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)			

* Includes patent medicines, sponges, pill-boxes, &c.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,735	9,792	
Queensland ...	279	1,370	
South Australia..	571	4,432	
West'n Australia	101	1,036	
Tasmania ...	20	88	
New Zealand ...	106	335	
United Kingdom...	3,123	66,581	
Canadian Dominion	18	136	
Cape Colony ..	6	15	
Ceylon	10	72	
Fiji	38	142	
Hong Kong ...	231	335	
India	8	108	
Malta	2	9	
New Guinea ...	22	97	
Norfolk Island ...	2	3	
Straits Settlements	1	2	
Austria	10	83	
Belgium	7	56	
China	378	928	
Egypt	7	87	
France	151	3,909	
Germany	917	10,955	
Italy	18	85	
Japan	1,820	7,298	
New Pommern (New Britain) ...	11	36	
New Caledonia ...	28	57	
New Hebrides ...	236	220	
South Sea Islands...	101	287	
Sweden	10	25	
Switzerland ...	3	9	
United States ...	820	6,526	
	10,790	115,114	Free.
Farinaceous and Milk Foods.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	73,439	1,577	
South Australia..	5,380	313	
New Zealand ...	1,010	33	
United Kingdom...	250,230	13,481	
France	558	54	
Germany	38,336	311	
United States ...	409,696	1,753	
	778,649	17,522	Free.
Felt.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	35	105	
Queensland ...	1	3	
South Australia...	11	15	
United Kingdom...	2,287	4,611	
Germany	30	474	
	2,364	5,208	Free.
Fibre.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	132	346	
Queensland ...	9	30	
United Kingdom...	88	367	
Ceylon	44,722	1,942	
India	556	1,518	
Germany	233	616	
Italy	13	144	
Japan	9	9	
	45,762	4,972	Free.
Fireclay.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	100	2	
South Australia..	520	90	
United Kingdom...	6,420	992	
	7,040	1,084	Free.
Firewood.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	3,091	1,548	
Queensland ...	6	2	
South Australia..	11	10	
	3,108	1,560	Free.
Fireworks.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	54	416	
United Kingdom...	135	688	
Hong Kong ...	1,017	1,002	
China	2,526	2,009	
	3,732	4,115	Free.
Fish.			
Fresh.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	396	277	
Queensland ...	1,003	602	
South Australia..	1,512	1,300	
Tasmania ...	10	384	
New Zealand ...	2,192	2,007	
	5,113	4,570	Free.
Frozen.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	10	
Tasmania ...	50	20	
New Zealand ...	1,379	1,493	
United Kingdom...	335	328	
Canadian Dominion	16	62	
United States ...	355	144	
	2,136	2,057	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fish—*continued.*			
Dried and Preserved.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	230,595	5,317	
Queensland ...	40,271	731	
South Australia..	240,711	6,026	
Tasmania ...	56	1	
New Zealand ...	52,927	1,692	
United Kingdom...	2,850,153	56,010	
Canadian Dominion	275,428	4,787	
Cape Colony ...	39,648	1,222	
Hong Kong ...	38,787	1,085	
China	82,680	2,630	
France	108,355	3,401	
Germany	1,605	116	
Italy	6,618	104	
Norway	7,194	220	
Portugal	14,750	488	
South Sea Islands..	50	1	
Spain	5,000	180	
United States ...	2,665,315	48,447	
	6,660,143	132,458	Free.
Flax and Hemp.			
Exclusive of Phormium Tenax.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5	58	
New Zealand ...	777	1,877	
United Kingdom...	27	570	
New Guinea ...	2	5	
China	1,501	4,531	
Philippine Islands..	1,200	3,130	
	3,512	10,171	Free.
Phormium Tenax.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	3,019	8,575	Free.
Floorcloth and Oilcloth.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	403	2,424	
South Australia..	655	3,179	
New Zealand ...	6	31	
United Kingdom...	7,732	66,564	
Belgium	453	3,738	
Germany	6	36	
Italy	1	4	
Japan	2	13	
United States ...	22	154	
	9,280	76,143	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fruit.			
Peel in Brine.			
	lb.	£	
Germany	2,240	15	
Italy	338,624	1,544	
	340,864	1,559	Free.
Boiled or in Pulp, and Peel, drained or dry.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	127,696	1,406	
Queensland ...	7,930	62	
Tasmania ...	1,615,428	13,036	
United Kingdom...	10,111	234	
Italy	147	2	
United States ...	11,240	144	
	1,772,552	14,884	1d. p. lb. to 3 June, ½d. p. lb. from 1 July, 1898.
Bottled.			
Australasia—	doz.		
Victoria ...	20	10	
South Australia..	174	120	
United Kingdom...	2,725	955	
India	21	15	
France	506	309	
Spain	30	8	
United States ...	22	11	
	3,498	1,428	Free.
Fresh—Bananas.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	275	171	
Queensland ...	471,665	41,974	
South Australia..	3,584	2,249	
Fiji	151,930	13,153	
Norfolk Island ...	107	7	
New Caledonia ...	2,957	105	
New Hebrides ...	15,402	1,710	
South Sea Islands...	4,338	340	
	650,258	59,709	Free.
Fresh—Pineapples.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	51	36	
Queensland ...	31,051	6,770	
South Australia..	196	109	
Fiji	384	114	
New Hebrides ...	10	3	
South Sea Islands...	5	3	
	31,697	7,035	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fruit—*continued.*			
Fresh—Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	77,279	20,595	
Queensland ...	24,388	6,073	
South Australia..	40,877	17,931	
Tasmania ...	255,451	76,141	
New Zealand ...	437	187	
United Kingdom...	2	2	
Canadian Dominion	13	7	
Fiji	1,531	399	
Hong Kong ...	18	25	
India	1	2	
Norfolk Island ...	13	4	
China	33	25	
Italy	19,272	9,671	
New Caledonia ...	23	12	
New Hebrides ...	260	43	
South Sea Islands..	168	45	
United States ...	4,221	2,395	
	423,987	133,557	Free.
Dried—Currants and Raisins.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	481,525	5,937	
Queensland ...	108,646	1,371	
South Australia..	287,758	4,212	
Tasmania ...	2,310	20	
United Kingdom...	1,698,664	20,285	
Egypt	412,893	6,000	
France	181,818	2,227	2d. ℔ lb. to 30 June, 1d. ℔ lb. from 1 July, 2d. ℔ lb. from 3 Nov., 1898.
Germany	44,548	631	
Greece	2,242,555	23,438	
Italy	13,741	114	
Spain	10,093	488	
Turkey	616,957	9,600	
United States ...	37,450	1,014	
	6,138,958	75,337	
Dried—Dates.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	164,905	1,173	
Queensland ...	11,599	105	
South Australia..	60,368	652	
United Kingdom...	514,881	2,554	
Aden	18,634	136	
Hong Kong ...	1,602	18	
India	31,940	264	
Arabia	73,909	558	
China	2,747	27	
Egypt	306,117	2,418	
Germany	6,720	59	
Greece	71,640	455	
Turkey	249,840	1,741	
	1,514,902	10,160	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fruit—*continued.*			
Dried—Other Dried and Candied.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	176,824	3,718	
Queensland ...	5,384	117	
South Australia..	68,032	1,275	
West'n. Australia	500	8	
Tasmania ...	47,486	952	
New Zealand ...	2,710	66	
United Kingdom...	109,483	2,341	
Canadian Dominion	190	3	
Fiji	33	1	
Hong Kong ...	11,157	240	
Egypt	6,237	211	2d. ℔ lb. to 30 June, 1d. ℔ lb. from 1 July, 2d. ℔ lb. from 3 Nov., 1898.
France	22,633	712	
Germany	550	13	
Italy	4,541	72	
South Sea Islands..	120	2	
Turkey	29,564	714	
United States ...	177,420	3,250	
	662,864	13,695	
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	422	5	
South Australia..	5,000	29	
Fiji	375,305	1,345	
New Caledonia ...	2,304	9	
New Hebrides ...	9,360	29	
South Sea Islands.	39,480	124	
	431,871	1,541	Free.
Edible Nuts—Other.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	77,265	942	
Queensland ...	1,847	48	
South Australia..	30,345	887	
Tasmania ...	399	2	
New Zealand ...	2,208	98	
United Kingdom...	165,751	3,740	
Fiji	206,112	1,760	
Hong Kong ...	52,420	609	
China	123,237	1,540	
Egypt	160	8	
France	29,158	869	
Germany	31,920	878	
Italy	76,257	2,245	
Japan	90,536	624	
New Caledonia ...	3,976	21	
South Sea Islands..	436	7	
Spain	4,204	37	
Turkey	6,598	81	
United States ...	3,767	35	
	906,596	14,431	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Fruit Salts.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	2,412	131	
South Australia..	1,266	197	
United Kingdom...	23,860	4,294	
	27,538	4,622	Free.
Fungus.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
New Zealand ...	1,023	1,098	
Fiji	110	105	
Hong Kong ...	34	64	
Norfolk Island ...	14	17	
China	38	56	
New Caledonia ...	7	7	
New Hebrides ...	30	35	
South Sea Islands..	2,033	1,967	
	3,289	3,349	Free.
Furniture and Upholstery.			
Furniture.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	7,089	18,130	
Queensland ...	151	322	
South Australia..	3,320	6,413	
West'n Australia	164	765	
Tasmania ...	128	220	
New Zealand ...	128	449	
United Kingdom...	1,152	18,955	
Canadian Dominion	353	426	
Cape Colony ...	1	2	
Ceylon	2	7	
Fiji	26	39	
Hong Kong ...	392	570	
India	5	12	
Natal	4	12	
Straits Settlements	1	3	
Austria	937	5,927	
Belgium	21	295	
China	1,977	3,076	
France	43	148	
Germany	2,128	13,284	
Italy	2	20	
Japan	265	555	
New Caledonia ...	77	300	
United States ...	6,756	12,506	
	25,122	82,436	Free.
Furniture Springs, and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	75	390	
United Kingdom...	50	666	
Canadian Dominion	375	1,210	
Austria	256	1,498	
Belgium	20	13	
China	45	161	
Germany	477	821	
United States ...	2,081	5,075	
	3,379	9,834	Free.
Furniture and Upholstery.—*contd.*			
Upholstery.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	345	1,619	
Queensland ...	122	255	
South Australia..	5	62	
Tasmania ...	10	27	
New Zealand ...	14	22	
United Kingdom...	1,156	35,611	
Canadian Dominion	17	78	
Hong Kong ...	36	69	
China	864	1,082	
France	5	191	
Germany	39	1,358	
Italy	2	47	
Japan	1,085	972	
United States ...	634	1,695	
	4,334	43,088	Free.
Furs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	38	254	
South Australia..	2	6	
United Kingdom...	53	2,283	
Germany	5	42	
	98	2,585	Free.
Gas Fittings.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	40	439	
Queensland ...	4	20	
South Australia..	173	962	
Tasmania ...	1	8	
New Zealand ...	12	384	
United Kingdom...	633	11,523	
Germany	67	1,904	
United States ...	33	102	
	963	15,342	Free.
Gasoline.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	676	97	
South Australia..	27	3	
United Kingdom...	60	8	
France	32	6	
United States ...	3,816	255	
	4,611	369	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Gelatine and Isinglass.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	7,901	613	
Queensland ...	168	34	
South Australia	1,324	168	
United Kingdom...	115,997	8,673	
Hong Kong ...	250	12	
India	4,082	817	
Belgium	7,840	383	
China	640	21	
France	14,420	740	
Germany	28,835	1,409	
United States ...	1,712	212	
	183,169	13,082	Free.
Ginger.			
Dried and Green.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	8,587	169	
South Australia	4,328	117	
United Kingdom...	78,093	1,376	
Hong Kong ...	17,271	152	
India	9,537	111	
China	36,356	286	
Japan	11,872	82	
	166,044	2,293	Free.
Glass.			
Looking.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	15	93	
South Australia..	20	73	
United Kingdom...	331	3,781	
France	7	153	
Germany	62	606	
Italy	2	25	
	437	4,731	Free.
Plate.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	24	543	
South Australia..	28	181	
United Kingdom...	166	4,113	
Belgium	133	5,205	
France	8	180	
Germany	100	4,287	
	459	14,509	Free.
Window.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	282	579	
Queensland ...	1	6	
South Australia..	468	526	
United Kingdom...	3,100	5,794	
Belgium	11,404	8,165	
France	108	118	
Germany	6,151	4,192	
	21,514	19,380	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Glass—*continued.*			
Broken.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Queensland ...	41	8	
Tasmania ...	45	7	
New Zealand ...	528	97	
	614	112	Free.
Glassware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	785	2,402	
Queensland ...	47	175	
South Australia..	389	1,772	
West'n Australia	26	56	
Tasmania ...	11	32	
New Zealand ...	14	141	
United Kingdom...	2,420	13,603	
Fiji	2	12	
Hong Kong ...	1	1	
India	2	5	
Austria	29	349	
Belgium	1,366	4,182	
China	5	13	
France	85	730	
Germany	5,843	22,727	
Italy	20	265	
Japan	74	161	
Sweden	5	21	
United States ...	3,003	5,718	
	14,127	52,365	Free.
Gloves.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	197	3,383	
Queensland ...	13	75	
South Australia..	134	1,684	
United Kingdom...	980	71,986	
France	33	4,230	
Germany	72	2,997	
Italy	7	299	
	1,436	84,654	Free.
Glucose.			
Liquid and Syrup.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	14	8	
South Australia..	34	37	
New Zealand ...	17	9	
United States ...	20,626	9,490	
	20,691	9,544	2s. 8d. per cwt. to 30th June; 2s. per cwt. from 1st July, 1898.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Glucose—*continued.*			
Solid.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	310	274	
South Australia..	96	45	
United Kingdom...	100	53	
Germany	1,756	1,164	
United States ...	3,074	1,317	
	5,336	2,853	4s. per cwt. to 30th June ; 3s. per cwt. from 1st July, 1898.
Glue and Size.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	7,014	233	
South Australia	31,891	405	
New Zealand ...	2,240	34	
United Kingdom...	97,824	2,633	
Austria	1,120	18	
France	13,363	448	
Germany	25,611	787	
Italy	39,200	674	
United States ...	11,090	255	
	229,353	5,487	Free.
Glue-pieces and Sinews			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	50	12	
Queensland ...	7,914	2,450	
West'n Australia	123	34	
New Zealand ...	384	106	
Germany	14	4	
New Caledonia ...	50	40	
	8,535	2,646	Free.
Glycerine.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	43	142	
South Australia	10	36	
United Kingdom...	449	1,699	
Germany	202	969	
United States ...	9	208	
	713	3,054	Free.
Gold.			
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte.			
Australasia—	oz.		
Victoria ...	1,487	5,248	
Queensland ...	447,494	1,603,858	
South Australia..	2,821	9,454	
Tasmania ...	24,086	88,749	
New Zealand ...	50,048	198,937	
New Guinea ...	2,071	6,521	
South Sea Islands..	164	500	
	528,171	1,913,267	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Gold—*continued.*			
Quartz and Concentrates.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	5	2	
Queensland ...	19,546	16,149	
West'n Australia	70,093	26,150	
Tasmania ...	746	220	
New Zealand ...	111	59	
Java	2	2	
New Caledonia ...	15	5	
	90,518	42,587	Free.
Gold Coin.			
(See Coin.)			
Gold Leaf.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1	107	
South Australia..	3	9	
United Kingdom...	21	547	
Germany	46	2,866	
	71	3,529	Free.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*			
Barley.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	17,453	2,691	
Queensland ...	200	30	
South Australia	85	21	
New Zealand ...	921	139	
United States ...	78,077	16,817	
	96,736	19,698	Free.
Barley (prepared or pearl).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	281	232	
South Australia	138	149	
United Kingdom...	223	1,213	
	642	1,594	Free.
Beans.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	997	296	
South Australia	16	8	
New Zealand ...	564	161	
United Kingdom...	22	15	
Fiji	350	86	
Hong Kong ...	169	69	
India	38	14	
Straits Settlements	19	5	
China	495	201	
Egypt	114	38	
France	3	1	
Germany	60	30	
United States ...	2,741	921	
	5,588	1,845	Free.

* **Grain and Pulse.**—The following are the accepted weights :—

Barley ..	1 bushel ..	50 lb.	Oats ..	1 bushel ..	40 lb.	Wheat ..	1 bushel	60 lb.
Beans ..	,, ..	60 ,,	Peas ..	,, ..	60 ,,	Flour ..	1 cwt. or cental	100 ,,
Bran ..	,, ..	20 ,,	Pollard ..	,, ..	20 ,,	,, ..	1 ton	2,000 ,,
Maize ..	,, ..	56 ,,	Sharps ..	,, ..	20 ,,			

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*contd.*			
Bran.			
Australasia—	bshl.	£	
Victoria ...	23,059	939	
South Australia	164,223	7,723	
Tasmania ...	5,005	150	
New Zealand ...	24,279	790	
New Caledonia ...	37,136	1,079	
	253,702	10,681	Free.
Flour.			
Australasia—	centals		
Victoria ...	102,445	47,312	
Queensland ...	502	288	
South Australia	74,903	40,939	
Tasmania ...	25,640	13,550	
New Zealand ...	3,476	1,701	
Canadian Dominion	91,201	54,327	
United States ...	112,570	56,347	
	410,737	214,464	Free.
Groats (Patent).			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	760	30	
South Australia	1,440	42	
United Kingdom...	115,430	3,998	
	117,630	4,070	Free.
Maize.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	21,738	1,923	
Queensland ...	5,095	739	
South Australia	598	120	
Tasmania ...	1,084	153	
New Zealand ...	70,696	8,921	
Fiji	21,587	2,945	
New Caledonia ...	3,336	465	
New Hebrides ...	14,190	1,696	
United States ...	87,536	11,702	
	225,860	28,664	Free.
Maizena & Cornflour.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	34,606	606	
Queensland ...	4,000	40	
South Australia	41,518	534	
United Kingdom...	295,160	2,820	
China	300	10	
United States ...	92,400	583	
	467,984	4,593	Free.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*contd.*			
Oatmeal.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	17,390	12,536	
Queensland ...	77	51	
South Australia	1,524	1,603	
New Zealand ...	14,271	8,814	
United Kingdom...	322	398	
United States ...	2,449	3,130	
	36,033	26,532	Free.
Oats.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	294,196	30,755	
Queensland ...	24	4	
South Australia	11,337	1,875	
Tasmania ...	151,696	16,828	
New Zealand ...	458,203	52,338	
	915,456	101,800	Free.
Peas (Dried and Split).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	742	727	
South Australia	255	244	
Tasmania ...	3,958	3,180	
New Zealand ...	2,807	2,975	
United Kingdom...	186	499	
Hong Kong ...	14	5	
China	37	10	
Egypt	3	3	
Philippine Islands..	175	100	
United States ...	4,445	3,241	
	12,622	10,984	Free.
Pollard.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	25,447	1,145	
South Australia	8,950	451	
New Zealand ...	5,900	186	
New Caledonia ...	9,396	267	
	49,693	2,049	Free.
Rice.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	6,927	5,268	
Queensland ...	577	431	
South Australia	1,780	1,845	
United Kingdom...	47	52	
Burmah	1,000	369	
Fiji	1	1	
Hong Kong ...	15,564	10,143	
India	16,124	7,362	
Straits Settlements	18,074	7,526	
China	33,675	21,888	
Japan	53,000	39,582	
	146,769	94,467	Free.

*See foot-note to previous page.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*contd.*			
Rice (Ground).			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	208	5	
South Australia	10,338	91	
United Kingdom...	3,803	23	
Hong Kong ...	10,531	113	
China	13,681	157	
	38,561	389	Free.
Rye.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	656	125	
Queensland ...	900	157	
Tasmania ...	20	4	
New Zealand ...	316	55	
	1,892	341	Free.
Sharps.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
New Zealand ...	1,958	95	Free.
Wheat.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	396,368	61,555	
Queensland ...	3,288	589	
South Australia	9,624	2,304	
Tasmania ...	114,401	23,092	
New Zealand ...	81	16	
	523,762	87,556	Free.
Grease.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	495	529	
Queensland ...	30	38	
South Australia	991	743	
United Kingdom...	505	345	
Germany	24	40	
United States ...	1,370	2,364	
	3,415	4,059	Free.
Grindery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	416	2,230	
Queensland ...	21	171	
South Australia	53	180	
New Zealand ...	14	48	
United Kingdom...	3,722	30,915	
France	1	13	
Germany	1,173	4,648	
Italy	1	20	
United States ...	2,508	5,414	
	7,909	43,639	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Gum.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	154	672	
Queensland ...	2	3	
South Australia	5	6	
New Zealand ...	87	247	
United Kingdom...	40	395	
Fiji	5	11	
India	5	30	
New Guinea ...	4	20	
Arabia	77	644	
Egypt	93	787	
France	4	42	
Germany	12	124	
United States ...	22	49	
	510	3,030	Free.
Hair.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	62,799	921	
Queensland ...	75,567	3,259	
South Australia	4,567	206	
Tasmania ...	736	26	
New Zealand ...	19,806	984	
United Kingdom...	15,495	1,164	
Norfolk Island ...	30	2	
France	240	274	
Germany	125	240	
New Caledonia ...	881	36	
United States ...	24,222	386	
	204,468	7,498	Free.
Hardware and Ironmongery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	10,529	25,613	
Queensland ...	607	2,522	
South Australia	2,657	9,365	
West'n Australia	344	779	
Tasmania ...	108	205	
New Zealand ...	182	1,315	
United Kingdom...	42,554	157,659	
Canadian Dominion	9	131	
Fiji	35	169	
Hong Kong ...	11	16	
New Guinea ...	1	2	
Norfolk Island ...	5	11	
Austria	2	27	
Belgium	137	448	
China	22	35	
France	225	1,160	
Germany	2,463	12,976	
Italy	10	72	
Netherlands ...	116	261	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	2	8	
New Caledonia ...	20	53	
New Hebrides ...	4	13	
Norway	13	80	
South Sea Islands	38	181	
Sweden	69	556	
United States ...	13,301	35,260	
	73,464	248,917	Free.

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No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Hats and Caps.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	598	4,739	
Queensland ...	72	531	
South Australia	492	4,788	
West'n Australia	7	90	
Tasmania	5	19	
New Zealand ...	14	109	
United Kingdom...	10,037	151,287	
Fiji	4	25	
Hong Kong ...	32	134	
India	9	58	
Belgium	11	296	
China	43	148	
France	44	1,415	
Germany	202	7,958	
Italy	132	4,557	
South Sea Islands	6	20	
United States ...	38	806	
	11,746	176,980	Free.
Hatters' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	52	398	
United Kingdom...	42	1,002	
Hong Kong ...	15	181	
India	3	15	
China	16	127	
France	4	389	
Germany	15	131	
Japan	265	2,511	
	412	4,754	Free.
Hay and Chaff.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	999,587	160,896	
Queensland ...	475	88	
South Australia	194,866	37,217	
Tasmania ...	41,478	6,982	
New Zealand ...	2,713	611	
	1,239,119	205,794	Free.
Hemp. (See Flax and Hemp.)			
Hollow-ware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	171	367	
South Australia	131	667	
New Zealand ...	3	34	
United Kingdom...	1,720	16,832	
Austria	60	297	
Belgium	24	103	
Germany	2,271	14,320	
United States ...	260	1,023	
	4,640	33,643	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Honey.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	10,823	132	
Queensland ...	33,852	391	
South Australia	52,478	909	
Tasmania ...	120	1	
	97,273	1,433	Free.
Hoofs.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	20	4	
Queensland ...	1,600	314	
New Zealand ...	54	14	
New Caledonia ...	18	7	
	1,692	339	Free.
Hops.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	124,375	4,185	
Queensland ...	11,073	222	
South Australia	46,969	1,885	
Tasmania ...	228,041	9,911	
New Zealand ...	38,357	2,060	
United Kingdom...	241,396	12,847	
Germany	88,315	4,079	
United States ...	470,279	19,483	
	1,248,805	54,672	Free.
Horns.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	5,607	56	
Queensland ...	679,588	6,545	
South Australia	2,500	25	
West'n Australia	1,480	14	
Tasmania ...	5,400	54	
New Zealand ...	43,041	436	
New Caledonia ...	15,855	172	
	753,471	7,302	Free.
Ice.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	109	65	
Queensland ...	3	2	
South Australia	299	301	
	411	368	Free.
India-rubber Goods.			
Crude India-rubber.	pkg.		
Fiji	1	50	
New Guinea ...	47	546	
New Caledonia ...	2	8	
	50	604	Free.
Piping.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	56	286	
Queensland ...	3	18	
South Australia	88	682	
New Zealand ...	1	38	
United Kingdom...	241	7,813	
Germany	4	240	
Italy	2	57	
United States ...	376	2,732	
	771	11,866	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
India-rubber Goods—*continued.*			
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	171	2,390	
Queensland ...	9	99	
South Australia	153	4,169	
New Zealand ...	3	29	
United Kingdom...	466	12,772	
Canadian Dominion	2	16	
Germany	112	1,656	
Italy	2	17	
United States ...	300	2,341	
	1,218	23,489	Free.
Instruments. (See also Dentists' Tools and Materials.)			
Optical.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	20	371	
Queensland ...	9	90	
South Australia	4	59	
West'n Australia	1	20	
Tasmania ...	1	10	
New Zealand ...	12	228	
United Kingdom...	311	12,858	
Ceylon	1	2	
Hong Kong ...	5	100	
Austria	4	206	
France	18	832	
Germany	29	671	
United States ...	18	398	
	433	15,845	Free.
Surgical.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	102	671	
Queensland ...	8	24	
South Australia..	4	35	
Tasmania ...	1	40	
United Kingdom...	50	1,594	
France	1	20	
Germany	64	1,632	
United States ...	20	274	
	250	4,290	Free.
Other Scientific.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	45	444	
Queensland ...	88	413	
South Australia	48	820	
New Zealand ...	10	74	
United Kingdom...	199	3,890	
Fiji	2	20	
France	4	63	
Germany	40	772	
United States ...	49	405	
	485	6,901	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Instruments (Musical).			
Harmoniums and Organs.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	19	436	
Queensland ...	4	157	
South Australia..	28	493	
Tasmania ...	1	10	
United Kingdom...	18	1,035	
Canadian Dominion	65	511	
Norfolk Island ...	1	10	
France	2	44	
Germany	38	358	
United States ...	276	3,332	
	452	6,386	Free.
Pianofortes.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	153	6,085	
Queensland ...	26	922	
South Australia.	86	3,065	
West'n Australia	7	295	
Tasmania ...	3	90	
New Zealand ...	8	310	
United Kingdom...	298	11,152	
Canadian Dominion	36	1,122	
Fiji	2	100	
Natal	1	22	
Belgium	4	105	
France	23	871	
Germany	1,950	36,041	
Italy	1	35	
United States ...	20	665	
	2,618	60,880	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	112	996	
Queensland ...	9	79	
South Australia..	118	705	
Tasmania ...	1	32	
New Zealand ...	5	116	
United Kingdom...	144	4,322	
Fiji	3	17	
Hong Kong ...	2	15	
Austria	2	12	
China	11	40	
France	46	1,328	
Germany	567	11,312	
Italy	8	84	
United States ...	34	844	
	1,062	19,902	Free.
Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5	32	
United Kingdom...	21	277	
France	3	15	
Germany	209	3,357	
United States ...	5	23	
	243	3,704	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel.			
Angle, Bar, & Rod.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	8,513	5,043	
Queensland ...	54	26	
South Australia..	7,853	5,413	
Tasmania ...	6	6	
New Zealand ...	7	7	
United Kingdom...	156,370	62,916	
Belgium	3,001	991	
Germany	2,643	997	
Sweden	662	588	
United States ...	2,921	863	
	182,030	76,850	Free.
Hoop (Black).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	565	317	
South Australia..	182	105	
United Kingdom...	38,499	16,261	
Belgium	100	50	
Germany	147	87	
United States ...	2,676	1,013	
	42,169	17,833	Free.
Plate and Sheet.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,880	1,029	
South Australia..	5,066	3,195	
Tasmania ...	4	5	
United Kingdom...	102,968	39,744	
Belgium	6,035	1,988	
Germany	10,338	3,877	
United States ...	9	6	
	126,300	49,844	Free.
Pipes.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	3,356	2,990	
Queensland ...	130	163	
South Australia..	8,243	7,249	
West'n Australia	60	52	
United Kingdom...	126,931	77,013	
United States ...	4,287	1,641	
	143,007	89,108	Free.
Other Castings.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	2,192	2,396	
South Australia..	1,095	1,493	
United Kingdom...	15,030	6,587	
Germany	404	590	
United States ...	59	100	
	18,780	11,166	Free.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Other wrought.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	174	191	
South Australia..	1,394	2,070	
United Kingdom...	5,119	4,810	
Germany	103	166	
	6,790	7,237	Free.
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,087	1,437	
Queensland ...	80	61	
South Australia..	1,956	2,346	
West'n Australia	60	45	
New Zealand ...	19	15	
United Kingdom...	32,791	30,417	
Canadian Dominion	61	130	
Germany	58	78	
United States ...	2,330	2,165	
	38,442	36,694	Free.
Chains.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	442	493	
Queensland ...	8	9	
South Australia..	65	128	
New Zealand ...	12	9	
United Kingdom...	8,187	6,270	
South Sea Islands..	61	53	
	8,775	6,962	Free.
Girders and Joists.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	385	193	
South Australia..	23	19	
United Kingdom...	18,256	8,236	
Belgium	7,204	1,979	
Germany	15,349	4,698	
	41,217	15,125	Free.
Nails.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	2,162	3,202	
Queensland ...	5	7	
South Australia	1,666	1,739	
New Zealand ...	120	68	
United Kingdom...	6,418	5,802	
Canadian Dominion	62	29	
Belgium	3,523	1,505	
France	40	24	
Germany	30,563	14,731	
New Caledonia ...	3	3	
Norway	118	140	
Spain	45	77	
United States ...	1,317	1,180	
	46,042	28,507	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Rivets.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	154	140	
Queensland ...	98	74	
South Australia	128	151	
United Kingdom...	8,970	5,352	
Belgium	70	54	
United States ...	108	118	
	9,528	5,889	Free.
Tanks.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	461	1,385	
Queensland ...	523	1,040	
South Australia..	467	1,115	
United Kingdom...	6,607	14,066	
France	2	4	
United States ...	3	7	
	8,063	17,617	Free.
Scrap and Old.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	3,060	205	
Queensland ...	9,085	498	
South Australia	744	355	
United Kingdom...	82,370	12,953	
Norway	50	165	
	95,309	14,176	Free.
Wire—not Galvanised (Black Wire).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	24,671	11,564	
Queensland ...	384	213	
South Australia..	6,210	3,569	
New Zealand ...	110	47	
United Kingdom...	52,854	23,545	
Belgium	17,812	7,155	
Germany	141,366	54,026	
United States ...	17,287	6,127	
	260,694	106,246	Free.
Wire Rope.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	672	1,204	
Queensland ...	32	83	
South Australia	340	1,063	
New Zealand ...	43	107	
United Kingdom...	14,835	25,330	
Germany	26	17	
New Caledonia ...	12	30	
United States ...	45	106	
	16,005	27,940	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Galvanised Hoop.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	132	79	
Queensland ...	120	45	
South Australia..	100	43	
United Kingdom...	915	498	
Belgium	1,681	933	
Germany	1,017	566	
	3,965	2,164	Free.
Galvanised Manufactures.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,137	1,573	
South Australia..	954	1,510	
United Kingdom...	799	948	
Germany	23	21	
United States ...	91	57	
	3,004	4,109	Free.
Galvanised Sheets and Bars.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	20,664	17,175	
Queensland ...	6,235	5,267	
South Australia..	10,925	10,247	
West'n Australia	202	170	
United Kingdom...	223,066	164,901	
Germany	160	90	
United States ...	510	207	
	261,762	198,057	Free.
Galvanised Wire (Barbed).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,543	1,001	
South Australia..	153	114	
United Kingdom...	420	213	
Belgium	1,000	520	
Germany	400	200	
United States ...	38,840	18,323	
	42,356	20,371	Free.
Galvanised Wire (Telegraphic).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	421	373	
United Kingdom...	540	330	
Germany	4,700	2,589	
	5,661	3,292	Free.
Galvanised Wire (Other).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	266	188	
Queensland ...	91	73	
South Australia.	215	241	
Tasmania ...	18	12	
New Zealand ...	152	80	
United Kingdom...	8,155	3,693	
Belgium	2,364	905	
Germany	5,915	2,716	
United States ...	2,737	1,132	
	19,913	9,040	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*			
Galvanised Wire Netting.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	3,672	3,671	
South Australia..	1,330	1,524	
United Kingdom...	4,946	4,477	
Germany	660	310	
United States ...	3	5	
	10,611	9,987	Free.
Iron—Pig.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	17	48	
South Australia..	233	1,057	
United Kingdom ...	7,099	22,501	
Belgium	200	600	
United States ...	4,342	13,771	
	11,891	37,977	Free.
Iron Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Tasmania ...	38,530	1,603	
New Zealand ...	3,400	102	
	41,930	1,705	Free.
Iron—Oxide of.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	20	11	
New Caledonia ...	400	36	
	420	47	Free.
Ironmongery.			
(See Hardware and Ironmongery).			
Isinglass.			
(See Gelatine and Isinglass).			
Ivory Nuts (Vegetable).	cwt.		
South Sea Islands..	1	1	Free.
Jams and Jellies.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	336,113	5,473	
Queensland ...	15,264	281	
South Australia..	320,044	5,010	
Tasmania ...	294,241	4,613	
New Zealand ...	3,622	68	
United Kingdom...	179,072	3,704	
New Caledonia ...	216	4	
United States ...	225	5	
	1,148,797	19,158	1d. ℔ lb. to 30 June, 4d. ℔ lb. from 1 July, 1898.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Jewellery and Precious Stones.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	140	9,493	
Queensland ...	32	5,740	
South Australia..	77	9,228	
West'n Australia	3	129	
Tasmania ...	6	132	
New Zealand ...	12	346	
United Kingdom...	1,803	126,185	
Canadian Dominion	2	39	
Ceylon	5	13	
India	1	34	
New Guinea ...	3	245	
Austria	2	120	
China	7	34	
France	11	220	
Germany	58	1,176	
Japan	1	26	
Switzerland ...	2	65	
United States ...	113	4,501	
	2,278	157,726	Free.
Kapok.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,757	2,537	
Queensland ...	50	90	
South Australia..	323	689	
United Kingdom...	5	26	
India	1,569	2,632	
Straits Settlements	290	616	
Java	7,807	13,506	
	11,801	20,096	Free.
Lampware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	237	1,291	
Queensland ...	25	117	
South Australia..	212	796	
Tasmania ...	5	48	
New Zealand ...	6	30	
United Kingdom...	687	6,571	
Canadian Dominion	1	5	
Fiji	4	34	
India	2	15	
Belgium	5	36	
China	3	5	
Egypt	1	3	
France	2	19	
Germany	821	4,425	
Italy	2	30	
Japan	5	11	
New Caledonia ...	2	2	
South Sea Islands..	1	2	
Sweden	2	3	
United States ...	2,714	6,576	
	4,737	20,019	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Lard.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	24,387	269	
Queensland ...	218,962	3,122	
South Australia..	9,919	205	
New Zealand ...	4,726	91	
United Kingdom...	260	5	
Fiji	288	5	
Turkey	168	2	
United States ...	77,535	1,100	
	336,245	4,799	Free.
Lead.			
Pig.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	46,505	26,820	
New Zealand ...	80	48	
United Kingdom...	261	198	
	46,846	27,066	Free.
Sheet and Roll.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	364	312	
South Australia..	131	147	
United Kingdom...	305	218	
Germany	18	20	
	818	697	Free.
Pipes.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	6	6	
South Australia	20	47	
United Kingdom...	26	31	
	52	84	Free.
Old.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria... ...	38	24	
New Zealand ...	20	11	
Fiji	10	8	
New Caledonia ...	15	9	
	83	52	Free.
Leather.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,332	24,473	
Queensland ...	273	2,566	
South Australia	343	2,566	
West'n Australia	1	52	
Tasmania ...	76	1,471	
New Zealand ...	218	7,642	
United Kingdom...	361	12,503	
India	1	14	
Straits Settlements	1	16	
France	28	1,641	
Germany	120	6,219	
Japan	1	4	
New Caledonia ...	1	6	
United States ...	779	39,175	
	3,535	98,348	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Lime.			
Australasia—	tons.	£	
Victoria ...	168	370	
Queensland ...	56	115	
South Australia	14	56	
New Zealand ...	13	26	
	251	567	Free.
Limejuice.			
In Bulk.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	1,300	173	
Queensland ...	251	31	
South Australia	905	139	
New Zealand ...	4,740	276	
United Kingdom...	4,242	320	
	11,438	939	Free.
In Bottle.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	375	96	
South Australia	96	37	
United Kingdom...	1,924	675	
	2,395	808	Free.
Linseed.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	308	189	
South Australia	51	60	
New Zealand ...	62	35	
United Kingdom...	2	2	
India	6,461	2,002	
	6,884	2,288	Free.
Macaroni and Vermicelli.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	3,485	83	
South Australia..	4,703	94	
United Kingdom...	26,437	401	
Hong Kong ...	3,788	50	
China	5,506	96	
France	12,880	230	
Germany	1,064	25	
Italy	126,742	1,918	
	184,605	2,897	Free.
Machinery.			
Agricultural.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,344	47,631	
Queensland ...	50	689	
South Australia..	900	24,204	
West'n Australia	42	532	
Tasmania ...	1	40	
New Zealand ...	2,192	7,027	
United Kingdom...	1,117	10,453	
Canadian Dominion	4,282	11,865	
France	2	85	
United States ...	6,828	27,619	
	17,758	130,145	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Machinery—*continued.*			
Electrical.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	15	253	
Queensland ...	4	82	
South Australia..	13	336	
Tasmania ...	9	128	
United Kingdom...	279	8,927	
Belgium	17	169	
Germany	5	105	
United States ...	955	40,714	
	1,297	50,714	Free.
Engines—Portable.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	10	1,209	
South Australia..	5	915	
United Kingdom...	29	530	
	44	2,654	Free.
Engines—Steam.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	29	1,846	
South Australia..	3	80	
United Kingdom...	141	3,648	
Fiji	4	230	
United States ...	50	1,614	
	227	7,418	Free.
Engines—Boilers.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	168	1,708	
Queensland ...	4	410	
South Australia..	583	4,670	
United Kingdom...	473	9,515	
United States ...	66	256	
	1,294	16,559	Free.
Engines—Parts.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	5	52	
United Kingdom...	73	457	
	78	509	Free.
Engine Packing.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	59	546	
Queensland ...	1	9	
South Australia..	187	1,222	
New Zealand ...	1	3	
United Kingdom...	402	10,956	
Canadian Dominion	45	80	
Germany	23	247	
Italy	3	24	
United States ...	119	1,290	
	840	14,377	Free.
Machinery—*continued.*			
Weighing Machines.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	19	117	
Queensland ...	4	30	
South Australia..	56	312	
United Kingdom...	386	2,539	
	465	2,998	Free.
Machinery—Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	7,796	53,588	
Queensland ...	1,339	7,716	
South Australia..	5,900	47,060	
West'n Australia	41	344	
Tasmania ...	92	773	
New Zealand ...	614	4,754	
United Kingdom...	9,669	146,003	
Canadian Dominion	12	51	
Ceylon	1	18	
Fiji	506	1,014	
Hong Kong ...	3	67	
Belgium	13	183	
Denmark	7	46	
France	17	933	
Germany	388	9,388	
Italy	9	50	
New Caledonia ...	9	76	
New Hebrides ...	3	24	
Norway	15	182	
South Sea Islands..	3	131	
Sweden	1,457	24,723	
United States ...	7,128	93,585	
	35,022	390,709	Free.
Malt.			
Australasia—	bshl.		
Victoria ...	67,156	17,274	
Queensland ...	10,801	2,913	
South Australia..	16,615	6,096	
Tasmania ...	4,447	1,142	
New Zealand ...	98,574	24,959	
United Kingdom...	248,220	71,667	
United States ...	2,359	483	
	448,172	124,534	Free.
Manganese Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	701	151	
South Australia..	110	12	
New Zealand ...	500	100	
	1,311	263	Free.
Manures.			
Bone-dust.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	140	28	
Queensland ...	99,180	13,459	
New Zealand ...	40	8	
New Caledonia ...	7,000	1,075	
	106,360	14,570	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Manures—*continued.*			
Guano.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	80	5	
South Australia..	200	9	
United Kingdom...	200	100	
New Caledonia ...	6,760	860	
Peru	300	195	
	7,540	1,169	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	880	181	
Queensland ...	24,980	4,232	
New Zealand ...	540	128	
United Kingdom...	360	125	
Hong Kong ...	20	2	
Belgium	700	187	
Germany	7,900	1,731	
New Caledonia ...	60	13	
	35,440	6,599	Free.
Marble (exclusive of Statuary and Monuments).			
Wrought—Mantel-pieces.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	4	12	
Queensland ...	1	7	
Belgium	24	131	
Germany	8	29	
	37	179	Free.
Wrought—Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	82	345	
South Australia..	10	38	
United Kingdom...	383	1,148	
Belgium	65	324	
Germany	64	508	
Italy	1,204	4,794	
	1,808	7,157	Free.
Unwrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	170	168	
New Zealand ...	1	1	
United Kingdom...	1,632	689	
Belgium	412	54	
Germany	2,272	759	
Italy	9,832	6,657	
United States ...	154	305	
	14,473	8,633	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Matches and Vestas.			
Wax.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,167	1,914	
Queensland ...	77	261	
South Australia	935	1,766	
New Zealand ...	8	68	
United Kingdom...	21,400	30,130	
Belgium	617	646	
Germany	1,733	2,159	
Italy	9,380	13,054	
Japan	723	873	
United States ...	1	1	
	36,041	50,872	Free.
Wooden.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	42	66	
Queensland ...	5	15	
South Australia	162	591	
United Kingdom...	336	1,053	
Hong Kong ...	50	200	
Belgium	80	143	
Germany	694	2,121	
Japan	55	109	
South Sea Islands..	1	5	
Sweden	286	1,052	
United States ...	5	35	
	1,716	5,390	Free.
Mats and Matting.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	164	1,295	
Queensland ...	2	17	
South Australia	58	184	
New Zealand ...	17	475	
United Kingdom...	198	2,257	
Cape Colony ...	2	2	
Fiji	5	7	
Hong Kong ...	121	124	
India	951	2,364	
Straits Settlements	1	6	
Belgium	20	29	
China	575	519	
Germany	14	175	
Japan	1,171	1,680	
United States ...	57	181	
	3,356	9,315	Free.
Mattresses.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	609	537	
South Australia	722	556	
New Zealand ...	1	2	
United Kingdom...	64	180	
Germany	2	8	
	1,398	1,283	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Meat.			
Bacon and Ham.	lb.	£	
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	131,990	4,055	
Queensland ...	809,290	15,545	
South Australia..	78,536	2,895	
West'n Australia	4,800	60	
Tasmania ...	140	3	
New Zealand ...	95,480	3,178	
United Kingdom...	219,483	8,112	
Canadian Dominion	400	6	
Hong Kong ...	160	4	
China	1,125	32	
Denmark	144	10	
Germany	74	4	
New Caledonia ...	196	5	
United States ...	100,717	3,948	
	1,442,535	37,857	Free.
Extract of Beef.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	407	151	
Queensland ...	268,674	37,800	
South Australia	873	192	
United Kingdom...	11,042	3,262	
France	580	100	
Germany	18	22	
United States ...	72	16	
	281,666	41,543	Free.
Fresh.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	423	484	
Queensland ...	155	160	
South Australia	393	823	
	971	1,467	Free.
Frozen Beef.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	767	415	Free.
Frozen Mutton.	cwt.		
United Kingdom...	12	6	Free.
Game.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	47	75	
New Zealand ...	2	6	
United Kingdom...	25	70	
	74	151	Free.
Meat—*continued.*			
Preserved Meat.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	73,445	1,783	
Queensland ...	1,824,046	26,430	
South Australia..	44,663	1,374	
Tasmania ...	1,294	53	
New Zealand ...	109,107	3,219	
United Kingdom...	62,941	2,810	
Fiji	2,976	56	
Hong Kong ...	11,311	500	
China	20,986	739	
France	757	78	
Germany	964	65	
Italy	2,242	96	
New Caledonia ...	720	11	
South Sea Islands..	1,344	25	
United States ...	47,769	2,400	
	2,204,565	39,639	Free.
Salt Beef.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	3,451	2,626	
New Zealand ...	97	80	
New Caledonia ...	6	4	
South Sea Islands..	6	6	
United States ...	4	5	
	3,564	2,721	Free.
Salt Pork.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	389	778	
New Zealand ...	9	14	
United Kingdom...	6	11	
United States ...	187	268	
	591	1,071	Free.
Metal.			
Old.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	10	10	
New Zealand ...	32	24	
Fiji	44	57	
New Caledonia ...	62	50	
New Hebrides ...	47	28	
South Sea Islands	75	111	
	270	280	Free.
Military Stores (not otherwise specified).	pkg.		
United Kingdom...	451	12,562	Free.
Milk.			
Fresh.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	15,896	795	
South Australia..	27,255	1,373	
	43,151	2,168	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Milk—*continued.*			
Condensed and Preserved.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	53,747	1,186	
Queensland ...	5,072	110	
South Australia..	383,216	8,987	
Tasmania ...	384	9	
New Zealand ...	138,268	2,309	
United Kingdom...	1,796,346	34,049	
Belgium	24,000	420	
Denmark	240	5	
Germany	60,658	998	
Italy	4,320	94	
Netherlands ...	24,480	288	
Norway	854,035	16,885	
Switzerland ...	282,336	5,689	
United States ...	1,440	29	
	3,628,542	71,058	Free.
Milk Foods.			
(See Farinaceous and Milk Foods.)			
Millinery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	245	3,808	
Queensland ...	25	314	
South Australia..	80	892	
New Zealand ...	2	37	
United Kingdom...	1,780	48,392	
Cape Colony ...	1	5	
Austria	1	10	
France	125	4,896	
Germany	62	1,819	
New Caledonia ...	2	20	
United States ...	2	13	
	2,325	60,206	Free.
Mineral Wool.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	80	54	
United Kingdom...	14	10	
	94	64	Free.
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	152	193	
New Zealand ...	298	69	
United Kingdom...	417	1,056	
	867	1,318	Free.
Mineral Waters.			
(See Aerated and Mineral Waters.)			

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty
Molasses.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	1,472	1,470	
Queensland ...	5,065	3,660	2s. 8d. ℔ cwt. to 30 June, 2s. ℔ cwt. from 1 July, 1898.
South Australia..	889	1,020	
United Kingdom...	15	19	
	7,441	6,169	
Mustard.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	60,353	2,123	
Queensland ...	72	4	
South Australia..	13,355	895	
United Kingdom...	229,262	12,594	
France	3,140	49	
Germany	2,921	42	
Italy	450	12	
United States ...	180	3	
	309,733	15,722	Free.
Naphtha.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	837	127	
South Australia..	158	33	
New Zealand ...	50	16	
United Kingdom...	3,425	540	
Germany ...	3,172	678	
United States ...	3,829	233	
	11,471	1,627	Free.
Nickel Ore.	cwt.		
New Caledonia ...	15,520	1,515	Free.
Oakum.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	6	10	
Queensland ...	220	6	
South Australia..	50	40	
United Kingdom...	2,225	1,871	
	2,501	1,927	Free.
Oars.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	72	60	
Queensland ...	2	1	
South Australia..	42	13	
Fiji	4	2	
United States ...	8,315	1,116	
	8,435	1,192	Free.
Oilcake.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	9	4	
United Kingdom...	10	4	
India	98	30	
	117	38	Free.
Oilcloth.			
(See Floorcloth and Oilcloth.)			

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Oilmen's Stores* (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,995	3,291	
Queensland ...	65	207	
South Australia..	522	1,264	
Tasmania ...	136	119	
New Zealand ...	88	137	
United Kingdom...	9,744	15,444	
Ceylon	1,485	2,620	
Fiji	8	12	
Hong Kong ...	14	3	
India	752	2,907	
Straits Settlements	1	1	
Belgium	5	3	
Egypt	5	7	
France	40	51	
Germany	394	1,022	
Italy	34	57	
Japan	15	30	
New Caledonia ...	1	1	
Philippine Islands..	1	3	
South Sea Islands..	5	20	
Turkey	7	21	
United States ...	105	152	
	15,422	27,372	Free.
Oils (in bulk).			
Black.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	971	138	
New Zealand ...	4,482	325	
United Kingdom..	291	25	
Norfolk Island ...	762	54	
United States ...	7,315	754	
	13,821	1,296	
Castor.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	5,040	723	
South Australia..	17,181	2,664	
United Kingdom...	509	68	
India	269,432	30,996	
France	385	45	
Germany	216	27	
Italy	170	20	
	292,933	34,543	Free.
China.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	581	87	
Queensland ...	35	5	
South Australia..	80	14	
Hong Kong ...	36,680	3,672	
China	37,805	3,784	
	75,181	7,562	Free.
Cocoanut.†			
Australasia—	cwt.		
South Australia..	50	89	Free.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*			
Colza.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	41	2	
South Australia..	600	96	
United Kingdom...	16,188	1,687	
	16,829	1,785	Free.
Cotton Seed.	gal.		
United Kingdom...	2,664	184	
United States ...	45,848	3,972	
	48,512	4,156	Free.
Kerosene.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	136,369	5,193	
Queensland ...	1,664	120	
South Australia..	82,617	4,747	
United States ...	3,405,232	102,678	
	3,625,882	112,738	Free.
Linseed.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	13,929	1,646	
Queensland ...	110	28	
South Australia..	3,912	523	
United Kingdom...	257,112	22,986	
India	24,975	2,499	
United States ...	800	82	
	300,838	27,764	Free.
Olive.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	369	76	
South Australia..	311	102	
United Kingdom...	574	184	
Egypt	224	31	
France	2,808	547	
Germany	288	64	
Italy	1,103	261	
Spain	40	4	
Turkey	72	9	
United States ...	130	16	
	5,919	1,294	Free.
Palm.	gal.		
United Kingdom...	3,093	280	
Germany	90	13	
Italy	211	24	
	3,394	317	Free.
Petroleum.	gal.		
United Kingdom...	125	4	
United States ...	800	50	
	925	54	Free.

* Includes curry powder, desiccated cocoanut, &c.
† At ordinary temperature cocoanut oil is solid, and is sold by weight.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*			
Sperm.	gal.	£	
United Kingdom...	92	14	Free.
Other Oils.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	134,552	10,845	
Queensland ...	10,017	922	
South Australia..	35,495	3,997	
Tasmania ...	80	33	
New Zealand ...	1,200	231	
United Kingdom...	123,922	9,560	
Canadian Dominion	113	6	
Fiji	8	2	
Hong Kong ...	7,810	997	
Newfoundland ...	4,146	353	
China	10,183	1,358	
Germany	10,879	1,111	
Japan	33,176	1,796	
Russia	2,700	115	
United States ...	318,623	16,094	
	692,904	47,420	Free.
Oils (in bottle).			
Castor.	doz. bott.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	486	118	
South Australia	588	101	
United Kingdom...	13,444	1,649	
United States ...	12	6	
	14,530	1,874	Free.
Salad.	doz. bott.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	739	190	
South Australia	1,461	369	
United Kingdom...	10,651	3,519	
France	4	2	
	12,855	4,080	Free.
Other Oils.	doz. bott.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	927	283	
South Australia..	1,560	581	
New Zealand ...	12	6	
United Kingdom...	1,283	676	
Hong Kong ...	13	6	
China	74	4	
France	448	139	
Germany	168	12	
United States ...	6,879	474	
	11,364	2,181	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Onions.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	48,152	13,430	
Queensland ...	192	91	
South Australia..	4,107	2,075	
Tasmania ...	397	210	
New Zealand ...	29,798	12,412	
Canadian Dominion	200	70	
Fiji	15	5	
India	18	4	
Malta	505	334	
Norfolk Island ...	417	110	
Straits Settlements	480	175	
Italy	1,174	828	
Japan	1,801	964	
United States ...	19,252	11,971	
	106,508	42,679	Free.
Opium.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	388	793	
Queensland ...	823	1,470	
South Australia..	1	1	
United Kingdom...	694	347	
Hong Kong ...	12,972	22,250	
China	48	90	
Germany	16	15	
Macao	1,748	3,190	
	16,690	28,156	20s. ℔ lb.
Ores (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	1,106	706	
South Australia..	19	200	
Tasmania ...	1,002	386	
New Zealand ...	523	338	
Java	1	1	
	2,651	1,631	Free.
Oysters (Fresh).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	30	30	
Queensland ...	550	537	
South Australia..	282	676	
Tasmania ...	12	8	
New Zealand ...	6,236	4,071	
	7,110	5,322	Free.
Paints and Colours.			
Paints—Mixed for use.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,750	2,656	
Queensland ...	54	70	
South Australia..	434	828	
Tasmania ...	5	5	
New Zealand ...	41	45	
United Kingdom...	59,711	71,018	
Canadian Dominion	165	360	
France	645	2,816	
Germany	653	1,234	
Japan	1	2	
United States ...	1,313	4,184	
	64,772	83,218	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Paints and Colours—*continued.*			
Paints—Dry.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	1,553	905	
South Australia..	100	164	
Tasmania ...	1	4	
New Zealand ...	5	3	
United Kingdom...	9,687	7,847	
China	41	450	
Germany	606	1,411	
United States ...	411	477	
	12,404	11,261	Free.
Kalsomine.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	13	15	
South Australia..	6	17	
United Kingdom...	125	100	
United States ...	1,125	1,721	
	1,269	1,853	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	295	384	
Queensland ...	8	16	
South Australia..	553	902	
United Kingdom...	40	42	
	896	1,344	Free.
Painters' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	79	217	
Queensland ...	1	7	
South Australia	20	44	
New Zealand ...	27,772	3,913	
United Kingdom...	2,147	2,316	
Canadian Dominion	1	16	
India	85	460	
Straits Settlements.	16	111	
Germany	207	971	
Italy	13	18	
Norway	3	14	
South Sea Islands	2	8	
United States ...	94	471	
	30,440	8,566	Free.
Paper, Books, &c.			
Bags (Plain).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	278	498	
Queensland ...	139	135	
South Australia..	388	633	
New Zealand ...	3	2	
United Kingdom...	5,581	4,596	
Belgium	30	31	
Germany	20	103	
United States ...	3,318	3,703	
	9,757	9,701	Free.
Bags (Printed).			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	8	64	
South Australia.	17	40	
United Kingdom...	309	1,157	
Germany	8	189	
	342	1,450	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*			
Brown and Wrapping.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	478	588	
Queensland ...	44	64	
South Australia	502	535	
New Zealand ...	83	66	
United Kingdom...	12,200	9,761	
Canadian Dominion	30	27	
Belgium	731	805	
China	17	19	
France	39	250	
Germany	12,839	11,985	
Italy	5	20	
Sweden	259	267	
United States ...	524	428	
	27,751	24,815	Free.
Circulars and Advertising Matter.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	528	2,888	
Queensland ...	33	105	
South Australia..	115	374	
Tasmania ...	6	7	
New Zealand ...	39	222	
United Kingdom...	2,706	12,862	
Canadian Dominion	47	295	
Cape Colony ...	1	8	
Ceylon	5	50	
India	3	22	
Austria	3	233	
Belgium	4	9	
China	2	10	
France	24	202	
Germany	98	983	
Italy	9	65	
Japan	3	20	
United States ...	366	2,813	
	3,992	21,168	Free.
Printing and News-paper.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	401	1,984	
Queensland ...	474	646	
South Australia..	265	1,827	
Tasmania ...	1	5	
West'n Australia	20	81	
New Zealand ...	15	124	
United Kingdom...	12,315	65,019	
Canadian Dominion	50	205	
Belgium	109	571	
France	3	45	
Germany	1,196	5,479	
Italy	7	68	
Japan	1	42	
Sweden	54	240	
United States ...	20,259	77,660	
	35,170	153,996	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*			
Waste Paper.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	90	7	
South Australia..	57	37	
United Kingdom...	1	4	
	148	48	Free.
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	198	1,142	
Queensland ...	2	15	
South Australia	79	403	
New Zealand ...	8	66	
United Kingdom...	3,660	30,614	
Canadian Dominion	1	40	
Belgium	34	167	
China	9	11	
France	2	22	
Germany	55	569	
Italy	5	54	
Japan	4	76	
United States ...	207	1,341	
	4,264	34,520	Free.
Books & Periodicals.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,823	23,920	
Queensland ...	121	1,204	
South Australia	331	1,652	
West'n Australia	13	210	
Tasmania ...	37	343	
New Zealand ...	117	1,374	
United Kingdom...	7,357	110,542	
Canadian Dominion	8	82	
Ceylon	5	46	
Fiji	3	42	
Hong Kong ...	16	51	
India	13	109	
Norfolk Island ...	3	4	
Belgium	6	88	
China	33	87	
France	37	380	
Germany	94	1,392	
Italy	4	26	
Netherlands ...	1	72	
South Sea Islands..	7	13	
United States ...	790	9,686	
	10,819	151,323	Free.
Paperhangings.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	196	801	
Queensland ...	204	1,167	
United Kingdom...	2,879	15,481	
Japan	9	109	
United States ...	15	75	
	3,303	17,633	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Pearlshell.	cwt.	£	
Fiji	109	486	
New Guinea ...	1,138	3,845	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)...	18	50	
New Caledonia ...	297	450	
New Hebrides ...	30	19	
South Sea Islands...	183	696	
	1,775	5,546	Free.
Pepper.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	27,626	864	
Queensland ...	532	25	
South Australia..	14,970	600	
Tasmania ...	224	10	
United Kingdom...	1,796	119	
India	108,758	2,780	
Straits Settlements	139,219	3,654	
France	112	8	
	293,237	8,060	Free.
Perambulators.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	167	278	
Queensland ...	2	2	
South Australia..	73	501	
New Zealand ...	4	22	
United Kingdom...	107	701	
United States ...	45	346	
	398	1,850	Free.
Personal Effects.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3,739	13,058	
Queensland ...	668	2,739	
South Australia..	3,005	4,544	
West'n Australia	102	420	
Tasmania ...	138	463	
New Zealand ...	425	1,827	
United Kingdom...	131	1,366	
Canadian Dominion	2	12	
Cape Colony ...	1	1	
Ceylon	1	50	
Fiji	7	26	
Hong Kong ...	4	30	
India	29	46	
Natal	3	11	
Norfolk Island ..	2	2	
China	1	10	
Egypt	7	12	
France	6	22	
Germany	20	73	
Hawaiian Islands	5	15	
Japan	3	26	
New Caledonia ...	39	183	
New Hebrides ...	21	82	
South Sea Islands	13	14	
United States ...	20	158	
	8,392	25,190	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Phormium Tenax. (See Flax and Hemp.)			
Photographic Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	708	5,035	
Queensland ...	39	288	
South Australia..	105	586	
Tasmania ...	5	40	
New Zealand ...	7	68	
United Kingdom...	1,270	15,676	
Fiji	5	22	
India	1	5	
New Guinea ...	1	35	
France	26	233	
Germany	515	5,427	
Italy	4	141	
New Caledonia ...	1	2	
Switzerland ..	9	126	
United States ...	199	1,853	
	2,895	29,537	Free.
Pickles and Sauces.			
Australasia—	doz. bott.		
Victoria ...	7,288	2,387	
Queensland ...	1,965	246	
South Australia..	15,269	4,783	
West'n Australia	200	100	
Tasmania ...	876	225	
New Zealand ...	41	21	
United Kingdom...	119,425	36,106	
Hong Kong ...	2,065	690	
India	2,015	407	
Straits Settlements	5	8	
China	2,873	1,120	
France	80	10	
Italy	148	39	
United States ...	1,798	635	
	154,048	46,777	Free.
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	298	1,930	
Queensland ...	90	425	
South Australia..	136	1,307	
West'n Australia	1	7	
Tasmania ...	33	361	
New Zealand ...	26	1,755	
United Kingdom...	206	16,966	
Canadian Dominion	2	5	
Ceylon	2	2	
India	2	10	
China	3	11	
France	7	87	
Germany	34	327	
Italy	7	770	
Japan	2	5	
United States ...	68	514	
	917	24,482	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Picture Frames and Mouldings.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	52	182	
Queensland ...	9	41	
South Australia..	88	293	
United Kingdom...	49	946	
India	2	5	
Belgium	7	260	
France	4	42	
Germany	300	7,576	
Italy	1	19	
United States ...	229	2,361	
	741	11,725	Free.
Pitch and Tar.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	448	369	
Queensland ...	20	24	
South Australia..	711	327	
New Zealand ...	7	10	
United Kingdom...	2,764	2,686	
New Caledonia ...	99	57	
United States ...	2	5	
	4,051	3,478	Free.
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	987	2,179	
Queensland ...	55	76	
South Australia..	158	298	
Tasmania ...	253	100	
New Zealand ...	55	188	
United Kingdom...	62	937	
Fiji	23	8	
Hong Kong ...	6	6	
India	2	10	
Natal	2	10	
New Guinea ...	33	496	
Norfolk Island ...	12	9	
China	15	23	
France	55	710	
Germany	7	39	
Italy	2	26	
Japan	50	127	
Netherlands ...	10	40	
New Hebrides ...	11	16	
South Sea Islands...	52	502	
United States ...	10	50	
	1,860	5,850	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Plaster and Plaster of Paris.			
Australasia—	barrels.	£	
Victoria ...	43	35	
South Australia..	29	31	
United Kingdom...	62	142	
Canadian Dominion	550	250	
Germany	149	77	
Italy	15	20	
United States ...	3,925	1,701	
	4,773	2,256	Free.
Plate and Plated Ware.			
Silver.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	226	5,593	
Queensland ...	63	2,188	
South Australia..	73	1,924	
West'n Australia	7	212	
New Zealand ...	19	821	
United Kingdom...	1,444	69,185	
Canadian Dominion	8	74	
Ceylon	1	10	
Hong Kong ...	4	37	
China	4	29	
France	7	129	
Germany	42	612	
Italy	1	5	
United States ...	1,031	9,621	
	2,930	90,440	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	63	598	
Queensland ...	8	10	
South Australia..	99	969	
United Kingdom...	17	436	
Germany	1	20	
	188	2,033	Free.
Playing Cards.			
Australasia—	doz. pks.		
Victoria ...	312	51	
South Australia..	200	52	
West'n Australia	60	10	
United Kingdom...	117	35	
Belgium	672	105	
Germany	300	25	
South Sea Islands..	5	1	
United States ...	12,784	1,890	
	14,450	2,169	Free.
Porcelain.			
(See Chinaware and Porcelain)			

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	153	920	
South Australia..	64	467	
United Kingdom...	454	5,833	
China	51	69	
France	1	9	
Germany	9	322	
Italy	5	20	
United States ...	426	761	
	1,163	8,401	Free.
Potatoes.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	55,254	19,086	
Queensland ...	5,224	1,902	
South Australia..	36,381	18,739	
Tasmania ...	228,913	66,990	
New Zealand ...	320,525	109,376	
Fiji	160	56	
Norfolk Island ...	42	20	
Japan	40	12	
United States ...	349	152	
	646,888	216,333	Free.
Poultry (Live).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	182	253	
Queensland ...	28	36	
South Australia..	1,573	1,588	
Tasmania ...	1	1	
New Zealand ...	26	102	
United Kingdom...	12	159	
Norfolk Island ...	2	1	
United States ...	11	145	
	1,835	2,285	Free.
Powders.			
Baking, &c.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	47,579	1,872	
South Australia..	64,647	1,834	
New Zealand ...	280	11	
United Kingdom...	34,261	1,670	
Germany	112	14	
New Caledonia ...	210	12	
United States ...	24	1	
	147,113	5,414	Free.
Effervescing.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	70	3	
South Australia..	324	15	
United Kingdom...	25,134	1,140	
	25,528	1,158	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Preserves.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	30,039	625	
Queensland ...	9,156	101	
South Australia..	57,543	784	
West'n Australia	480	5	
Tasmania ...	7,560	101	
New Zealand ...	60	1	
United Kingdom...	17,743	401	
CanadianDominion	19,058	354	
Fiji	48	1	
Hong Kong ...	228,735	4,721	
India	5,150	57	
Straits Settlements	4,992	48	
China	10,391	201	1d. ℔ lb.
France	2,050	60	to 30
Germany	54	2	June,
Italy	426	18	½d. ℔ lb.
United States ...	923,182	10,097	from 1
	1,316,667	17,577	July, 1898.
Printers' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	246	1,592	
Queensland ...	63	252	
South Australia..	97	432	
West'n Australia	2	39	
Tasmania ...	1	5	
New Zealand ...	6	27	
United Kingdom...	2,579	18,547	
Austria	1	15	
France	20	25	
Germany	462	1,722	
United States ...	792	3,557	
	4,269	26,213	Free.
Putty.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	31	29	
South Australia..	51	46	
United Kingdom...	1,951	789	
	2,033	864	Free.
Pyrites.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	100	25	
Tasmania ...	720	305	
	820	330	Free.
Quicksilver.			
Australasia—	bottles.		
Victoria ...	2	11	
Queensland ...	2	18	
South Australia..	15	131	
United Kingdom...	187	1,338	
Spain	263	1,903	
	469	3,401	Free.
Rags.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	147	233	
New Zealand ...	15	5	
	102	238	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Railway and Tramway Plant.			
Locomotive Boilers and Engines.			
	pkg.	£	
United Kingdom...	294	44,895	Free.
Rails.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	82	373	
Queensland ...	9	86	
South Australia..	93	895	
United Kingdom...	5,136	27,352	
Fiji	274	988	
Belgium	111	717	
France	115	1,195	
Germany	216	1,197	
United States ...	4,242	20,574	
	10,278	53,377	Free.
Other Plant.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	70	401	
Queensland ...	5	28	
South Australia..	1,959	1,287	
United Kingdom...	35,628	52,361	
Fiji	84	21	
India	6	41	
Belgium	98	559	
Germany	2,023	1,761	
United States ...	7,230	13,108	
	47,103	69,567	Free.
Resin.			
Australasia—	barrels.		
Victoria ...	84	94	
South Australia..	99	204	
United Kingdom...	1	2	
Germany	3	5	
United States ...	22,864	21,312	
	23,051	21,617	Free.
Rugs.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	131	1,283	
Queensland ...	3	9	
South Australia..	33	320	
Tasmania ...	2	2	
New Zealand ...	43	1,110	
United Kingdom...	827	10,646	
Hong Kong ...	1	7	
Belgium	3	51	
China	5	44	
France	1	24	
Germany	17	267	
Japan	14	133	
United States ...	10	147	
	1,090	14,043	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Saddlers' Ware.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria... ...	442	2,299	
Queensland ...	15	100	
South Australia..	164	1,313	
New Zealand ...	2	11	
United Kingdom...	2,069	31,131	
Canadian Dominion	7	72	
India	1	5	
France	6	28	
Germany	116	3,321	
Italy	58	539	
New Caledonia ...	2	7	
United States ...	395	1,840	
	3,277	40,666	Free.
Saddles and Harness.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	967	4,338	
Queensland ...	43	271	
South Australia..	235	1,758	
West'n Australia	14	208	
Tasmania ...	3	10	
New Zealand ...	23	494	
United Kingdom...	609	15,223	
Fiji	3	13	
India	1	6	
Germany	3	85	
South Sea Islands..	1	4	
United States ...	142	1,828	
	2,044	24,238	Free.
Safes and Doors (Iron and Steel).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	42	460	
Queensland ...	2	131	
South Australia..	18	200	
West'n Australia	1	30	
Tasmania ...	1	40	
United Kingdom...	327	7,435	
Germany	2	11	
	393	8,307	Free.
Sago.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria... ...	51,887	349	
Queensland ...	191	7	
South Australia..	46,769	317	
India	59,349	198	
Straits Settlements	31,070	108	
China	140	1	
	189,406	980	Free.
Salt.			
In Bottle—(Table).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	28	31	
South Australia..	4	4	
United Kingdom...	1,739	755	
United States ...	5	2	
	1,776	792	Free.
In Bags.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	31,823	3,625	
Queensland ...	1,586	335	
South Australia..	349,714	20,622	
United Kingdom...	223,936	18,536	
Germany	2,800	268	
Réunion	10	1	
United States ...	200	36	
	610,069	43,423	Free.
Rock.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	7,051	956	
Queensland ...	589	103	
South Australia..	4,119	915	
United Kingdom...	113,766	6,721	
Germany	44,691	3,149	
	170,216	11,844	Free.
Saltpetre.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	65	81	
South Australia..	54	93	
United Kingdom...	1,617	1,826	
India	762	505	
Germany	1,056	929	
	3,554	3,434	Free.
Samples (Travellers').			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,753	12,320	
Queensland ...	139	887	
South Australia..	3	15	
Tasmania ...	29	212	
Fiji	20	119	
	1,944	13,553	Various.
Sandalwood.	cwt.		
New Guinea ...	560	280	
New Caledonia ...	4	2	
	564	282	Free.
Sausage Skins, Bladders, &c.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	203	1,252	
Queensland ...	213	1,140	
South Australia	206	789	
New Zealand ...	58	277	
Germany	36	82	
United States ...	1,440	4,840	
	2,156	8,380	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Seeds.			
Garden.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	304	1,228	
Queensland ...	11	34	
South Australia..	6	10	
Tasmania	2	3	
New Zealand ...	333	847	
United Kingdom...	354	2,879	
Canadian Dominion	1	1	
Norfolk Island ...	15	13	
Belgium	1	11	
France	30	599	
Germany	60	810	
Italy	9	126	
New Hebrides ...	11	7	
South Sea Islands..	30	24	
United States ...	217	872	
	1,384	7,464	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,498	2,811	
Queensland ...	397	422	
South Australia..	610	580	
Tasmania ...	23	54	
New Zealand ...	3,727	4,766	
United Kingdom...	1,087	3,302	
Fiji	1	5	
Hong Kong ...	34	48	
India	315	229	
Norfolk Island ...	66	52	
Straits Settlements	20	5	
China	66	79	
France	17	56	
Germany	189	514	
Italy	197	303	
Japan	143	165	
Turkey	630	419	
United States ...	1,368	1,945	
	10,388	15,755	Free.
Semolina.			
(See Tapioca and Semolina.)			
Sewing Machines and parts.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	695	2,602	
Queensland ...	74	366	
South Australia..	264	1,242	
Tasmania ...	18	42	
New Zealand ...	93	263	
United Kingdom...	457	2,225	
Canadian Dominion	77	161	
Germany	776	4,540	
New Caledonia ...	5	16	
United States ...	7,157	18,435	
	9,616	29,892	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Shark Fins.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Tasmania ...	2	6	
Hong Kong ...	1	7	
China	4	26	
Marshall Islands ...	13	73	
South Sea Islands..	142	774	
	162	886	Free.
Sheepwash.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	407	805	
Queensland ...	90	273	
South Australia..	34	63	
West'n Australia	60	195	
New Zealand ...	326	373	
United Kingdom..	3,438	5,005	
Germany	10	3	
United States ...	318	1,052	
	4,683	7,769	Free.
Ship-chandlery.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	71	417	
Queensland ...	11	49	
South Australia..	17	114	
Tasmania ...	2	6	
New Zealand ...	7	14	
United Kingdom...	1,488	13,923	
Fiji	3	7	
Hong Kong ...	59	21	
China	174	41	
France	4	50	
Germany	25	137	
Japan	27	22	
New Caledonia ...	1	1	
South Sea Islands..	134	67	
United States ...	149	817	
	2,172	15,686	Free.
Shoes.			
(See Boots and Shoes.)			
Silks.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	227	4,125	
Queensland ...	12	310	
South Australia..	119	1,619	
United Kingdom ..	683	56,957	
Hong Kong ...	23	606	
India	15	835	
China	141	5,912	
France	131	13,817	
Germany	51	3,392	
Italy	5	130	
Japan	179	11,572	
South Sea Islands.	1	2	
Switzerland ...	8	674	
Turkey	1	150	
United States ...	9	319	
	1,605	100,420	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Silver.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	oz.	£	
South Australia..	8,600	996	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	736	388	
South Australia..	2	50	
Tasmania ...	18,219	7,074	
New Zealand ...	16	13	
	18,973	7,525	Free.
Silver Coin.			
(See Coin.)			
Skins and Hides.			
Horse.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria... ...	221	102	
Queensland ...	1,952	627	
South Australia..	12	4	
New Zealand ...	28	8	
	2,213	741	Free.
Cattle.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	9,593	6,055	
Queensland ...	323,796	196,515	
South Australia..	2,728	1,483	
West'n Australia	5,158	3,551	
Tasmania ...	2,410	1,392	
New Zealand ...	13,234	9,042	
Fiji	7	3	
India	80	85	
Norfolk Island ...	125	86	
Germany	150	175	
New Caledonia ...	8,394	6,281	
New Hebrides ...	15	5	
	365,690	224,673	Free.
Kangaroo.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	54	1,786	
Queensland ...	2,351	26,530	
South Australia..	63	2,630	
West'n Australia	94	4,338	
Tasmania ...	10	74	
	2,572	35,358	Free.
Other Marsupial.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	90	625	
Queensland ...	753	8,418	
South Australia..	14	352	
Tasmania ...	24	164	
	881	9,559	Free.
Rabbit.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria... ...	5	40	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Skins and Hides—*continued.*			
Sheep (with Wool).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	642	4,909	
Queensland ...	6,781	50,929	
South Australia..	213	2,367	
West'n Australia	162	1,288	
Tasmania ...	582	2,869	
New Zealand ...	112	681	
Fiji	1	5	
New Caledonia ...	68	404	
	8,561	63,452	Free.
Sheep (without Wool).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	111	1,352	
New Zealand ...	38	574	
United States ...	5	100	
	154	2,026	Free.
All other kinds.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	39	662	
Queensland ...	263	626	
South Australia..	9	190	
West'n Australia	20	232	
New Zealand ...	7	22	
United Kingdom...	2	190	
India	1	5	
Hawaiian Islands...	1	4	
Japan	6	4	
New Caledonia ...	15	18	
United States ...	1	1	
	364	1,954	Free.
Slates.			
Roofing.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria... ...	12,100	156	
Queensland ...	8,838	35	
South Australia..	550	13	
United Kingdom...	961,950	11,695	
United States ...	910,433	6,149	
	1,893,871	18,048	Free.
Slabs.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria... ...	840	369	
South Australia..	51	27	
United Kingdom...	700	742	
Italy	1,691	1,071	
Portugal	200	277	
	3,482	2,486	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Soap.			
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria... ...	75,102	4,945	
Queensland ...	2,293	137	
South Australia..	5,369	525	
Tasmania ...	160	9	
New Zealand ..	392	29	
United Kingdom...	290,068	7,565	
Canadian Dominion	50	5	
France	2,230	141	
Germany	22,078	924	
Japan	62	3	
United States ...	186,457	14,440	
	584,261	28,723	Free.
Common.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria... ...	6,114	5,637	
Queensland ...	112	133	
South Australia..	1,624	1,540	
West'n Australia	67	83	
Tasmania ...	10	10	
New Zealand ...	123	140	
United Kingdom ..	41,351	51,415	
France	16	22	
Germany	79	54	
South Sea Islands..	9	13	
United States ...	1,514	2,451	
	51,019	61,498	Free.
Sodas.			
(See Alkalies.)			
Specimens of Natural History.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3	13	
Queensland ...	24	82	
South Australia..	2	4	
West'n Australia	1	5	
Tasmania ...	2	22	
New Zealand ...	10	72	
United Kingdom...	5	69	
Fiji	3	30	
New Guinea ...	5	17	
Germany	6	51	
New Hebrides ...	1	1	
South Sea Islands..	34	237	
United States ...	2	201	
	98	804	Free.
Spices.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria... ...	19,201	806	
Queensland ...	780	15	
South Australia..	5,495	274	
Tasmania ...	476	3	
United Kingdom...	99,927	1,919	
Ceylon	7,725	194	
Hong Kong ...	2,866	28	
India	24,982	597	
Straits Settlements.	26,747	1,755	
China	4,561	72	
France	600	25	
Germany	18,890	304	
Japan	1,043	25	
United States ...	11,698	161	
	224,991	6,178	Free.
Spirits.			
Brandy.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	34,035	15,777	
Queensland ...	1,547	405	
South Australia..	8,086	4,420	
West'n Australia	362	212	
United Kingdom...	113,965	50,708	
Belgium	3,312	1,273	
Denmark	20	16	
France	41,877	29,459	
Germany	2,917	695	
Italy	80	82	
United States ...	4	2	
	206,205	103,049	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Geneva and Schnapps.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	4,908	2,384	
Queensland ...	2,114	380	
South Australia..	2,268	981	
United Kingdom...	23,706	5,466	
Fiji	38	6	
Hong Kong ...	10	2	
Belgium	57,616	8,564	
Germany	74,014	27,820	
Netherlands ...	4,735	610	14s. ℔ proof gal.
	169,409	46,213	

Proof Spirit.—Alcohol of the specific gravity of 0·92 at 60° Fahr. is proof spirit. The standard of proof spirit by which all mixtures of alcohol and water are judged contains 57·27 per cent. by volume, and 49·50 by weight, of alcohol. Spirits other than bitters, essences, sarsaparilla, tinctures, &c., are subject to a duty of 14s. per gallon of proof spirit; a proportionate reduction in the duty is allowed on spirits to 16·5 under proof, but on spirits of less strength the duty is enforced as at that strength. The returns of spirits given in the general imports and exports are stated according to measure, whereas the quantities shown in the Table of Revenue collected by the Customs Department are gallons of proof spirit.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spirits—*continued.*			
Gin.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	728	319	
South Australia..	1,024	456	
West'n Australia	52	15	
United Kingdom...	14,307	4,021	
Cape Colony ...	2	1	
Belgium	1,803	235	
Germany	100	25	
	18,016	5,072	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Liqueurs.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	159	165	
Queensland ...	18	7	
South Australia..	55	77	
United Kingdom...	361	335	
Hong Kong ...	5,818	2,093	
Austria	144	56	
Belgium	51	37	
China	103	27	
Egypt	9	7	
France	1,422	1,082	
Germany	305	144	
Italy	13	5	
Netherlands ...	13	10	
Turkey	8	2	
United States ...	4	1	
	8,483	4 048	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Rum.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	2,935	453	
Queensland ...	15,098	1,277	
South Australia..	2,542	414	
United Kingdom...	126,100	16,089	
Fiji	11,660	1,080	
France	3,028	1,776	
New Caledonia ...	5	2	
	161,368	21,091	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Whisky.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	31,653	12,469	
Queensland ...	617	278	
South Australia..	16,965	8,104	
West'n Australia	1,304	409	
Tasmania ...	11	4	
New Zealand ...	69	25	
United Kingdom...	560,333	209,641	
Canadian Dominion	701	478	
India	4	1	
Germany	21	6	
South Sea Islands..	12	7	
United States ...	1,241	571	
	612,931	231,993	14s. ℔ proof gal.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spirits—*continued.*			
All other (*Intoxicants*).			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	192	132	
South Australia..	247	71	
United Kingdom...	184	35	
Hong Kong ...	60	22	
Germany	11	9	
United States ...	471	263	
	1,165	532	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Bitters.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	259	363	
South Australia..	249	193	
United Kingdom...	165	252	
Belgium	58	37	
France	41	21	
Germany	12	6	
Italy	256	210	
United States ...	180	269	
	1,220	1,351	Duty at strength
Essences (*Flavouring*).			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	609	1,664	
Queensland ...	4	11	
South Australia..	107	242	
United Kingdom...	3,802	8,663	
Germany	44	57	
United States ...	159	338	
	4,725	10,975	Duty strength.
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	176	888	
Queensland ...	5	31	
South Australia..	77	245	
West'n Australia	4	13	
New Zealand ...	2	5	
United Kingdom...	1,892	7,159	
Canadian Dominion	17	122	
Belgium	50	175	
France	738	2,965	
Germany	553	1,278	
United States ...	434	1,621	
	3,948	14,502	20s. ℔ gal.
Sarsaparilla.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	83	67	
Queensland ...	2	1	
South Australia..	270	354	
United Kingdom...	3	9	
Germany	2	3	
United States ...	1,540	2,148	
	1,900	2,582	Duty at strength.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Spirits—*continued.*			
*Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c.**			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	1,288	2,523	
Queensland ...	40	39	
South Australia..	472	919	
Tasmania ...	4	5	
New Zealand ...	553	1,655	
United Kingdom...	2,583	6,202	
Canadian Dominion	98	124	
Hong Kong ...	2,975	1,308	
China	81	26	
France	91	154	
Germany	827	381	
Italy	3	2	
United States ...	3,952	8,060	
	12,967	21,398	Duty at strength.
Methylated.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	212	34	
Queensland ...	96	9	
South Australia..	176	37	
United Kingdom...	20	2	
Germany	2,283	196	
	2,787	278	1d. ℔ gal.
All other.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	81	80	
South Australia..	8	10	
New Zealand ...	4	6	
United Kingdom...	351	134	
Fiji	66,076	5,577	
Belgium	1,149	100	
Germany	16,919	1,705	
United States ...	411	207	
	84,999	7,819	14s. ℔ proof gal.
Starch and Starch Powders.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	943,453	10,446	
Queensland ...	7,900	84	
South Australia..	57,639	968	
New Zealand ...	400	5	
United Kingdom...	1,418,421	16,004	
Belgium	29,120	222	
France	4,200	90	
Germany	983,400	9,401	
United States ...	13,309	90	
	3,457,842	37,310	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Stationery (Sundries).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	3,323	15,130	
Queensland ...	152	805	
South Australia..	697	3,126	
West'n Australia	29	684	
Tasmania ...	27	132	
New Zealand ...	96	599	
United Kingdom...	12,884	113,390	
Canadian Dominion	67	105	
Fiji	3	10	
Hong Kong ...	20	38	
India	5	25	
Austria	3	28	
Belgium	7	17	
China	27	111	
France	29	96	
Germany	704	3,627	
Italy	3	28	
Japan	9	109	
Netherlands ...	12	30	
South Sea Islands..	1	5	
United States ...	2,800	7,041	
	20,898	145,136	Free.
Statuary and Monuments.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	83	604	
Queensland ...	4	15	
South Australia..	85	209	
New Zealand ...	5	508	
United Kingdom...	99	820	
Belgium	1	10	
France	34	362	
Germany	6	49	
Italy	27	362	
	344	2,939	Free.
Stearine.	lb.		
Belgium	113,544	1,457	½d. ℔ lb.
Stones.			
Building, Wrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	96	159	Free.
Flagging.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	152	101	
South Australia..	871	342	
United Kingdom...	1,633	615	
	2,656	1,058	Free.
Granite, Wrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3	19	
New Zealand ...	3	9	
United Kingdom...	220	990	
	226	1,018	Free.

* Includes all medicines containing spirit.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Stones—*continued.*			
Grindstones.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	110	58	
South Australia..	130	127	
United Kingdom ...	3,859	473	
	4,099	658	Free.
Kerbing.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	2	2	Free.
Other, Wrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	120	84	
South Australia..	25	52	
United Kingdom...	18	13	
	163	149	Free.
Ballast.			
Australasia—	tons.		
Victoria ...	3,785	476	
Queensland ...	420	24	
New Zealand ...	160	8	
Cape Colony ...	250	25	
Mauritius.... ...	3,014	466	
Argentine Republic	870	218	
Brazil	750	75	
Réunion	400	22	
	9,649	1,314	Free.
Building, Unwrought			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,127	1,446	
New Zealand ...	3	9	
	1,130	1,455	Free.
Granite, Unwrought			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	11	9	
United Kingdom...	7	60	
Italy	16	55	
	34	124	Free.
Other, Unwrought.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	3	110	Free.
Straw.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	290	30	
South Australia..	596	118	
Tasmania ...	58,848	6,055	
New Zealand ...	2,060	229	
	61,794	6,432	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Sugar.			
Raw.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	126,317	93,763	
Queensland ...	892,624	533,404	
South Australia..	26,596	23,529	
Tasmania ...	124	56	
New Zealand ...	7,000	3,500	
United Kingdom...	4	3	
Fiji	34,244	19,561	
Hong Kong ...	26,788	18,462	
Mauritius... ...	72,978	48,166	
Belgium	1,496	1,036	4s. ₩ cwt. to 30 June, 3s. ₩ cwt. from 1 July, 1898.
Germany	33,702	23,785	
New Caledonia ...	4	3	
	1,221,877	765,268	
Refined.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	2,647	2,657	
South Australia..	97	125	
New Zealand ...	2	3	
United Kingdom...	519	425	
Hong Kong ...	105	124	
Belgium	50	51	
France	342	298	
Germany	425	414	
United States ...	2	2	
	4,189	4,099	5s. 4d. per cwt. to 30th June, 4s. per cwt. from 1st July, 1898.
Sulphur.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	356	158	
South Australia..	938	600	
New Zealand ...	28,792	3,759	
United Kingdom...	5,998	1,206	
New Guinea ...	12	4	
Belgium	40	16	
Italy	100	35	
New Hebrides ...	30	5	
South Sea Islands..	60	10	
	36,326	5,793	Free.
Tallow.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	208	160	
Queensland ...	174,063	143,890	
South Australia..	64	43	
West'n Australia	333	259	
Tasmania ...	72	31	
New Zealand ...	33,632	28,541	
New Caledonia ...	189	176	
	208,561	173,100	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Tallow Pitch.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	373	287	
South Australia..	16	12	
	389	299	Free.
Tanning Material.			
(See also Bark.)			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,760	1,834	
Queensland ...	5	23	
South Australia..	84	77	
United Kingdom...	1,129	1,232	
India	621	500	
Straits Settlements	783	462	
France	185	453	
Germany	330	325	
Turkey	1,000	825	
United States ...	35	85	
	6,932	5,816	Free.
Tapioca and Semolina.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	245,367	1,142	
Queensland ...	4,808	35	
South Australia .	50,849	337	
United Kingdom...	677	9	
Burmah	56,000	189	
India	924,822	3,472	
Straits Settlements	2,534,496	5,596	
	3,817,019	10,780	Free.
Tarpaulins and Tents.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	182	807	
Queensland ...	3	23	
South Australia..	79	661	
United Kingdom...	35	689	
India	49	513	
France	4	40	
South Sea Islands..	1	23	
	353	2,756	Free.
Tea.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	907,942	32,688	
Queensland ...	22,249	804	
South Australia..	272,212	12,413	
New Zealand ...	6,626	199	
United Kingdom...	2,430	100	
Ceylon	4,393,257	136,875	
Fiji	696	33	
Hong Kong ...	59,093	1,723	
India	2,760,375	73,035	
China	3,660,965	86,819	
Japan	70	2	Free to 2nd Nov., 1d. per lb. from 3rd Nov., 1898.
South Sea Islands..	50	2	
	12,085,965	344,693	

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	267	5,144	
Queensland ...	19	207	
South Australia	96	1,401	
Tasmania ...	63	601	
New Zealand ...	11	47	
United Kingdom...	3,629	44,434	
Fiji	1	9	
Straits Settlements	7	54	
Belgium	118	2,341	
Germany	624	2,847	
Italy	6	287	
New Caledonia ...	2	10	
Sweden	522	6,070	
United States ...	416	3,609	
	5,781	67,061	Free.
Tiles.			
Roofing.			
	No.		
France	393,830	2,768	Free.
Other.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2,589	1,603	
New Zealand ...	1	3	
United Kingdom...	2,629	4,433	
Belgium	108	258	
Germany	83	78	
Italy	353	235	
	5,763	6,610	Free.
Timber.			
Rough.			
Australasia—	Sup. feet		
Victoria ...	1,282,853	7,227	
Queensland ...	523,285	3,565	
South Australia..	15,496,018	97,839	
West'n Australia	1,590	15	
Tasmania ...	1,065,474	4,467	
New Zealand ...	17,253,559	75,923	
United Kingdom...	88,479	952	
Canadian Dominion	3,866,168	11,641	
Hong Kong ...	13,812	277	
India	1,686	63	
Germany	16,000	85	
Japan	25,000	128	
New Hebrides ...	1,063	3	
Norway	116,760	960	
South Sea Islands.	300	2	
United States ...	23,257,061	99,341	
	62,949,099	302,488	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Timber—*continued.*			
Dressed.			
Australasia—	Sup. feet.	£	
Victoria ...	491,003	5,688	
Queensland ...	314	5	
South Australia..	472,805	7,169	
Tasmania ...	2,414	18	
New Zealand ...	1,261,150	5,992	
United Kingdom...	309,696	2,080	
Japan	23,648	149	
Norway	7,091,402	37,991	
United States ...	795,804	6,124	
	10,448,235	65,216	Free.
Doors.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	677	509	
Queensland ...	66	53	
South Australia..	1,386	719	
New Zealand ...	250	89	
United States ...	43,657	18,186	
	46,036	19,556	Free.
Houses.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	8	300	Free.
Laths.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	47,485	84	
South Australia..	33,030	70	
Canadian Dominion	632,690	884	
United States ...	5,532,230	4,713	
	6,245,435	5,751	Free.
Palings.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	33,039	200	
South Australia..	3,035	26	
Tasmania ...	9,000	46	
New Zealand ...	500	4	
	45,574	276	Free.
Piles.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	91	24	Free.
Railway Sleepers.			
Australasia—	No.		
Queensland ...	645	20	Free.
Sashes.			
Australasia—	No.		
Victoria ...	1,884	780	
South Australia..	256	76	
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	24	13	
	2,164	869	Free.
Shingles.	No.		
United States ...	1,179,480	738	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Timber—*continued.*			
Shooks and Staves.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	10,234	3,779	
South Australia..	388	139	
Tasmania ...	23,042	3,534	
New Zealand ...	11,903	2,674	
United Kingdom...	1,322	1,628	
Canadian Dominion	220	415	
China	50	20	
Germany	70	52	
United States ...	947	1,593	
	48,176	13,834	Free.
Shutters.	No.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	6	3	Free.
Tin.			
Ingots.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	35	148	
South Australia..	29	111	
Tasmania ...	9,361	31,990	
	9,425	32,249	Free.
Ore.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Queensland ...	9,882	16,579	
South Australia .	73	157	
West'n Australia	959	1,797	
	10,914	18,533	Free.
Tin Plates.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,168	791	
Queensland ...	253	176	
South Australia..	8	10	
United Kingdom...	111,249	73,635	
	112,678	74,612	Free.
Tinware.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	1,570	1,792	
Queensland ...	2	4	
South Australia..	325	1,453	
United Kingdom...	613	4,314	
Fiji	2	19	
Belgium	1	4	
Germany	153	1,240	
United States ...	516	1,353	
	3,182	10,179	Free.
Tobacco.			
Unmanufactured.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	74,968	3,514	
Queensland ...	504	21	
Tasmania ...	50	2	
New Zealand ...	916	38	
United Kingdom...	248,915	6,038	1s. ℔ lb. if entered for local manufacture, otherwise 3s. ℔ lb.
Turkey	6,113	350	
United States ...	984,032	31,058	
	1,315,498	41,021	

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation.		Rate of Duty.
	Quantity.	Value.	
Tobacco—*continued.*			
Manufactured.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	157,152	11,762	
Queensland ...	3,993	366	
South Australia..	83,373	7,104	
West'n Australia	544	46	
Tasmania ...	162	14	
New Zealand ...	1,660	170	
United Kingdom...	94,201	8,438	
Cape Colony ...	18	2	
Fiji	76	5	
Hong Kong ...	919	51	
France	79	5	
Germany	911	37	
Java	170	10	
New Hebrides ...	60	3	
South Sea Islands	1,304	64	
Turkey	28	7	
United States ...	1,114,836	76,961	
	1,459,486	105,045	3s. ℔ lb.
Cigars.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	7,160	2,881	
Queensland ...	1,413	192	
South Australia..	6,140	2,088	
West'n Australia	280	150	
Tasmania ...	112	20	
New Zealand ...	1,170	343	
United Kingdom...	10,715	8,541	
Cape Colony ...	9	3	
Ceylon	508	113	
Fiji	100	20	
Hong Kong ...	27,546	3,589	
India	536	152	
Straits Settlements	60	21	
Belgium	17,134	4,682	
China	81	39	
Cuba	1,624	1,537	
France	11,787	4,187	
Germany	71,997	20,773	
Italy	53	10	
Japan	97	45	
Mexico	2,953	1,287	
Netherlands ...	99	20	
Philippine Islands	107,270	13,357	
South Sea Islands..	71	12	
Switzerland ...	25,058	9,374	
United States ...	4,790	4,040	
	298,763	77,476	6s. ℔ lb.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation.		Rate of Duty.
	Quantity.	Value.	
Tobacco—*continued.*			
Cigarettes.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	2,086	729	
Queensland ...	540	171	
South Australia..	3,321	1,297	
Tasmania ...	63	20	
New Zealand ...	3,872	922	
United Kingdom...	38,511	10,330	
Aden	3	3	
CanadianDominion	136	21	
Fiji	137	44	
Hong Kong ...	19	7	
Malta	1,315	615	
Egypt	2,234	962	
France	221	33	
Germany	3	1	
South Sea Islands..	20	6	
United States ...	121,392	34,073	
	173,873	49,234	6s. ℔ lb.
Snuff.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	51	12	
South Australia..	69	19	
United Kingdom...	726	114	
United States ...	319	17	
	1,165	162	3s. ℔ lb.
Tobacco Pipes.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	116	891	
Queensland ...	2	12	
South Australia..	141	1,314	
United Kingdom...	557	20,311	
Hong Kong ...	4	13	
Austria	5	69	
Belgium	207	178	
China	3	3	
France	59	2,348	
Germany	397	749	
South Sea Islands..	11	40	
	1,502	25,928	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated).			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	1,736	4,107	
Queensland ...	58	327	
South Australia.	1,475	5,199	
Tasmania ...	7	14	
New Zealand ...	21	144	
United Kingdom...	6,690	35,090	
Fiji	14	69	
Hong Kong ...	3	9	
Belgium	12	215	
China	5	7	
France	14	45	
Germany	430	2,357	
New Caledonia ...	1	15	
South Sea Islands..	5	15	
United States ...	13,368	36,624	
	23,839	84,237	Free.
Tortoise-shell.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Queensland ...	50	32	
Fiji	1,491	703	
New Guinea ...	380	213	
New Caledonia ...	80	4	
New Hebrides ...	36	20	
South Sea Islands..	2,472	1,747	
	4,509	2,719	Free.
Toys.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	219	1,156	
Queensland ...	41	295	
South Australia..	108	1,142	
Tasmania ...	2	58	
New Zealand ...	3	15	
Burmah	1,785	27,839	
Hong Kong ...	12	21	
India	23	157	
Belgium	5	35	
China	81	137	
France	25	363	
Germany	2,435	19,446	
Italy	2	14	
Japan	46	183	
South Sea Islands..	1	2	
United States ...	810	2,544	
	5,598	53,407	Free.

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Turnery and Woodenware.			
Australasia—	pkg.	£	
Victoria ...	2,297	1,540	
Queensland ...	134	117	
South Australia..	1,213	1,000	
New Zealand ...	24	38	
United Kingdom...	412	2,001	
Hong Kong ...	57	83	
Belgium	1	2	
China	134	195	
France	4	44	
Germany	265	1,187	
Japan	36	129	
United States ...	34,565	6,590	
	39,142	12,926	Free.
Turpentine.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	8,367	988	
Queensland ...	2,184	310	
South Australia..	3,183	557	
New Zealand ...	3,128	508	
United Kingdom...	2,451	476	
United States ...	120,832	11,975	
	140,145	14,814	Free.
Type-writing Machines.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ..	57	814	
Queensland ...	46	1,234	
South Australia..	7	121	
Tasmania ...	3	60	
New Zealand ...	4	46	
United Kingdom...	175	2,701	
United States ...	417	5,737	
	709	10,713	Free.
Type-writers' Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	3	13	
Queensland ...	25	95	
South Australia..	1	3	
West'n Australia	2	20	
Tasmania ...	1	10	
United Kingdom...	33	582	
United States ...	125	2,126	
	190	2,849	Free.
Upholstery.			
(See Furniture and Upholstery.)			

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Varnish.			
With Spirit.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	189	92	
South Australia .	71	41	
United Kingdom...	4,862	1,607	
Belgium	211	35	
Germany	445	65	
United States ...	1,062	389	
	6,840	2,229	Free.
Without Spirit.			
Australasia—	gal.		
Victoria ...	3,126	1,553	
Queensland ...	133	53	
South Australia..	1,065	467	
United Kingdom...	50,910	21,979	
Canadian Dominion	623	292	
Belgium	104	93	
Germany	144	71	
United States ...	2,441	964	
	58,546	25,472	Free.
Vegetables.			
Fresh.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	9,139	9,679	
Queensland ...	10,905	3,170	
South Australia..	14,073	10,515	
Tasmania ...	5,892	1,663	
New Zealand ...	6,234	1,236	
Fiji	9	11	
Hong Kong ...	466	341	
China	1,106	527	
Japan	3	10	
New Caledonia ...	10	4	
South Sea Islands..	7	7	
	47,844	27,163	Free.
Preserved and Dried.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	47,034	796	
Queensland ...	2,000	28	
South Australia..	53,282	1,020	
Tasmania ...	4,280	50	
United Kingdom...	85,918	1,199	
Hong Kong ...	15,071	234	
Belgium	50	3	
China	32,646	478	
France	45,962	771	
Germany	7,060	174	
Italy	39,888	331	
Philippine Islands.	4,968	69	
South Sea Islands..	100	3	
United States ...	117,772	1,735	
	456,031	6,891	Free.
Vermicelli. (See Macaroni and Vermicelli.)			

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Vinegar.			
Australasia—	gal.	£	
Victoria ...	12,168	965	
Queensland ...	104	12	
South Australia..	6,113	632	
West'n Australia	30	1	
United Kingdom...	162,545	18,415	
China	15	3	
France	312	46	
Japan	6	1	
	181,293	20,075	Free.
Watches and Clocks.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	213	4,335	
Queensland ...	37	1,123	
South Australia..	148	3,697	
West'n Australia	9	395	
Tasmania ...	12	269	
New Zealand ...	12	615	
United Kingdom...	804	28,690	
Canadian Dominion	3	61	
New Guinea ...	2	6	
Belgium	3	107	
China	2	14	
France	21	554	
Germany	174	2,497	
Hawaiian Islands...	1	58	
South Sea Islands..	1	4	
Switzerland ...	75	3,576	
United States ...	2,275	14,699	
	3,792	60,700	Free.
Watchmakers' Tools and Materials.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	2	114	
Queensland ...	1	4	
Tasmania ..	1	19	
United Kingdom...	56	1,450	
Germany	51	1,911	
Switzerland ...	2	10	
United States ...	4	80	
	117	3,588	
Wax.			
Beeswax.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	102	5	
Queensland ...	2,115	92	
South Australia..	7	1	
New Zealand ...	20	1	
United States ...	3,975	153	
	6,219	252	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Wax—*continued.*			
Paraffine.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	232,952	2,151	
United Kingdom...	120,055	1,374	
India	22,941	275	
United States ...	356,947	3,031	
	732,895	6,831	Free.
Other.	lb.		
United Kingdom...	3,752	29	
China	448	2	
Japan	6,086	87	
United States ...	2,836	38	
	13,122	156	Free.
Whiting and Chalk.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	1,216	262	
Queensland ...	30	7	
South Australia..	868	289	
United Kingdom...	39,546	3,805	
	41,660	4,363	Free.
Wines.			
Sparkling.			
Australasia--	gal.		
Victoria ...	790	1,623	
Queensland ...	108	196	
South Australia..	316	746	
West'n Australia	96	185	
Tasmania ...	8	12	
New Zealand ...	12	24	
United Kingdom...	2,371	4,190	
Belgium	3,363	6,303	
France	8,577	18,273	
Germany	883	1,495	
Italy	56	53	
	16,580	33,100	10s. ℔ gal.
Other.	gal.		
Australasia—			
Victoria ...	3,570	1,340	
Queensland ...	413	159	
South Australia	5,859	2,575	
West'n Australia	302	100	
Tasmania ...	135	49	
United Kingdom...	55,640	16,694	
Canadian Dominion	16	16	
Cape Colony ...	2	1	
Malta	9	7	
Belgium	1,995	757	
Egypt	2	1	
France	8,056	3,578	
Germany	3,472	1,013	
Italy	162	84	
Netherlands ...	220	155	
New Caledonia ...	53	8	
Spain	92	20	
United States ...	23	11	
	80,021	26,568	5s. ℔ gal.
Wool.			
Greasy.			
Australasia—	lb.	£	
Victoria ...	484,893	14,487	
Queensland ...	21,121,776	631,313	
South Australia	2,005,341	58,953	
West'n Australia	30,541	906	
Tasmania ...	1,223,464	36,974	
New Zealand ...	234,679	7,048	
United Kingdom...	476	20	
New Caledonia ...	49,453	1,282	
	25,150,623	750,983	Free.
Scoured and Washed.			
Australasia—	lb.		
Victoria ...	28,228	1,396	
Queensland ...	6,653,839	333,571	
South Australia	32,212	1,609	
Tasmania ...	2,500	125	
New Zealand ...	22,891	1,139	
France	871	65	
	6,740,541	337,905	Free.
Total Wool.—Greasy, Scoured, & Washed	lb. 31,891,164	1,088,888	
Woollen Manufactures—Not otherwise enumerated (See also Blankets).			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	277	6,422	
Queensland ...	48	848	
South Australia..	452	8,531	
Tasmania ...	8	77	
New Zealand ...	131	5,093	
United Kingdom...	8,015	418,206	
Canadian Dominion	16	372	
Fiji	1	5	
France	97	5,998	
Germany	257	13,259	
Italy	2	48	
Japan	11	300	
Netherlands ...	3	55	
Switzerland ...	1	115	
United States ...	11	210	
	9,330	459,539	Free.

No. 13.—Imports into New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries whence Imported.	Importation. Quantity.	Importation. Value.	Rate of Duty.
Woolpacks.			
Australasia—	No.	£	
Victoria ...	96,751	7,875	
South Australia	29,244	2,290	
United Kingdom...	7,200	600	
India	851,749	52,828	
	984,944	63,593	Free.
Yellow Metal.			
Sheets.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	12	65	
South Australia..	9	160	
United Kingdom...	1,606	18,305	
	1,627	18,530	Free.
Nails.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Queensland ...	2	8	
United Kingdom...	575	1,912	
	577	1,920	Free.
Zinc.			
Perforated or Manufactured.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	10	24	
South Australia.	2	4	
United Kingdom...	600	1,013	
Belgium	20	30	
Germany	166	251	
United States ...	6	23	
	804	1,345	Free.
Zinc—*continued.*			
Plain Sheet.			
Australasia—	cwt.	£	
Victoria ...	243	303	
Queensland ...	241	184	
South Australia..	78	131	
West'n Australia	269	204	
New Zealand ...	118	86	
United Kingdom...	1,082	1,300	
Belgium	1,219	1,455	
Germany	3,331	3,753	
New Caledonia ...	32	20	
	6,613	7,436	Free.
Spelter.			
Australasia—	cwt.		
Victoria ...	4,849	5,061	
Queensland ...	1,581	1,540	
South Australia..	164	170	
West'n Australia	86	90	
Tasmania ...	354	340	
New Zealand ...	1,047	1,029	
United Kingdom...	1,901	2,167	
Germany	14,030	14,068	
	24,012	24,465	Free.
Other Articles not classified.			
Australasia—	pkg.		
Victoria ...	989	985	
Queensland ...	394	355	
South Australia	5,255	953	
New Zealand ...	2,361	888	
United Kingdom...	82	73	
Italy	100	25	
New Caledonia ...	20	51	
Spain	21	26	
	9,222	3,356	Free.

Total Value of Imports of Merchandise	£	18,814,295
Total Value of Imports of Coin (Gold, Silver, and Bronze) ... £3,725,998	£	5,639,265
„ „ Gold Bullion £1,913,267		
Total Value of all Imports (Merchandise, Coin, and Gold Bullion)	£	24,453,560

IMPORT DUTIES COLLECTED, 1898.

		£
Specific Duties		1,259,237
Less—	£	
Drawbacks	7,369	
Refunds	1,578	
		8,947
Net amount of Import Duties collected ...	£	1,250,290

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898.

Articles for Consumption and Use on Voyage.—Dutiable articles obtained for ships' requirements are classified as Exports, and are considered part of the trade of New South Wales with the countries to which vessels are bound. Information is not available regarding the exports of "Free" goods, required by vessels on voyage; consequently the following returns do not include the quantity and value of such articles.

Valuation of Exports.—Articles of Export are valued at the port of shipment or inland station at which the goods leave New South Wales.

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Acids.						
Acetic.		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	181	.....	.....	47	
Queensland	.....	890	.....	.....	383	
South Australia... ...	.....	51	.....	.....	17	
Western Australia ...	.....	412	.....	.....	92	
Tasmania	.....	428	.....	.....	106	
New Zealand	.....	423	.....	.....	125	
Sulphuric.	.....	2,385	2,385	.....	770	770
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	20	.....	20	15	.....	15
Queensland	75	.....	75	38	.....	38
South Australia	25	.....	25	15	.....	15
Western Australia ...	23	.....	23	20	.....	20
New Zealand	208	.....	208	101	.....	101
Fiji	16	.....	16	12	.....	12
New Caledonia	80	10	90	65	10	75
South Sea Islands	20	.....	20	12	.....	12
	467	10	477	278	10	288
Tartaric.		lb.	lb.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	10,542	.....	.....	592	
Queensland	.....	5,428	.....	.....	291	
Western Australia ...	.....	448	.....	.....	26	
Tasmania	.....	1,568	.....	.....	89	
New Zealand	.....	784	.....	.....	44	
New Caledonia	.....	154	.....	.....	10	
	.....	18,924	18,924	.....	1,052	1,052
Other.						
	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	6	74	80	38	316	354
Queensland	62	88	150	121	275	396
South Australia	5	20	25	13	94	107
Western Australia ...	3	17	20	5	61	66
Tasmania	13	121	134	53	423	476
New Zealand	10	139	149	31	508	539
Fiji	13	7	20	16	20	36
New Guinea	3	1	4	3	2	5
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	15	15
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	1	2	3	1	3	4
New Caledonia	12	14	26	24	28	52
South Sea Islands	3	10	13	4	17	21
	131	497	628	309	1,764	2,073

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Aerated and Mineral Waters.	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	1,529	44	1,573	174	11	185
Queensland	3,340	65	3,405	495	18	513
South Australia ...	201	48	249	36	17	53
Western Australia ...	1,842	41	1,883	296	14	310
Tasmania	186	32	218	27	6	33
New Zealand	1,322	49	1,371	195	14	209
Fiji	1,042	150	1,192	139	50	189
Hong Kong...	8	.....	8	1	.....	1
New Guinea	99	38	137	12	13	25
Italy	8	.....	8	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	.....	8	8	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	50	.....	50	11	.....	11
South Sea Islands	684	100	784	102	42	144
	10,311	575	10,886	1,489	189	1,678
Agricultural Implements.						
Ploughs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	9	51	60	71	405	476
Queensland	17	448	465	125	660	785
South Australia	1	4	5	7	19	26
Western Australia ...	8	5	13	40	18	58
Tasmania ...	.....	9	9	.....	56	56
New Zealand	2	12	14	13	65	78
Fiji	3	41	44	20	157	177
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	.....	21	21	.....	67	67
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	4	4
	40	594	634	276	1,455	1,731
Plough Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	64	7	71	81	24	105
Queensland	12	96	108	85	172	257
South Australia... ...	4	.....	4	10	.....	10
Western Australia ...	4	5	9	14	18	32
Tasmania	.....	2	2	.....	14	14
New Zealand	.....	7	7	.....	31	31
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	10	10
Fiji	.....	44	44	.....	327	327
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
	84	166	250	190	611	801
Reapers and Binders.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	409	410	10	2,902	2,912
Queensland	.....	40	40	.....	62	62
Western Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	20	20
	1	451	452	10	2,984	2,994

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Agricultural Implements—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	88	407	495	755	2,474	3,229
Queensland	41	188	229	176	611	787
South Australia	3	23	26	34	72	106
Western Australia ...	1	23	24	4	127	131
Tasmania	1	9	10	9	48	57
New Zealand	5	18	23	28	117	145
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	14	14
Fiji	.....	38	38	.....	222	222
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Norfolk Island	.....	5	5	.....	11	11
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	27	27	.....	78	78
South Sea Islands	.....	22	22	.....	51	51
	139	765	904	1,006	3,832	4,838
Ale and Beer.						
In Wood.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	108	2,518	2,626	8	227	235
Queensland	1,125	1,850	2,975	101	180	281
South Australia	86	1,000	1,086	5	88	93
Western Australia ...	.....	1,000	1,000	.....	90	90
Tasmania	.....	200	200	.....	16	16
United Kingdom	.....	100	100	.....	9	9
Canadian Dominion ...	35	.....	35	2	.....	2
Fiji	20	1,110	1,130	1	81	82
New Caledonia	1,242	100	1,342	67	8	75
	2,616	7,878	10,494	184	699	883
In Bottle.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	422	18,400	18,822	79	3,496	3,575
Queensland	1,233	17,247	18,480	165	3,649	3,814
South Australia	62	6,845	6,907	9	1,379	1,388
Western Australia ...	748	10,351	11,099	110	1,668	1,778
Tasmania	144	6,628	6,772	19	1,137	1,156
New Zealand	480	5,589	6,069	62	1,123	1,185
United Kingdom	106	1,532	1,638	15	299	314
Canadian Dominion ...	326	2,779	3,105	47	535	582
Fiji	430	7,217	7,647	57	1,431	1,488
Hong Kong	.....	582	582	.....	107	107
India	.....	16	16	.....	3	3
New Guinea	576	3,031	3,607	82	550	632
Norfolk Island	.....	4	4	.....	1	1
Straits Settlements ...	.....	60	60	.....	12	12
Belgium	.....	6	6	.....	1	1
Chili	.....	93	93	.....	13	13
China	.....	8	8	.....	2	2
France	.....	282	282	.....	55	55
Germany	.....	30	30	.....	5	5
Hawaiian Islands	.....	112	112	.....	20	20
Carried forward ...	4,527	80,812	85,339	645	15,486	16,131

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Ale and Beer—*continued.*						
In Bottle—continued.	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Brought forward ...	4,527	80,812	85,339	645	15,486	16,131
Italy	8	14	22	1	3	4
Japan	.....	7	7	.....	1	1
Java...	.....	16	16	.....	2	2
Marshall Islands	114	144	258	17	27	44
Mexico	.....	12	12	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	69	69	.....	12	12
New Caledonia	556	1,826	2,382	77	372	449
Panama	.....	40	40	.....	5	5
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	318	318	.....	59	59
South Sea Islands	1,380	3,408	4,788	194	637	831
Tahiti	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
United States	24	775	799	3	136	139
	6,609	87,449	94,058	937	16,743	17,680
Alkalies.						
Bicarbonate of Soda.		lb.	lb.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	28,672	.....	.....	121	
Queensland	.....	86,168	.....	.....	350	
South Australia... ...	.....	15,792	.....	.....	69	
Western Australia ...	.....	47,488	.....	.....	196	
Tasmania...	.....	31,584	.....	.....	129	
New Zealand	.....	43,120	.....	.....	169	
Fiji	.....	784	.....	.....	3	
Norfolk Island	.....	448	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	17,808	.....	.....	73	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,008	.....	.....	4	
	.....	272,872	272,872	.....	1,116	1,116
Caustic Soda.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	609	.....	.....	306	
Queensland	.....	772	.....	.....	377	
South Australia... ...	.....	149	.....	.....	89	
Western Australia ...	.....	217	.....	.....	107	
Tasmania...	.....	172	.....	.....	83	
New Zealand	.....	394	.....	.....	195	
Fiji	.....	79	.....	.....	42	
New Caledonia	.....	210	.....	.....	107	
	.....	2,602	2,602	.....	1,306	1,306
Silicate of Soda.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	23	.....	.....	8	
Queensland	.....	167	.....	.....	54	
Western Australia ...	.....	176	.....	.....	60	
Tasmania	.....	70	.....	.....	22	
New Zealand	.....	166	.....	.....	57	
Fiji	.....	28	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	127	.....	.....	43	
	.....	757	757	.....	253	253

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Alkalies—*continued.*						
Soda Ash.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	251	.....	.....	83	
Queensland	.....	2,514	.....	.....	846	
South Australia	.....	1,558	.....	.....	545	
Western Australia ...	.....	424	.....	.....	148	
Tasmania	.....	138	.....	.....	44	
New Zealand	.....	727	.....	.....	248	
Fiji	.....	15	.....	.....	5	
	.....	5,627	5,627	.....	1,919	1,919
Soda Crystals.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	31	10	41	5	2	7
Queensland	.....	51	51	.....	8	8
South Australia	30	.....	30	6	.....	6
Western Australia ...	117	4	121	22	1	23
Tasmania	.....	3	3	.....	1	1
New Zealand	.....	23	23	.....	11	11
Fiji	69	88	157	13	17	30
New Guinea	.....	18	18	.....	3	3
Norfolk Island	6	.....	6	1	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	12	45	57	2	9	11
New Caledonia	487	40	527	92	8	100
South Sea Islands	51	36	87	9	8	17
	803	318	1,121	150	68	218
Alum.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	164	.....	.....	74	
Western Australia ...	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
	.....	175	175	.....	79	79
Alunite.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	58,820	.....	58,820	8,823	.....	8,823

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Ammunition.						
(See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)						
Anchors.		No.	No.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	3	.....	.....	10	
Queensland	.....	104	.....	.....	581	
South Australia	.....	69	.....	.....	58	
Western Australia ...	.....	10	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	23	
New Zealand	.....	5	.....	.....	18	
Fiji	.....	114	.....	.....	79	
New Guinea	.....	37	.....	.....	55	
Marshall Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	36	.....	.....	20	
New Caledonia	.....	84	.....	.....	55	
South Sea Islands	.....	90	.....	.....	72	
	.....	559	559	.....	983	983
Animals (Live).						
*Horses.**	No.	No.	No.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	4,365	38	4,403	113,896	1,045	114,941
Queensland	†210	18	228	†4,873	1,350	6,223
South Australia... ...	51	.....	51	1,088	.....	1,088
Western Australia ...	74	.....	74	1,172	.....	1,172
Tasmania	16	.....	16	390	.....	390
New Zealand	480	12	492	4,796	1,600	6,396
United Kingdom	10	3	13	5,180	900	6,080
Ceylon	96	.....	96	1,466	.....	1,466
Fiji	208	.....	208	2,951	.....	2,951
Hong Kong...	24	.....	24	468	.....	468
India	1,983	.....	1,983	26,364	.....	26,364
Natal	1	.....	1	500	.....	500
Straits Settlements ...	212	.....	212	3,566	.....	3,566
China	5	.....	5	200	.....	200
Java	22	.....	22	318	.....	318
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	8	.....	8	100	.....	100
New Caledonia	26	.....	26	718	.....	718
Philippine Islands... ...	11	.....	11	140	.....	140
South Sea Islands	7	.....	7	102	.....	102
	7,809	71	7,880	168,288	4,895	173,183

* The large values are accounted for by the return of valuable race-horses to other colonies after competing at race meetings held in New South Wales, and by the despatch of New South Wales racehorses to other colonies to take part in meetings there. The traffic is chiefly by rail.

† The statistics have been adjusted in accordance with the Overland Stock Return of Queensland.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Animals (Live)—*continued.*						
Cattle.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	27,613	976	28,589	146,582	4,809	151,391
Queensland	†5,779	3	5,782	†16,811	178	16,989
South Australia	360	6,953	7,313	1,714	32,777	34,491
Western Australia ...	11,813	.....	11,813	74,500	.....	74,500
Tasmania	1,122	.....	1,122	8,976	.....	8,976
Ceylon	1	.....	1	7	.....	7
Fiji	5	.....	5	85	.....	85
Hong Kong	185	.....	185	1,993	.....	1,993
India	4	.....	4	40	.....	40
Natal	3	.....	3	30	.....	30
Straits Settlements ...	7	.....	7	70	.....	70
China	15	.....	15	150	.....	150
Marshall Islands	8	.....	8	56	.....	56
New Caledonia	1,691	.....	1,691	8,305	.....	8,305
Philippine Islands... ...	30	.....	30	222	.....	222
South Sea Islands	42	.....	42	124	.....	124
	48,678	7,932	56,610	259,665	37,764	297,429
Sheep.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	869,169	1,450	870,619	301,083	746	301,829
Queensland	†147,601	2,500	150,101	†65,835	17,500	83,335
South Australia	183,419	26,946	210,365	71,653	9,853	81,506
Western Australia ...	63,045	.....	63,045	30,414	.....	30,414
Tasmania	15,211	20	15,231	7,751	2,050	9,801
New Zealand	5	.....	5	62	.....	62
Cape Colony	8	.....	8	600	.....	600
Fiji	50	.....	50	24	.....	24
New Guinea	43	.....	43	24	.....	24
Chili	10	.....	10	150	.....	150
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	10	.....	10	5	.....	5
Marshall Islands	32	.....	32	18	.....	18
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	13	.....	13	8	.....	8
New Caledonia	2,231	.....	2,231	1,153	.....	1,153
Peru	5	.....	5	20	.....	20
Philippine Islands... ...	40	.....	40	20	.....	20
South Sea Islands... ...	72	.....	72	36	.....	36
	1,280,964	30,916	1,311,880	478,856	30,149	509,005
Pigs.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	3,475	2	3,477	5,828	3	5,831
Queensland	39	.....	39	137	.....	137
South Australia	610	.....	610	685	.....	685
Western Australia ...	6,973	.....	6,973	7,936	.....	7,936
Tasmania	150	.....	150	225	.....	225
New Zealand	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
Fiji	56	.....	56	71	.....	71
Hong Kong...	4	.....	4	8	.....	8
New Guinea	12	.....	12	20	.....	20
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	4	.....	4	7	.....	7
New Caledonia	140	.....	140	155	.....	155
South Sea Islands	30	.....	30	45	.....	45
	11,494	2	11,496	15,121	3	15,124

† The statistics have been adjusted in accordance with the Overland Stock Return of Queensland.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Animals (Live)—*continued.*						
Dogs.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	13	.....	13	47	.....	47
Queensland	73	.....	73	203	.....	203
South Australia	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Western Australia ...	5	1	6	7	25	32
Tasmania	7	.....	7	18	.....	18
New Zealand	7	.....	7	20	.....	20
United Kingdom	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Fiji	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Hong Kong	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
India	6	.....	6	9	.....	9
New Guinea	11	.....	11	21	.....	21
Japan	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
South Sea Islands	3	.....	3	7	.....	7
	134	1	135	355	25	380
Goats.						
Australasia—	No.		No.			
South Australia	7	.....	.....	6	.....	
Marshall Islands	3	.....	.....	2	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	4	.....	.....	2	.....	
	14	.....	14	10	.....	10
Mules.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	10	
Fiji	.....	36	.....	.....	440	
	.....	37	37	.....	450	450
Other.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	5	26	31	14	3,005	3,019
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	100	100
Belgium	22	.....	22	90	.....	90
United States	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
Antimony.	28	30	58	108	3,105	3,213
Metal.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Western Australia ...	6	.....	.....	14	.....	
United Kingdom	260	.....	.....	300	.....	
	266	.....	266	314	.....	314
Auriferous.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	260	.....	260	159	.....	159
Ore.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	1,121	.....	1,121	443	.....	443

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Apparel (Wearing).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	246	286	532	724	7,083	7,807
Queensland	135	401	536	854	6,097	6,951
South Australia	20	93	113	287	2,048	2,335
Western Australia ...	29	111	140	659	3,403	4,062
Tasmania...	6	71	77	54	908	962
New Zealand	13	106	119	87	1,454	1,541
United Kingdom	.....	32	32	.....	871	871
Ceylon	.....	1	1	.....	19	19
Fiji	23	127	150	221	2,149	2,370
New Guinea	7	39	46	48	434	482
Norfolk Island	3	8	11	8	95	103
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	12	12
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	6	6	.....	85	85
New Caledonia	7	5	12	46	37	83
South Sea Islands	16	135	151	192	1,471	1,663
United States	.....	11	11	.....	45	45
	505	1,433	1,938	3,180	26,211	29,391
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.						
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	14	.....	.....	133	
Queensland	.....	55	.....	.....	321	
South Australia	.....	14	.....	.....	113	
Western Australia ...	.....	10	.....	.....	90	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	11	
New Zealand	.....	14	.....	.....	107	
United Kingdom	.....	103	.....	.....	6,840	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Fiji	.....	9	.....	.....	49	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
Belgium	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
France	.....	1	.....	.....	10	
Germany	.....	3	.....	.....	35	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	35	
South Sea Islands	.....	17	.....	.....	150	
	.....	254	254	.....	7,924	7,924
Gun Caps.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Shot.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	46	.....	.....	49	
South Australia	.....	5	.....	.....	6	
Fiji	.....	23	.....	.....	25	
New Guinea	.....	19	.....	.....	21	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	6	
South Sea Islands	.....	57	.....	.....	63	
	.....	155	155	.....	170	170

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—*continued.*						
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		£	£
Victoria	.....	183	.....	.....	597	
Queensland...	.....	109	.....	.....	409	
South Australia	.....	7	.....	.....	31	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
New Zealand	.....	29	.....	.....	89	
Fiji	.....	13	.....	.....	59	
New Guinea	.....	7	.....	.....	26	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	16	.....	.....	76	
New Caledonia	.....	29	.....	.....	168	
South Sea Islands	.....	16	.....	.....	68	
	.....	411	411	.....	1,530	1,530
Powder (Sporting).						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	150	.....	.....	15	
Queensland	.....	1,656	.....	.....	211	
South Australia... ...	.....	288	.....	.....	42	
New Zealand	.....	5,000	.....	.....	688	
Fiji	.....	96	.....	.....	9	
New Guinea	.....	48	.....	.....	3	
Norfolk Island	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	576	.....	.....	34	
New Caledonia	.....	3,696	.....	.....	265	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,440	.....	.....	98	
	.....	12,960	12,960	.....	1,366	1,366
Powder (Blasting).						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	12,500	.....	.....	210	
Queensland	.....	750	.....	.....	14	
Tasmania...	.....	25,000	.....	.....	459	
Fiji	.....	1,650	.....	.....	34	
New Caledonia	.....	18,250	.....	.....	343	
	.....	58,150	58,150	.....	1,060	1,060
Fuse.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	42	.....	.....	242	
Queensland	.....	17	.....	.....	104	
South Australia	.....	10	.....	.....	42	
Western Australia ...	.....	16	.....	.....	122	
Tasmania...	.....	15	.....	.....	89	
New Zealand	.....	32	.....	.....	182	
United Kingdom	.....	69	.....	.....	463	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	14	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	21	.....	.....	136	
	.....	225	225	.....	1,395	1,395

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—*continued.*						
Dynamite and Lithofracteur.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	18,050	.....	.....	1,249	
Queensland	.....	600	.....	.....	44	
Western Australia ...	.....	26,250	.....	.....	1,355	
Fiji	.....	200	.....	.....	16	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	100	.....	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	1,570	.....	.....	97	
New Caledonia	.....	5,950	.....	.....	330	
South Sea Islands	.....	150	.....	.....	11	
	.....	52,870	52,870	.....	3,110	3,110
Other Explosives.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	8	.....	.....	99	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	2	.....	.....	15	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	43	
	.....	15	15	.....	157	157
Arrowroot.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	10,440	.....	.....	107	
Queensland	.....	1,188	.....	.....	16	
South Australia... ...	.....	704	.....	.....	9	
Tasmania	.....	1,344	.....	.....	16	
New Zealand	.....	4,032	.....	.....	49	
United Kingdom	.....	6,820	.....	.....	52	
Fiji	.....	1,008	.....	.....	12	
New Guinea	.....	112	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	545	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	632	.....	.....	8	
	.....	26,825	26,825	.....	277	277
Asbestos.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	321	.....	321	446	.....	446
Queensland	221	107	328	281	837	1,118
South Australia... ...	50	.....	50	50	.....	50
Western Australia ...	36	.....	36	32	.....	32
Fiji	.....	8	8	.....	8	8
New Caledonia	.....	7	7	.....	7	7
	628	122	750	809	852	1,661
Asphalt and Bitumen.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	1,205	40	1,245	593	9	602
Queensland	.....	5	5	.....	2	2
South Australia... ...	142	.....	142	33	.....	33
Western Australia ...	1,698	320	2,018	868	144	1,012
New Zealand	.....	108	108	.....	49	49
	3,045	473	3,518	1,494	204	1,698

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bags and Sacks (other than Paper).						
Bran.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	346	.....	.....	89	
Queensland	.....	12,150	.....	.....	1,956	
Western Australia ...	.....	3,250	.....	.....	498	
Tasmania	.....	50	.....	.....	8	
New Zealand	.....	200	.....	.....	32	
Fiji	.....	300	.....	.....	48	
New Caledonia	.....	50	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	100	.....	.....	16	
	.....	16,446	16,446	.....	2,655	2,655
Calico (Plain).						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Western Australia ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Cornsacks.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.			
Victoria	.....	5,378	.....	.....	1,221	
Queensland	.....	100,918	.....	.....	22,705	
South Australia	.....	251	.....	.....	55	
Western Australia ...	.....	395	.....	.....	87	
Tasmania	.....	7,720	.....	.....	1,668	
New Zealand	.....	561	.....	.....	120	
Fiji	.....	3,645	.....	.....	790	
New Guinea	.....	729	.....	.....	162	
Marshall Islands	.....	293	.....	.....	64	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	84	.....	.....	18	
New Caledonia	.....	3,232	.....	.....	722	
South Sea Islands	.....	3,083	.....	.....	677	
	.....	126,289	126,289	.....	28,289	28,289
Gunny and Ore.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.			
Victoria	.....	4,342	.....	.....	503	
Queensland	.....	23,166	.....	.....	3,248	
South Australia	.....	5,900	.....	.....	674	
Western Australia ...	.....	9,750	.....	.....	1,162	
Tasmania	.....	1,382	.....	.....	172	
United Kingdom	.....	600	.....	.....	60	
Fiji	.....	350	.....	.....	43	
New Guinea	.....	320	.....	.....	40	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	650	.....	.....	85	
New Caledonia	.....	30,529	.....	.....	3,510	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,200	.....	.....	272	
	.....	79,189	79,189	.....	9,769	9,769

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bags and Sacks (other than Paper)—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	24	24	.....	55	55
Queensland	206	1,447	1,653	104	1,660	1,764
South Australia	.....	8	8	.....	8	8
New Zealand	.....	64	64	.....	64	64
Fiji	.....	7	7	.....	20	20
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	1	.....	1	8	.....	8
South Sea Islands	.....	9	9	.....	17	17
	207	1,560	1,767	112	1,828	1,940
Old.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.			
Victoria	.....	12,919	.....	.....	1,559	
Queensland	.....	2,675	.....	.....	331	
South Australia	.....	12,767	.....	.....	1,395	
Western Australia ...	.....	3,311	.....	.....	407	
Tasmania	.....	6,442	.....	.....	673	
New Zealand	.....	1,889	.....	.....	232	
Fiji	.....	5,043	.....	.....	560	
New Guinea	.....	15	.....	.....	2	
Norfolk Island	.....	9	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	336	.....	.....	30	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,089	.....	.....	275	
	.....	47,495	47,495	.....	5,465	5,465
Bark (Non-medicinal).						
Wattle.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	54	.....	54	19	.....	19
Queensland	3,212	9,431	12,643	499	1,559	2,058
New Zealand	922	.....	922	280	.....	280
United Kingdom	131	.....	131	37	.....	37
Fiji	97	.....	97	32	.....	32
Argentine Republic ...	60	.....	60	20	.....	20
Belgium	31	.....	31	12	.....	12
Germany	1,543	.....	1,543	461	.....	461
New Caledonia	.....	1,219	1,219	.....	386	386
	6,050	10,650	16,700	1,360	1,945	3,305
Baskets and Basket-ware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	6	9	5	37	42
Queensland	66	20	86	55	121	176
South Australia	2	26	28	1	76	77
Western Australia ...	.....	4	4	.....	2	2
Tasmania	1	19	20	6	57	63
New Zealand	.....	13	13	.....	39	39
Fiji	3	23	26	4	66	70
New Guinea	5	1	6	17	1	18
Marshall Islands	11	.....	11	32	.....	32
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	7	.....	7	19	.....	19
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
South Sea Islands	.....	8	8	.....	16	16
	100	120	220	140	415	555

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bêche-de-mer.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Hong Kong	.....	951	951	.....	3,042	3,042
Bedsteads.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	30	30	.....	93	93
Queensland	69	1,444	1,513	170	2,784	2,954
South Australia	6	15	21	63	33	96
Western Australia ...	.....	11	11	.....	56	56
Tasmania	.....	27	27	.....	74	74
New Zealand	.....	22	22	.....	86	86
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Fiji	4	45	49	6	78	84
New Guinea	.....	5	5	.....	11	11
Norfolk Island	4	.....	4	4	.....	4
France	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	4	37	41	4	153	157
South Sea Islands	8	62	70	19	154	173
United States	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
	95	1,706	1,801	266	3,546	3,812
Beer.						
(See Ale and Beer.)						
Bee-keepers' Material.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	7	4	11	13	14	27
Queensland	.....	4	4	.....	25	25
South Australia	.....	10	10	.....	15	15
Western Australia ...	28	24	52	43	84	127
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	7	7
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	4	4
	35	49	84	56	149	205
Belting (Leather).	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	12	2	14	415	23	438
Queensland	104	67	171	3,094	1,016	4,110
South Australia	14	.....	14	180	.....	180
Western Australia ...	24	2	26	918	21	939
Tasmania	8	11	19	183	151	334
New Zealand	20	1	21	145	11	156
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	130	130
Fiji	17	7	24	280	80	360
Japan	2	.....	2	229	.....	229
New Caledonia	6	.....	6	43	.....	43
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	9	.....	9
	208	93	301	5,496	1,432	6,928

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	1	540	541	15	10,930	10,945
Queensland	.....	952	952	.....	18,642	18,642
South Australia	.....	244	244	.....	4,038	4,038
Western Australia ...	.....	72	72	.....	1,674	1,674
Tasmania	.....	45	45	.....	650	650
New Zealand	.....	243	243	.....	4,361	4,361
United Kingdom	.....	28	28	.....	843	843
Burmah	.....	1	1	.....	30	30
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	3	3	.....	36	36
Ceylon	.....	4	4	.....	32	32
Fiji	.....	37	37	.....	695	695
India	.....	1	1	.....	25	25
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	8	8
France	.....	5	5	.....	138	138
Germany	.....	2	2	.....	50	50
Japan	.....	2	2	.....	27	27
New Caledonia	.....	31	31	.....	390	390
South Sea Islands	.....	5	5	.....	63	63
United States	.....	9	9	.....	276	276
	1	2,225	2,226	15	42,908	42,923
Billiard Tables and Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	4	4	.....	43	43
Queensland	.....	39	39	.....	382	382
South Australia	.....	2	2	.....	9	9
Western Australia ...	.....	5	5	.....	60	60
New Zealand	.....	4	4	.....	32	32
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	30	30
Fiji	2	1	3	15	8	23
	2	57	59	15	564	579
Birds.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	1	.....	.....	6	.....	
Queensland	74	.....	.....	191	.....	
Western Australia ...	4	.....	.....	17	.....	
New Zealand	6	.....	.....	8	.....	
United Kingdom	3	.....	.....	10	.....	
Fiji	4	.....	.....	7	.....	
Belgium	14	.....	.....	60	.....	
China	1	.....	.....	3	.....	
France	6	.....	.....	28	.....	
Marshall Islands	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
South Sea Islands	2	.....	.....	2	.....	
United States	5	.....	.....	18	.....	
	121	.....	121	352	.....	352

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Biscuits.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	1,652	.....	1,652	37	.....	37
Queensland	164,335	5,480	169,815	5,107	77	5,184
South Australia	2,664	.....	2,664	50	.....	50
Western Australia ...	23,252	120	23,372	405	2	407
Tasmania	1,680	.....	1,680	41	.....	41
New Zealand	1,866	.....	1,866	26	.....	26
United Kingdom	.....	24	24	.....	1	1
Cape Colony	672	.....	672	20	.....	20
Fiji	107,850	9,365	117,215	1,091	92	1,183
India	112	.....	112	2	.....	2
New Guinea	20,800	1,100	21,900	252	30	282
Norfolk Island	819	.....	819	11	.....	11
Hawaiian Islands	132	.....	132	3	.....	3
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	600	.....	600	7	.....	7
Marshall Islands	43,066	200	43,266	470	6	476
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	25,318	.....	25,318	291	.....	291
New Caledonia	79,645	.....	79,645	893	.....	893
South Sea Islands	180,471	48	180,519	2,232	2	2,234
	654,934	16,337	671,271	10,938	210	*11,148
Bismuth Ore.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	301	38	339	1,705	140	1,845
Germany	200	.....	200	950	.....	950
United States	86	.....	86	1,960	.....	1,960
	587	38	625	4,615	140	4,755
Bitumen. (See Asphalt and Bitumen.)						
Blacking and Boot Polish.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	76	76	.....	190	190
Queensland	51	29	80	63	68	131
South Australia	.....	12	12	.....	34	34
Western Australia ...	23	21	44	31	46	77
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
New Zealand	.....	14	14	.....	74	74
Fiji	.....	23	23	.....	70	70
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	7	7
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	7	7
	74	186	260	94	506	600
Blankets.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	10	.....	.....	91	
Queensland	.....	36	.....	.....	543	
South Australia	.....	11	.....	.....	126	
Western Australia ...	.....	7	.....	.....	56	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	17	
United Kingdom	.....	3	.....	.....	41	
Fiji	.....	16	.....	.....	170	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	9	.....	.....	39	
	.....	96	96	.....	1,090	1,090

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Blue.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	60	1,116	1,176	1	29	30
Queensland	1,110	26,944	28,054	23	673	696
South Australia	.....	216	216	.....	6	6
Western Australia ...	180	584	764	6	18	24
Tasmania	.....	13,824	13,824	.....	344	344
New Zealand	.....	28,388	28,388	.....	710	710
Fiji	.....	2,646	2,646	.....	64	64
New Guinea	.....	72	72	.....	2	2
Norfolk Island	.....	36	36	.....	1	1
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	28	28	.....	1	1
Marshall Islands	.....	140	140	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	192	192	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	4,296	4,296	.....	112	112
South Sea Islands	.....	1,442	1,442	.....	37	37
	1,350	79,924	81,274	30	2,006	2,036
Boats.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	3	.....	3	57	.....	57
Queensland	10	.....	10	355	.....	355
South Australia	1	2	3	15	260	275
Western Australia ...	2	.....	2	30	.....	30
Tasmania	3	3	6	133	85	218
New Zealand	1	.....	1	100	.....	100
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
Fiji	4	.....	4	110	.....	110
New Guinea	23	.....	23	708	.....	708
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	3	.....	3	85	.....	85
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	22	.....	22	610	.....	610
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	420	.....	420
South Sea Islands	27	.....	27	735	.....	735
	101	7	108	3,358	366	3,724
Bones.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	7,738	2,844	10,582	952	473	1,425
South Australia	1,837	.....	1,837	151	.....	151
Tasmania	1,555	785	2,340	259	129	388
New Zealand	37,134	.....	37,134	5,991	.....	5,991
United Kingdom	2,712	5,000	7,712	517	1,000	1,517
Hong Kong	16	.....	16	2	.....	2
Belgium	732	.....	732	192	.....	192
France	8,112	4,003	12,115	2,414	1,250	3,664
Germany	145	.....	145	35	.....	35
Italy	5	.....	5	1	.....	1
Japan	528	455	983	151	140	291
	60,514	13,087	73,601	10,665	2,992	13,657
Books.						
(See Paper, Books, &c.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Boots and Shoes.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	39	155	194	525	2,190	2,715
Queensland	88	427	515	1,686	5,919	7,605
South Australia	175	187	362	4,399	2,421	6,820
Western Australia ...	152	320	472	3,214	5,253	8,467
Tasmania	16	185	201	228	2,510	2,738
New Zealand	4	176	180	49	1,849	1,898
United Kingdom	.....	13	13	.....	190	190
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Fiji	90	47	137	1,165	480	1,645
Natal	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
New Guinea	5	5	10	70	53	123
Norfolk Island	6	4	10	44	41	85
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	7	7
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	4	6	27	55	82
New Caledonia	33	7	40	379	88	467
South Sea Islands	34	67	101	261	583	844
United States	.....	7	7	.....	104	104
	645	1,607	2,252	12,049	21,750	33,799
Boot Uppers.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	4	4	.....	100	100
Western Australia ...	8	1	9	141	7	148
	8	5	13	141	107	248
Bottles (Empty).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	165	403	568	176	322	498
Queensland...	2,282	9,528	11,810	2,527	1,149	3,676
South Australia	84	2,899	2,983	151	670	821
Western Australia ...	390	231	621	779	275	1,054
Tasmania	840	4,181	5,021	1,696	1,980	3,676
New Zealand	1,929	19,704	21,633	2,209	7,568	9,777
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	16	16
Fiji	11	53	64	17	112	129
New Caledonia	21	18	39	35	45	80
South Sea Islands	2	11	13	4	19	23
United States	.....	7	7	.....	14	14
	5,724	37,039	42,763	7,594	12,170	19,764
Brassware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	32	35	17	213	230
Queensland	18	77	95	83	581	664
South Australia ...	4	11	15	41	31	72
Western Australia ...	15	5	20	207	23	230
Tasmania	6	26	32	13	196	209
New Zealand	.....	22	22	.....	210	210
United Kingdom	.....	37	37	.....	612	612
Fiji	2	18	20	7	132	139
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	30	30
New Caledonia	.....	8	8	.....	40	40
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	7	7	.....	27	27
	48	246	294	368	2,098	2,466

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Bread and Dough.						
Australasia—	lb.		lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	449,740	.....	449,740	2,334	.....	2,334
Bricks.						
Building.						
Australasia—	No.		No.			
Victoria	87,705	.....	.....	179	.....	
Queensland	47,111	.....	.....	116	.....	
Fiji	39,000	.....	.....	75	.....	
South Sea Islands	12,600	.....	.....	21	.....	
	186,416	.....	186,416	391	.....	391
Fire.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Queensland	.....	22,078	22,078	.....	153	153
South Australia	.....	500	500	.....	4	4
Western Australia ...	250	12,738	12,988	2	106	108
Fiji	28,136	.....	28,136	133	.....	133
South Sea Islands	1,695	.....	1,695	11	.....	11
	30,081	35,316	65,397	146	263	409
Bridge Material.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	22	4	26	420	36	456
Western Australia ...	189	.....	189	294	.....	294
	211	4	215	714	36	750
Bronze Coin. (See Coin.)						
Brushware and Brooms.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	20	36	56	36	318	354
Queensland	1,510	276	1,786	912	1,320	2,232
South Australia	3	11	14	3	36	39
Western Australia ...	15	10	25	29	42	71
Tasmania	166	103	269	301	487	788
New Zealand	.....	7	7	.....	44	44
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	36	36
Fiji	29	38	67	21	91	112
New Guinea	2	6	8	1	9	10
Norfolk Island	4	.....	4	2	.....	2
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Marshall Islands	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	6	.....	6	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	59	13	72	55	48	103
South Sea Islands	16	23	39	21	60	81
	1,831	527	2,358	1,385	2,492	3,877

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Brushmakers' Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	115	249	364	307	868	1,175
Queensland	68	140	208	259	549	808
South Australia	19	46	65	31	230	261
Tasmania	10	5	15	20	56	76
New Zealand	16	1	17	34	5	39
	228	441	669	651	1,708	2,359
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	10	115	125	16	219	235
Queensland	523	259	782	1,809	673	2,482
South Australia	30	81	111	221	222	443
Western Australia ...	482	34	516	3,671	98	3,769
Tasmania	.....	2	2	.....	4	4
New Zealand	265	105	370	1,283	310	1,593
Fiji	18	15	33	30	16	46
New Guinea	32	.....	32	30	.....	30
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	29	9	38	24	13	37
New Caledonia	14	6	20	21	12	33
South Sea Islands	212	25	237	113	78	191
	1,615	652	2,267	7,218	1,648	8,866
Bungs.						
(See Corks and Bungs.)						
Butter.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	1,209,644	89,075	1,298,719	54,050	4,375	58,425
Queensland	17,167	.....	17,167	141	.....	141
South Australia	154,464	.....	154,464	6,825	.....	6,825
Western Australia ...	765,988	37,780	803,768	34,909	2,046	36,955
Tasmania	186,150	.....	186,150	8,047	.....	8,047
New Zealand	.....	29,008	29,008	.....	1,160	1,160
United Kingdom	5,309,811	.....	5,309,811	218,787	.....	218,787
Canadian Dominion ...	43,120	.....	43,120	1,730	.....	1,730
Cape Colony	806,790	6,160	812,950	32,765	300	33,065
Ceylon	8,336	.....	8,336	373	.....	373
Fiji	2,354	1,538	3,892	102	42	144
Hong Kong	9,760	.....	9,760	461	.....	461
Natal	317,044	11,200	328,244	13,410	555	13,965
New Guinea	5,680	224	5,904	228	8	236
Straits Settlements ...	1,536	.....	1,536	63	.....	63
China	300	.....	300	11	.....	11
France	1,120	.....	1,120	41	.....	41
Hawaiian Islands	18,900	.....	18,900	660	.....	660
Japan	1,048	.....	1,048	45	.....	45
Marshall Islands	424	.....	424	21	.....	21
Netherlands	8,960	.....	8,960	391	.....	391
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	1,826	300	2,126	76	11	87
New Caledonia	64,617	2,196	66,813	2,640	108	2,748
Philippine Islands	10,773	.....	10,773	491	.....	491
South Sea Islands	3,776	112	3,888	154	4	158
	8,949,588	177,593	9,127,181	376,421	8,609	385,030

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cabbage-tree Palm.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.	£	£	£
Queensland	4	.....	.....	9	.....	
South Australia	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
	5	.....	5	11	.....	11
Candles.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	800	54,945	55,745	10	1,075	1,085
Queensland	650	56,939	57,589	12	1,148	1,160
South Australia	50	39,350	39,400	1	704	705
Western Australia ...	800	8,475	9,275	15	141	156
Tasmania	.....	59,575	59,575	.....	1,157	1,157
New Zealand	.....	5,175	5,175	.....	103	103
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	250	250	.....	5	5
Fiji	1,025	3,750	4,775	20	77	97
New Guinea	275	2,100	2,375	5	39	44
Norfolk Island	50	956	1,006	1	17	18
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	300	.....	300	6	.....	6
Marshall Islands	.....	50	50	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	300	150	450	5	3	8
New Caledonia	900	28,750	29,650	17	577	594
South Sea Islands	1,600	1,500	3,100	30	30	60
United States	.....	75	75	.....	1	1
	6,750	262,040	268,790	122	5,078	5,200
Canes, Willows, and Rattans.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	191	.....	.....	29	
Queensland	.....	2,156	.....	.....	356	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	54	
Tasmania	.....	110	.....	.....	21	
New Zealand	.....	1,231	.....	.....	247	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	56	.....	.....	14	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
	.....	3,755	3,755	.....	723	723
Canvas.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	21	.....	.....	199	
Queensland	.....	71	.....	.....	899	
South Australia	.....	10	.....	.....	65	
Western Australia ...	.....	20	.....	.....	79	
Tasmania	.....	21	.....	.....	160	
New Zealand	.....	18	.....	.....	198	
Fiji	.....	36	.....	.....	318	
New Guinea	.....	18	.....	.....	198	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	5	.....	.....	54	
New Caledonia	.....	9	.....	.....	79	
South Sea Islands	.....	17	.....	.....	142	
	.....	246	246	.....	2,391	2,391

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Carpeting and Druggeting.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	47	.....	.....	434	
Queensland	.....	24	.....	.....	137	
South Australia... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	80	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
Tasmania	.....	11	.....	.....	176	
New Zealand	.....	25	.....	.....	317	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Fiji	.....	11	.....	.....	53	
South Sea Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
	.....	129	129	.....	1,215	1,215
Carriages (complete), **Carts, &c.**						
Carriages.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	22	4	26	423	111	534
Queensland	13	5	18	475	279	754
South Australia	5	5	10	136	132	268
Western Australia ...	80	2	82	1,220	31	1,251
Tasmania	1	.....	1	15	.....	15
New Zealand	13	3	16	358	85	443
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	100	100
Cape Colony	3	.....	3	55	.....	55
Fiji	2	1	3	40	25	65
Natal	4	.....	4	100	.....	100
New Guinea	1	.....	1	18	.....	18
Norfolk Island	1	3	4	10	46	56
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	1	1	.....	12	12
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	3	5	24	47	71
New Caledonia	6	1	7	235	30	265
South Sea Islands	6	2	8	86	45	131
	159	31	190	3,195	943	4,138
Carts and Waggons.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	114	6	120	1,560	57	1,617
Queensland	6	.....	6	200	.....	200
South Australia... ...	.....	6	6	.....	100	100
Western Australia ...	30	.....	30	300	.....	300
New Zealand	2	.....	2	65	.....	65
Fiji	4	.....	4	47	.....	47
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	3	.....	3	51	.....	51
New Caledonia	4	.....	4	43	.....	43
South Sea Islands	5	.....	5	55	.....	55
	168	12	180	2,321	157	2,478

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Carriage Makers' Materials. (Exclusive of Tools.)						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	23,235	107	23,342	2,158	171	2,329
Queensland	506	1,329	1,835	190	1,539	1,738
South Australia	2,983	70	3,053	346	191	537
Western Australia ...	804	50	854	157	186	343
Tasmania	.....	153	153	.....	326	326
New Zealand	12,847	1,343	14,190	3,934	454	4,388
United Kingdom	500	3	503	100	12	112
Cape Colony	219	.....	219	110	.....	110
Fiji	22	21	43	49	88	137
New Guinea	1	20	21	3	60	63
Norfolk Island	3	2	5	2	3	5
Marshall Islands	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	5	3	8	13	9	22
New Caledonia	107	22	129	84	58	142
South Sea Islands	18	33	51	35	48	83
	41,251	3,156	44,407	7,193	3,145	10,338
Cement.						
Australasia—	brls.	brls.	brls.			
Victoria	.....	2,679	2,679	.....	1,538	1,538
Queensland	5	5,851	5,856	3	3,094	3,097
South Australia	.....	610	610	.....	308	308
Western Australia ...	.....	1,496	1,496	.....	735	735
Tasmania	2	3,970	3,972	1	2,190	2,191
New Zealand	.....	102	102	.....	53	53
Fiji	5	654	659	3	376	379
New Guinea	.....	15	15	.....	9	9
Marshall Islands	.....	50	50	.....	28	28
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	115	115	.....	68	68
New Caledonia	.....	893	893	.....	484	484
South Sea Islands	.....	354	354	.....	194	194
	12	16,789	16,801	7	9,077	9,084
Chaff. (See Hay and Chaff.)						
Chalk. (See Whiting and Chalk.)						
Charcoal.						
Wood.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	10	.....	.....	12	.....	
Queensland	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
	11	.....	11	14	.....	14
Animal.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	786	.....	.....	320	.....	
South Australia	663	.....	.....	114	.....	
Western Australia ...	20	.....	.....	8	.....	
United Kingdom	1,000	.....	.....	125	.....	
Fiji	16	.....	.....	5	.....	
Java...	4	.....	.....	2	.....	
New Caledonia	8	.....	.....	3	.....	
	2,497	.....	2,497	577	.....	577

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cheese.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	33,280	29,390	62,670	689	602	1,291
Queensland	37,868	3,159	41,027	936	65	1,001
South Australia	48,594	9,622	58,216	1,093	210	1,303
Western Australia ...	100,412	25,715	126,127	2,136	540	2,676
Tasmania...	7,540	900	8,440	166	18	184
New Zealand	.....	1,040	1,040	.....	26	26
United Kingdom	.....	78	78	.....	1	1
Cape Colony	4,204	20,568	24,772	96	431	527
Ceylon	1,339	.....	1,339	32	.....	32
Fiji	1,877	1,575	3,452	38	32	70
Hong Kong...	349	.....	349	8	.....	8
India	976	.....	976	23	.....	23
Natal	11,642	13,121	24,763	257	306	563
New Guinea	365	1,635	2,000	8	35	43
Norfolk Island	56	.....	56	1	.....	1
Straits Settlements ...	600	.....	600	12	.....	12
France	56	120	176	1	3	4
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	125	.....	125	3	.....	3
Marshall Islands	255	326	581	6	7	13
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	125	260	385	3	10	13
New Caledonia	68,492	20,349	88,841	1,623	430	2,053
South Sea Islands	2,604	2,970	5,574	57	56	113
	320,759	130,828	451,587	7,188	2,772	9,960
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated).*						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	133	2,879	3,012	99	5,456	5,555
Queensland	147	3,191	3,338	564	10,648	11,212
South Australia	12	298	310	25	923	948
Western Australia ...	58	952	1,010	152	3,016	3,168
Tasmania...	100	1,131	1,231	70	2,151	2,221
New Zealand	204	1,514	1,718	235	4,101	4,336
United Kingdom	.....	5	5	.....	14	14
Ceylon	.....	5	5	.....	15	15
Fiji	10	64	74	21	146	167
Hong Kong	.....	16	16	.....	47	47
Natal	.....	2	2	.....	20	20
New Guinea	.....	10	10	.....	25	25
Belgium	14	.....	14	20	.....	20
Java	.....	15	15	.....	44	44
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	17	273	290	59	1,282	1,341
Philippine Islands... ...	67	.....	67	160	.....	160
South Sea Islands	2	19	21	3	49	52
	764	10,375	11,139	1,408	27,939	29,347
Chicory.						
Prepared.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Queensland	.....	1,736	.....	.....	17	
Tasmania	.....	7,728	.....	.....	87	
New Zealand	.....	448	.....	.....	5	
	.....	9,912	9,912	.....	109	109

* Exclusive of medicines.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Chinaware and Porcelain. (See also Earthenware.)						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	58	.....	.....	428	
Queensland	.....	54	.....	.....	277	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	100	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	53	
Tasmania	.....	10	.....	.....	52	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	96	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	63	
Hong Kong...	.....	30	.....	.....	150	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	24	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
	.....	192	192	.....	1,269	1,269
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods).						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	13	
South Sea Islands	.....	9	.....	.....	28	
	.....	25	25	.....	54	54
Chinese Provisions.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	35	.....	.....	46	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	22	
Hong Kong	.....	3	.....	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	31	.....	.....	42	
	.....	86	86	.....	125	125
Chocolate. (See Cocoa and Chocolate.)						
Chrome Ore.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	cwt.		
Queensland	15,670	.....	15,670	2,151	.....	2,151
United Kingdom	22,728	93,090	115,818	3,380	18,054	21,434
Germany	120	1,000	1,120	30	200	230
United States	3,700	.....	3,700	740	.....	740
	42,218	94,090	136,308	6,301	18,254	24,555

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cider and Perry.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	8	.....	.....	1	
Queensland	.....	133	.....	.....	39	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	18	.....	.....	4	
	.....	167	167	.....	45	45
Clocks.						
(See Watches and Clocks.)						
Coal.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	738,802	.....	.....	253,097	.....	
Queensland	29,236	.....	.....	9,565	.....	
South Australia	423,199	.....	.....	147,754	.....	
Western Australia ...	190,308	.....	.....	67,146	.....	
Tasmania	63,891	.....	.....	19,649	.....	
New Zealand	183,636	.....	.....	53,872	.....	
United Kingdom	5,190	.....	.....	1,770	.....	
Cape Colony	4,231	.....	.....	1,403	.....	
Ceylon	14,533	.....	.....	5,124	.....	
Fiji	22,643	.....	.....	6,949	.....	
Hong Kong	52,506	.....	.....	16,995	.....	
India	42,050	.....	.....	14,836	.....	
Mauritius	11,587	.....	.....	4,107	.....	
Natal	300	.....	.....	90	.....	
New Guinea	3,190	.....	.....	1,042	.....	
Straits Settlements ...	81,505	.....	.....	28,199	.....	
Celebes	1,983	.....	.....	694	.....	
Chili	348,364	.....	.....	123,403	.....	
China	18,445	.....	.....	8,036	.....	
Cochin China	1,450	.....	.....	508	.....	
Ecuador	1,097	.....	.....	338	.....	
Hawaiian Islands	74,782	.....	.....	26,767	.....	
Java	76,800	.....	.....	26,347	.....	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	507	.....	.....	243	.....	
Marshall Islands	782	.....	.....	291	.....	
Mexico	11,737	.....	.....	4,160	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	398	.....	.....	190	.....	
New Caledonia	13,723	.....	.....	5,323	.....	
Panama	20,231	.....	.....	7,266	.....	
Peru	40,897	.....	.....	14,847	.....	
Philippine Islands	78,493	.....	.....	29,571	.....	
South Sea Islands	6,476	.....	.....	2,553	.....	
Tahiti	1,814	.....	.....	649	.....	
United States	227,010	.....	.....	79,884	.....	
	2,791,796	.....	2,791,796	962,668	.....	962,668
Cobalt Ore.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	2,337	1,281	3,618	560	330	890

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cocoa (Prepared) and Chocolate.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	6,399	27,259	33,658	412	2,091	2,503
Queensland	.....	63,662	63,662	.....	3,482	3,482
South Australia	845	4,014	4,859	58	276	334
Western Australia ..	825	912	1,737	58	140	198
Tasmania	.....	6,083	6,083	.....	330	330
New Zealand	.....	9,664	9,664	.....	525	525
Fiji	72	3,004	3,076	4	248	252
New Guinea	.....	270	270	.....	15	15
Norfolk Island	.....	15	15	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	208	208	.....	20	20
New Caledonia	.....	50	50	.....	2	2
South Sea Islands	56	749	805	3	65	68
	8,197	115,890	124,087	535	7,195	7,730
Cocoa (Raw).						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	3,356	3,356	.....	135	135
Coffee.						
Raw.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	84,180	.....	.....	2,362	
Queensland	.....	31,745	.....	.....	1,453	
South Australia	.....	33,476	.....	.....	1,314	
Western Australia ...	.....	5,860	.....	.....	184	
New Zealand	.....	11,147	.....	.....	538	
United Kingdom	.....	1,000	.....	.....	16	
Ceylon	.....	12,531	.....	.....	522	
Fiji	.....	1,196	.....	.....	57	
New Guinea	.....	1,268	.....	.....	67	
France	.....	37,676	.....	.....	1,021	
New Caledonia	.....	168	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,240	.....	.....	111	
	.....	222,487	222,487	.....	7,652	7,652
Prepared.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	1,336	533	1,869	64	25	89
Queensland	3,332	1,121	4,453	166	65	231
South Australia	431	56	487	17	2	19
Western Australia ...	112	700	812	6	31	37
Tasmania	.....	112	112	.....	6	6
New Zealand	56	2,464	2,520	3	126	129
Fiji	2,246	1,526	3,772	103	68	171
New Guinea	420	.....	420	20	.....	20
Norfolk Island	26	.....	26	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	224	.....	224	11	.....	11
South Sea Islands	1,008	432	1,440	45	22	67
	9,191	6,944	16,135	436	345	781

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Coin.						
Gold.						
Australasia—	boxes.	boxes.	boxes.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	12	12	.....	7,659	7,659
Queensland	46	6	52	230,000	30,000	260,000
New Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	13,000	13,000
United Kingdom	.....	97	97	.....	466,813	466,813
Hong Kong	.....	260	260	.....	161,100	161,100
France	.....	2	2	.....	790	790
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	193	193
Marshall Islands	.....	4	4	.....	1,650	1,650
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	2	.....	700	700
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	2,000	2,000
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	155	155
United States	226	897	1,123	1,125,582	4,489,418	5,615,000
	272	1,289	1,561	1,355,582	5,173,478	6,529,060
Silver.						
Australasia—		boxes.	boxes.			
Victoria	.....	30	.....	.....	2,418	
Queensland	.....	67	.....	.....	16,928	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	900	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	600	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
Fiji	.....	21	.....	.....	4,100	
Hong Kong	.....	1	.....	.....	169	
France	.....	3	.....	.....	740	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	307	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	500	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	150	
South Sea Islands	.....	20	.....	.....	3,052	
	.....	152	152	.....	29,872	29,872
Bronze.						
Australasia—		boxes.	boxes.			
Queensland	.....	62	.....	.....	610	
New Zealand	.....	44	.....	.....	470	
	.....	106	106	.....	1,080	1,080
Coke.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	1,175	.....	.....	1,245	.....	
Queensland	2	.....	.....	1	.....	
South Australia	17,138	.....	.....	15,345	.....	
Western Australia ...	545	.....	.....	363	.....	
Tasmania	11,230	.....	.....	7,172	.....	
New Zealand	528	.....	.....	741	.....	
Hong Kong...	11	.....	.....	13	.....	
Mauritius	31	.....	.....	39	.....	
Straits Settlements ...	5	.....	.....	4	.....	
Chili	10	.....	.....	14	.....	
Japan	112	.....	.....	123	.....	
New Caledonia	3	.....	.....	5	.....	
United States	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
	30,791	.....	30,791	25,066	.....	25,066

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Confectionery.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	1,498	2,747	4,245	36	162	198
Queensland	864	14,894	15,758	37	466	503
South Australia	1,124	2,209	3,333	40	103	143
Western Australia ...	2,894	9,991	12,885	69	230	299
Tasmania...	.....	1,563	1,563	.....	50	50
New Zealand	.....	2,949	2,949	.....	164	164
United Kingdom	112	212	324	4	5	9
Fiji	5,290	10	5,300	127	1	128
India	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
New Guinea	336	.....	336	10	.....	10
Norfolk Island	333	.....	333	7	.....	7
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	112	.....	112	4	.....	4
New Caledonia	3,857	.....	3,857	78	.....	78
South Sea Islands	2,530	152	2,682	73	6	79
United States	.....	440	440	.....	18	18
	19,006	35,167	54,173	487	1,205	1,692
Copper.						
Ingots.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	915	.....	.....	2,362	.....	
Queensland	605	.....	.....	1,633	.....	
South Australia	23	.....	.....	64	.....	
Western Australia ...	70	.....	.....	181	.....	
New Zealand	1,007	.....	.....	2,615	.....	
United Kingdom	101,417	.....	.....	250,288	.....	
	*104,037	.....	104,037	*257,143	.....	257,143
Rod and Bar.		pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Queensland	.....	48	.....	.....	155	
South Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	33	
Western Australia ...	.....	9	.....	.....	52	
Tasmania	.....	86	.....	.....	449	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Fiji	.....	20	.....	.....	59	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	12	.....	.....	32	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	6	
	.....	189	189	.....	809	809
Sheet.		pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	3	.....	.....	9	
Queensland	.....	37	.....	.....	229	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
New Zealand	.....	18	.....	.....	66	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	25	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	16	
	.....	67	67	.....	356	356

* Includes copper refined from both New South Wales and imported ores.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Copper—*continued.*						
Wire.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
South Australia	.....	6	.....	.....	309	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
United Kingdom	.....	25	.....	.....	600	
Fiji	.....	37	.....	.....	510	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
	.....	70	70	.....	1,425	1,425
Contained in Matte.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	9,042	20	9,062	22,905	48	22,953
Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
South Australia	3,440	.....	.....	781	.....	
United Kingdom	128	.....	.....	57	.....	
	3,569	.....	3,569	839	.....	839
Copra.		cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	.....	102,036	.....	.....	58,897	
Belgium	.....	1,774	.....	.....	1,056	
Chili	.....	625	.....	.....	310	
Germany	.....	13,728	.....	.....	7,739	
	.....	118,163	118,163	.....	68,002	68,002
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	466	352	818	967	971	1,938
Queensland	606	1,300	1,906	777	3,792	4,569
South Australia	161	74	235	442	214	656
Western Australia ...	184	10	194	438	31	469
Tasmania	4,736	237	4,973	9,634	692	10,326
New Zealand	2,459	313	2,772	4,842	824	5,666
Fiji	449	456	905	1,200	1,202	2,402
New Guinea	88	73	161	215	197	412
Norfolk Island	.....	20	20	.....	55	55
Marshall Islands	3	.....	3	6	.....	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	63	107	170	147	242	389
New Caledonia	289	268	557	765	704	1,469
South Sea Islands	103	173	276	250	467	717
Tahiti	.....	15	15	.....	28	28
	9,607	3,398	13,005	19,683	9,419	29,102
Cordage (Old).						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	4,242	.....	.....	1,400	.....	
Western Australia ...	5	.....	.....	2	.....	
United Kingdom	16	.....	.....	6	.....	
Hong Kong.	36	.....	.....	12	.....	
	4,299	.....	4,299	1,420	.....	1,420

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cordials.						
Not containing spirit.						
Australasia—	doz. bottles.	doz. bottles.	doz. bottles.	£	£	£
Victoria	57	37	94	18	15	33
Queensland	578	44	622	289	22	311
South Australia... ...	66	122	188	22	61	83
Western Australia ...	.....	25	25	.....	15	15
Tasmania...	143	46	189	72	24	96
New Zealand	332	6	338	166	3	169
Fiji	62	10	72	20	4	24
New Guinea	34	11	45	16	5	21
New Caledonia	6	117	123	3	58	61
South Sea Islands	51	18	69	20	10	30
	1,329	436	1,765	626	217	843
Corks and Bungs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	18	18	.....	152	152
Queensland	6	157	163	8	1,555	1,563
South Australia	.....	18	18	.....	145	145
Western Australia ...	.....	103	103	.....	767	767
Tasmania	.....	20	20	.....	190	190
New Zealand	.....	100	100	.....	865	865
United Kingdom	.....	151	151	.....	998	998
Fiji	.....	12	12	.....	67	67
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	17	17
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
	6	584	590	8	4,764	4,772
Cotton.						
Wick.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
South Australia... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	66	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	34	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
	.....	8	8	.....	114	114
Waste.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	23	.....	.....	100	
Queensland	.....	78	.....	.....	356	
South Australia... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	13	
Western Australia ...	.....	18	.....	.....	93	
Tasmania	.....	8	.....	.....	66	
New Zealand	.....	6	.....	.....	41	
Fiji	.....	8	.....	.....	47	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	18	
New Caledonia	.....	11	.....	.....	64	
South Sea Islands	.....	15	.....	.....	100	
	.....	175	175	.....	904	904
Cream.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.			
Victoria	9,595	.....	.....	1,534	.....	
HongKong	25	.....	.....	12	.....	
	9,620	.....	9,620	1,546	.....	1,546

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Cream of Tartar.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	43,708	.....	.....	1,786	
Queensland	.....	59,136	.....	.....	2,532	
South Australia... ...	.....	560	.....	.....	23	
Western Australia ...	.....	5,152	.....	.....	211	
Tasmania	.....	14,224	.....	.....	570	
New Zealand	.....	38,528	.....	.....	1,572	
Fiji	.....	243	.....	.....	9	
Norfolk Island	.....	20	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	280	.....	.....	12	
	.....	161,851	161,851	.....	6,716	6,716
Cutlery.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	29	.....	.....	907	
Queensland	.....	136	.....	.....	1,217	
South Australia... ...	.....	18	.....	.....	280	
Western Australia ...	.....	20	.....	.....	212	
Tasmania	.....	8	.....	.....	72	
New Zealand	.....	38	.....	.....	1,542	
United Kingdom	.....	6	.....	.....	130	
Fiji	.....	46	.....	.....	321	
New Guinea	.....	32	.....	.....	174	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Belgium	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	14	.....	.....	61	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
South Sea Islands	.....	40	.....	.....	229	
	.....	393	393	.....	5,164	5,164
Dentists' Tools and Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	18	.....	.....	377	
Queensland	.....	45	.....	.....	820	
South Australia... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	138	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	32	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
New Zealand	.....	3	.....	.....	61	
United Kingdom	.....	12	.....	.....	128	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	20	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	25	
	.....	93	93	.....	1,606	1,606
Diving Gear.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	11	11	.....	136	136
Western Australia ...	5	4	9	60	74	134
New Guinea	.....	6	6	.....	67	67
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	9	9
Tahiti	.....	4	4	.....	60	60
	5	26	31	60	346	406
Dough. (See Bread and Dough.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	11	1,671	1,682	232	35,438	35,670
Queensland	111	4,319	4,430	2,000	75,069	77,069
South Australia	.....	544	544	.....	11,618	11,618
Western Australia ...	2	347	349	80	9,057	9,137
Tasmania	13	690	703	247	9,034	9,281
New Zealand	9	742	751	142	11,085	11,227
United Kingdom	.....	76	76	.....	2,560	2,560
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Cape Colony	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
Fiji	1	1,037	1,038	7	16,937	16,944
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	8	8
New Guinea	.....	107	107	.....	1,630	1,630
Norfolk Island	.....	58	58	.....	569	569
China	.....	3	3	.....	18	18
Germany	.....	4	4	.....	133	133
Hawaiian Islands	.....	12	12	.....	306	306
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	35	35
Japan	.....	16	16	.....	225	225
Marshall Islands	.....	6	6	.....	104	104
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	42	42	.....	523	523
New Caledonia	.....	248	248	.....	3,770	3,770
South Sea Islands	.....	1,026	1,026	.....	15,685	15,685
Tahiti	.....	2	2	.....	13	13
United States	.....	3	3	.....	120	120
	147	10,957	11,104	2,708	193,960	196,668
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated).*						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	308	1,244	1,552	487	4,167	4,654
Queensland	1,243	2,012	3,255	5,926	12,405	18,331
South Australia	424	606	1,030	2,268	2,887	5,155
Western Australia ...	124	625	749	762	3,097	3,859
Tasmania	492	623	1,115	3,750	2,550	6,300
New Zealand	340	915	1,255	3,594	4,966	8,560
United Kingdom	14	62	76	50	819	869
Ceylon	54	.....	54	68	.....	68
Fiji	102	336	438	373	1,585	1,958
New Guinea	15	29	44	52	124	176
Norfolk Island	.....	4	4	.....	14	14
Straits Settlements ...	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
China	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
Germany	3	.....	3	10	.....	10
Hawaiian Islands	38	13	51	114	56	170
Japan	6	.....	6	19	.....	19
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	18	18
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	3	20	23	10	79	89
New Caledonia	13	39	52	42	145	187
South Sea Islands	58	98	156	140	524	664
United States	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
	3,240	6,632	9,872	17,678	33,451	51,129

* Includes patent medicines, sponges, pill-boxes, &c.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Dyes and Dye Ware.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	297	.....	.....	2,102	
Queensland	.....	169	.....	.....	736	
South Australia	.....	158	.....	.....	933	
Western Australia ...	.....	30	.....	.....	261	
Tasmania	.....	58	.....	.....	184	
New Zealand	.....	134	.....	.....	503	
Fiji	.....	14	.....	.....	36	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
	.....	864	864	.....	4,774	4,774
Earthenware.						
(See also Chinaware and Porcelain.)						
Crockeryware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	239	239	.....	1,250	1,250
Queensland	8	324	332	15	2,398	2,413
South Australia... ...	.....	113	113	.....	800	800
Western Australia ...	.....	154	154	.....	890	890
Tasmania	.....	255	255	.....	1,446	1,446
New Zealand	.....	143	143	.....	725	725
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	73	73
Fiji	.....	160	160	.....	729	729
New Guinea	.....	41	41	.....	145	145
Norfolk Island	.....	18	18	.....	81	81
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
Marshall Islands	.....	7	7	.....	25	25
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	19	19	.....	73	73
New Caledonia	.....	34	34	.....	150	150
South Sea Islands	.....	158	158	.....	789	789
	8	1,669	1,677	15	9,594	9,609
Drain-pipes.	No.		No.			
Fiji	234	.....	234	8	.....	8
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	10	49	59	132	149	281
Queensland	27	36	63	77	133	210
South Australia... ...	1	5	6	1	39	40
Western Australia ...	104	26	130	185	138	323
Tasmania	.....	18	18	.....	57	57
New Zealand	.....	10	10	.....	53	53
United Kingdom	.....	8	8	.....	40	40
Fiji	.....	16	16	.....	43	43
New Guinea	.....	6	6	.....	18	18
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	2	17	19	5	50	55
South Sea Islands	.....	10	10	.....	46	46
	144	202	346	400	770	1,170

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Eggs.						
Australasia—	doz.		doz.	£	£	£
Victoria	203,310	.....	.....	6,770	.....	
Queensland	248	.....	.....	10	.....	
South Australia... ...	2,208	.....	.....	75	.....	
Western Australia ...	57,651	.....	.....	2,742	.....	
Tasmania...	502	.....	.....	16	.....	
New Zealand	341	.....	.....	11	.....	
United Kingdom	36	.....	.....	1	.....	
Natal	100	.....	.....	3	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	36	.....	.....	1	.....	
New Caledonia	288	.....	.....	14	.....	
	264,720	.....	264,720	9,643	.....	9,643
Exhibits.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
South Australia	40	.....	.....	717	.....	
United Kingdom	18	.....	.....	248	.....	
Hong Kong	1	.....	.....	5	.....	
Natal	1	.....	.....	5	.....	
	60	.....	60	975	.....	975
Explosives. (See Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives.)						
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	7	1,650	1,657	43	8,232	8,275
Queensland	55	1,840	1,895	435	15,921	16,356
South Australia	.....	586	586	.....	3,299	3,299
Western Australia ...	.....	1,254	1,254	.....	5,409	5,409
Tasmania	.....	411	411	.....	4,136	4,136
New Zealand	6	441	447	54	4,049	4,103
United Kingdom	25	688	713	622	6,647	7,269
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	11	11	.....	90	90
Ceylon	.....	8	8	.....	47	47
Fiji	.....	231	231	.....	2,207	2,207
Hong Kong...	.....	7	7	.....	26	26
India	.....	12	12	.....	156	156
Natal	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Guinea	.....	65	65	.....	197	197
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
France	1	12	13	3	33	36
Germany	4	55	59	23	259	282
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	11	11
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	11	11	.....	61	61
New Caledonia	.....	29	29	.....	333	333
South Sea Islands	.....	131	131	.....	895	895
United States	.....	8	8	.....	38	38
	98	7,459	7,557	1,180	52,073	53,253

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Farinaceous and Milk Foods.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	8,288	10,235	18,523	73	201	274
Queensland	59,976	15,430	75,406	406	312	718
South Australia	80	144	224	1	6	7
Western Australia ...	5,006	5,128	10,134	45	78	123
Tasmania	6,813	3,528	10,341	73	65	138
New Zealand	.....	1,848	1,848	.....	67	67
United Kingdom	.....	65	65	.....	5	5
Fiji	5,256	4,445	9,701	45	94	139
New Guinea	1,036	252	1,288	9	9	18
Norfolk Island	112	.....	112	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	.....	112	112	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	300	.....	300	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	200	.....	200	2	.....	2
South Sea Islands	1,208	569	1,777	11	23	34
	88,275	41,756	130,031	669	862	1,531
Felt.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	23	.....	.....	123	
Queensland	.....	103	.....	.....	190	
South Australia	.....	20	.....	.....	70	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Tasmania	.....	5	.....	.....	9	
New Zealand	.....	3	.....	.....	18	
Fiji	.....	8	.....	.....	19	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	16	.....	.....	53	
	.....	181	181	.....	487	487
Fibre.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	43	.....	.....	100	
Queensland	.....	7,680	.....	.....	310	
South Australia	.....	505	.....	.....	22	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Zealand	.....	820	.....	.....	28	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	1,195	.....	.....	52	
	.....	10,251	10,251	.....	519	519
Fireclay.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	100	.....	100	10	.....	10
Queensland	.....	109	109	.....	43	43
South Australia	6	250	256	1	63	64
Western Australia ...	5	.....	5	1	.....	1
New Zealand	.....	60	60	.....	8	8
Fiji	137	.....	137	15	.....	15
New Caledonia	.....	20	20	.....	6	6
South Sea Islands	39	.....	39	5	.....	5
	287	439	726	32	120	152

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Firewood.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.	£	£	£
Victoria	1,744	.....	.....	357	.....	
Queensland	198	.....	.....	50	.....	
	1,942	.....	1,942	407	.....	407
Fireworks.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	68	68	.....	241	241
South Australia... ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Western Australia ...	3	.....	3	12	.....	12
Tasmania	.....	8	8	.....	31	31
New Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	29	29
Fiji	.....	85	85	.....	75	75
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	4	4
Marshall Islands	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	8	8	.....	10	10
South Sea Islands	.....	24	24	.....	43	43
	3	205	208	12	440	452
Fish.						
Fresh.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	1,652	.....	.....	2,129	.....	
South Australia... ...	386	.....	.....	916	.....	
New Caledonia	23	.....	.....	35	.....	
	2,061	.....	2,061	3,080	.....	3,080
Frozen.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
New Zealand	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Cape Colony	1	138	139	3	206	209
Ceylon	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Natal	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
	5	140	145	8	211	219
Dried and Preserved.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	122	624,084	624,206	4	13,129	13,133
Queensland	.....	218,898	218,898	.....	4,110	4,110
South Australia... ...	.....	57,526	57,526	.....	1,277	1,277
Western Australia ...	.....	99,901	99,901	.....	2,158	2,158
Tasmania	.....	87,315	87,315	.....	1,737	1,737
New Zealand	.....	27,605	27,605	.....	623	623
Ceylon	.....	56	56	.....	1	1
Fiji	.....	41,294	41,294	.....	787	787
New Guinea	.....	7,544	7,544	.....	136	136
Norfolk Island	.....	140	140	.....	3	3
France	.....	500	500	.....	10	10
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	100	100	.....	4	4
Marshall Islands	.....	290	290	.....	6	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	7,549	7,549	.....	157	157
New Caledonia	.....	53,748	53,748	.....	1,040	1,040
South Sea Islands	.....	40,404	40,404	.....	737	737
United States	.....	3,032	3,032	.....	48	48
	122	1,269,986	1,270,108	4	25,963	25,967

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Flax and Hemp.						
Exclusive of Phormium Tenax.		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
Queensland	.....	277	.....	.....	2,201	
South Australia... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Italy	.....	117	.....	.....	355	
Japan	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
	.....	398	398	.....	2,581	2,581
Phormium Tenax.		pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Queensland	.....	23	23	.....	57	57
Floorcloth and Oilcloth.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	4	.....	.....	20	
Queensland	.....	51	.....	.....	248	
South Australia... ...	.....	11	.....	.....	81	
Western Australia ...	.....	6	.....	.....	26	
Tasmania	.....	19	.....	.....	127	
New Zealand	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
Fiji	.....	11	.....	.....	47	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
South Sea Islands	.....	8	.....	.....	33	
	.....	122	122	.....	613	613
Fruit.						
Boiled or in Pulp and Peel (drained or dry).						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	736	84	820	7	1	8
Queensland	6,732	12,810	19,542	57	87	144
South Australia	.....	16,471	16,471	.....	89	89
Western Australia ...	1,216	.....	1,216	8	.....	8
Tasmania	7,060	7,168	14,228	57	60	117
New Zealand	.....	16,265	16,265	.....	132	132
United Kingdom	76,451	7,500	83,951	471	52	523
	92,195	60,298	152,493	600	421	1,021

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Bottled.						
Australasia—		doz.	doz.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	73	.....	.....	29	
South Australia... ...	.....	32	.....	.....	7	
Fiji	.....	28	.....	.....	11	
New Guinea	.....	10	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	10	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	34	.....	.....	14	
	.....	187	187	.....	69	69
Fresh—Bananas.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	3,553	.....	.....	467	
South Australia... ...	.....	1,059	.....	.....	402	
Western Australia ...	.....	234	.....	.....	54	
Tasmania	.....	364	.....	.....	112	
New Zealand	.....	182	.....	.....	46	
	.....	5,392	5,392	.....	1,081	1,081
Fresh—Pineapples.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	852	.....	.....	215	
South Australia... ...	.....	92	.....	.....	28	
Western Australia ...	.....	23	.....	.....	5	
Tasmania	.....	21	.....	.....	9	
New Zealand	.....	56	.....	.....	16	
	.....	1,044	1,044	.....	273	273
Fresh—Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	268,857	21,733	290,590	63,263	6,459	69,722
Queensland	157,194	16,843	174,037	30,573	4,959	35,532
South Australia... ...	4,865	857	5,722	1,277	197	1,474
Western Australia ...	29,031	6,370	35,401	7,331	2,029	9,360
Tasmania	18,406	1,850	20,256	3,563	532	4,095
New Zealand	73,996	2,459	76,455	17,902	803	18,705
United Kingdom	34,375	.....	34,375	7,101	.....	7,101
Canadian Dominion ...	1,571	80	1,651	577	25	602
Ceylon	49	.....	49	17	.....	17
Fiji	525	490	1,015	137	149	286
Hong Kong	31	.....	31	13	.....	13
Natal	61	20	81	18	8	26
New Guinea	36	58	94	9	18	27
China	25	.....	25	10	.....	10
Germany	35	.....	35	15	.....	15
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	6	5	11	2	2	4
New Pommern (New Britain).	40	23	63	12	9	21
New Caledonia	1,450	1,317	2,767	406	413	819
South Sea Islands	47	32	79	13	9	22
United States	.....	12	12	.....	4	4
	590,602	52,149	642,751	132,240	15,616	147,856

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Dried—Currants and Raisins.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.		£	£
Victoria	.....	109,878	.....	.....	1,383	
Queensland	.....	411,357	.....	.....	5,439	
South Australia	.....	13,519	.....	.....	207	
Western Australia ...	.....	17,445	.....	.....	282	
Tasmania	.....	76,436	.....	.....	946	
New Zealand	.....	271,961	.....	.....	3,930	
United Kingdom	.....	3,901	.....	.....	50	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	6,851	.....	.....	86	
Cape Colony	.....	80	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	9,589	.....	.....	116	
Hong Kong	.....	1,914	.....	.....	24	
India	.....	164	.....	.....	2	
Mauritius	.....	82	.....	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	961	.....	.....	11	
Norfolk Island	.....	665	.....	.....	8	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	585	.....	.....	8	
Chili	.....	993	.....	.....	10	
China	.....	143	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	146	.....	.....	2	
Germany	.....	237	.....	.....	3	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	349	.....	.....	3	
Japan	.....	84	.....	.....	1	
Java...	.....	174	.....	.....	3	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	136	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	155	.....	.....	2	
Netherlands	.....	96	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	76	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	4,559	.....	.....	58	
Panama	.....	336	.....	.....	4	
Peru...	.....	212	.....	.....	2	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	506	.....	.....	6	
South Sea Islands	.....	3,119	.....	.....	40	
Tahiti	.....	112	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	2,325	.....	.....	28	
	.....	939,146	939,146	.....	12,663	12,663
Dried—Dates.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	33,432	.....	.....	311	
Queensland	.....	48,169	.....	.....	321	
South Australia	.....	420	.....	.....	4	
Western Australia ...	.....	5,040	.....	.....	35	
Tasmania	.....	14,340	.....	.....	95	
New Zealand	.....	35,460	.....	.....	307	
Fiji	.....	1,982	.....	.....	16	
Norfolk Island	.....	189	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	5,354	.....	.....	37	
South Sea Islands	.....	296	.....	.....	3	
	.....	144,682	144,682	.....	1,131	1,131

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Dried—Other Dried and Candied.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.		£	£
Victoria	.....	9,455	.....	.....	209	
Queensland	.....	80,370	.....	.....	1,609	
South Australia... ...	.....	7,085	.....	.....	148	
Western Australia ...	.....	12,731	.....	.....	250	
Tasmania	.....	1,350	.....	.....	25	
New Zealand	.....	8,688	.....	.....	204	
United Kingdom	.....	3,265	.....	.....	62	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1,782	.....	.....	34	
Cape Colony	.....	81	.....	.....	2	
Fiji	.....	2,672	.....	.....	51	
Hong Kong	.....	708	.....	.....	13	
India	.....	99	.....	.....	2	
Mauritius	.....	90	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	758	.....	.....	15	
Norfolk Island	.....	82	.....	.....	2	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	248	.....	.....	4	
Belgium	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Chili	.....	1,031	.....	.....	19	
China	.....	58	.....	.....	1	
France	.....	368	.....	.....	6	
Germany	.....	150	.....	.....	3	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	314	.....	.....	7	
Japan	.....	40	.....	.....	1	
Java	.....	129	.....	.....	3	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	78	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	115	.....	.....	2	
Netherlands	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	162	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	463	.....	.....	8	
Panama	.....	699	.....	.....	14	
Peru	.....	350	.....	.....	6	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	572	.....	.....	12	
South Sea Islands	.....	3,147	.....	.....	64	
Tahiti	.....	50	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	2,105	.....	.....	32	
	.....	139,395	139,395	.....	2,818	2,818
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	63,720	.....	.....	248	
Queensland	.....	24,008	.....	.....	92	
South Australia	.....	27,360	.....	.....	91	
Western Australia ...	.....	2,160	.....	.....	8	
Tasmania	.....	13,356	.....	.....	54	
New Zealand	.....	3,420	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	180	.....	.....	1	
	.....	134,204	134,204	.....	504	504

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Fruit—*continued.*						
Edible Nuts—Other.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	54,581	.....	.....	1,208	
Queensland	.....	19,943	.....	.....	559	
South Australia	.....	5,514	.....	.....	100	
Western Australia ...	.....	15,354	.....	.....	371	
Tasmania...	.....	7,309	.....	.....	137	
New Zealand	.....	11,834	.....	.....	290	
Fiji	.....	1,050	.....	.....	17	
New Guinea	.....	448	.....	.....	9	
New Caledonia	.....	2,696	.....	.....	43	
South Sea Islands	.....	638	.....	.....	11	
	.....	119,367	119,367	.....	2,745	2,745
Fruit Salts.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	72	.....	.....	14	
Queensland	.....	540	.....	.....	107	
South Australia	.....	168	.....	.....	29	
Western Australia ...	.....	5,310	.....	.....	1,015	
Fiji	.....	396	.....	.....	66	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	216	.....	.....	44	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	72	.....	.....	12	
New Caledonia	.....	180	.....	.....	33	
South Sea Islands	.....	180	.....	.....	33	
	.....	7,134	7,134	.....	1,353	1,353
Fungus.		pkg.	pkg.			
Hong Kong...	.....	2,707	2,707	.....	3,578	3,578
Furniture and Upholstery.						
Furniture.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1,754	451	2,205	4,236	1,358	5,594
Queensland	1,104	1,221	2,325	3,204	4,389	7,593
South Australia	444	268	712	1,562	903	2,465
Western Australia ...	616	237	853	1,566	854	2,420
Tasmania...	400	384	784	654	889	1,543
New Zealand	552	518	1,070	1,727	1,995	3,722
United Kingdom	18	85	103	240	1,530	1,770
Fiji	110	86	196	296	293	589
Natal	4	14	18	50	100	150
New Guinea	30	10	40	93	26	119
Norfolk Island	3	.....	3	8	.....	8
France	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
Germany	.....	25	25	.....	150	150
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Marshall Islands	2	1	3	6	5	11
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	11	5	16	32	19	51
New Caledonia	42	107	149	120	313	433
South Sea Islands	62	107	169	175	383	558
	5,153	3,520	8,673	13,979	13,212	27,191

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Furniture and Upholstery—*continued.*						
Furniture Springs and Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	217	217	.....	621	621
Queensland	16	59	75	25	58	83
Western Australia ...	4	25	29	7	56	63
Tasmania	.....	26	26	.....	71	71
Fiji	.....	7	7	.....	26	26
	20	334	354	32	832	864
Upholstery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	36	33	69	44	225	269
Queensland...	34	103	137	94	606	700
South Australia	26	7	33	38	29	67
Western Australia ...	7	13	20	35	40	75
Tasmania	3	128	131	5	207	212
New Zealand	.....	134	134	.....	423	423
United Kingdom	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Fiji	44	19	63	147	43	190
New Guinea	14	8	22	19	10	29
Norfolk Island	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Belgium	15	.....	15	130	.....	130
Germany	5	.....	5	60	.....	60
Marshall Islands	1	4	5	2	7	9
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
New Caledonia	5	13	18	10	34	44
South Sea Islands	24	8	32	61	20	81
	219	470	689	655	1,644	2,299
Furs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria...	.....	1	1	.....	25	25
Queensland	7	.....	7	206	.....	206
South Australia	.....	2	2	.....	90	90
Western Australia ...	2	.....	2	44	.....	44
New Zealand	24	.....	24	1,431	.....	1,431
United Kingdom	11	1	12	258	50	308
Natal	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	40	40
Italy	1	.....	1	12	.....	12
	46	5	51	1,961	205	2,166
Gas-fittings.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	17	20	8	200	208
Queensland	.....	23	23	.....	116	116
South Australia	.....	5	5	.....	48	48
Western Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	23	23
Tasmania...	.....	26	26	.....	145	145
New Zealand	.....	88	88	.....	101	101
United Kingdom	.....	5	5	.....	144	144
Fiji	.....	6	6	.....	43	43
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	19	19
	3	174	177	8	839	847

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Gasoline.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	160	200	360	13	23	36
Queensland	.....	735	735	.....	81	81
South Australia... ...	16	120	136	1	14	15
Western Australia ...	184	.....	184	13	.....	13
Tasmania	.....	24	24	.....	3	3
New Zealand	2,321	679	3,000	221	85	306
New Guinea	.....	56	56	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	2,293	42	2,335	190	5	195
	4,974	1,856	6,830	438	216	654
Gelatine and Isinglass.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria...	.....	7,548	.....	.....	1,079	
Queensland	.....	6,624	.....	.....	595	
South Australia... ...	.....	808	.....	.....	42	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,120	.....	.....	59	
Tasmania	.....	565	.....	.....	84	
New Zealand	.....	2,240	.....	.....	120	
United Kingdom	.....	376	.....	.....	60	
Fiji	.....	392	.....	.....	53	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	336	.....	.....	54	
South Sea Islands	.....	56	.....	.....	6	
	.....	20,065	20,065	.....	2,152	2,152
Ginger—*Dried and Green.*						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	2,479	.....	.....	30	
Queensland	.....	2,972	.....	.....	60	
South Australia... ...	.....	2,608	.....	.....	38	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,476	.....	.....	36	
Tasmania	.....	2,428	.....	.....	51	
New Zealand	.....	1,904	.....	.....	43	
Fiji	.....	906	.....	.....	22	
Japan	.....	11,510	.....	.....	70	
New Caledonia	.....	142	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	672	.....	.....	17	
	.....	27,097	27,097	.....	370	370
Glass.						
Looking.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	6	.....	.....	46	
Queensland	.....	18	.....	.....	112	
South Australia... ...	.....	5	.....	.....	30	
Western Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	57	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	54	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	11	
New Caledonia	.....	4	.....	.....	25	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	10	
	.....	54	54	.....	353	353

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Glass—*continued.*						
Plate.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	32	
Queensland	.....	1	.....	.....	9	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
	.....	5	5	.....	50	50
Window.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	187	188	4	104	108
Queensland	5	439	444	17	356	373
South Australia	.....	21	21	.....	29	29
Western Australia ...	.....	11	11	.....	12	12
Tasmania	.....	22	22	.....	41	41
New Zealand	4	75	79	9	243	252
Fiji	.....	59	59	.....	44	44
New Guinea	.....	10	10	.....	9	9
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Hawaiian Islands	.....	108	108	.....	68	68
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	7	7	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	32	32	.....	40	40
South Sea Islands	.....	38	38	.....	24	24
	10	1,014	1,024	30	983	1,013
Broken.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	3,729	.....	.....	392	
South Australia	.....	338	.....	.....	79	
Hong Kong...	.....	515	.....	.....	164	
	.....	4,582	4,582	.....	635	635
Glassware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	104	306	410	119	1,164	1,283
Queensland	33	332	365	103	1,166	1,269
South Australia	.....	98	98	.....	328	328
Western Australia ...	49	144	193	148	488	636
Tasmania	.....	89	89	.....	312	312
New Zealand	10	179	189	39	1,349	1,388
United Kingdom	.....	105	105	.....	210	210
Fiji	1	121	122	2	391	393
India	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
New Guinea	.....	25	25	.....	88	88
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	4	4
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	13	13
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	8	.....	27	27
New Caledonia	.....	47	47	.....	127	127
South Sea Islands	.....	57	57	.....	178	178
	197	1,518	1,715	411	5,853	6,264

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Gloves.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	44	.....	.....	1,115	
Queensland	.....	60	.....	.....	1,095	
South Australia	.....	9	.....	.....	170	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	134	
Tasmania	.....	13	.....	.....	198	
New Zealand	.....	27	.....	.....	399	
Fiji	.....	19	.....	.....	246	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	20	
South Sea Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	25	
	.....	185	185	.....	3,409	3,409
Glucose.						
Liquid and Syrup.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	758	.....	.....	470	
Queensland	.....	363	.....	.....	198	
South Australia	.....	148	.....	.....	91	
Western Australia ...	.....	187	.....	.....	110	
Tasmania	.....	114	.....	.....	63	
New Zealand	.....	330	.....	.....	182	
	.....	1,900	1,900	.....	1,114	1,114
Solid.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	229	.....	.....	148	
Queensland	.....	66	.....	.....	39	
South Australia	.....	162	.....	.....	107	
Tasmania	.....	10	.....	.....	6	
New Zealand	.....	63	.....	.....	38	
	.....	530	530	.....	338	338
Glue and Size.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	504	504	.....	19	19
Queensland	.....	7,898	7,898	.....	158	158
South Australia	275	318	593	4	10	14
Western Australia ...	3,260	160	3,420	49	3	52
Tasmania	224	1,344	1,568	4	34	38
New Zealand	112	1,512	1,624	2	37	39
Fiji	.....	112	112	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	.....	224	224	.....	6	6
	3,871	12,072	15,943	59	270	329
Glue-pieces and Sinews.						
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	13,800	8,000	21,800	5,971	3,250	9,221
Belgium	1,094	.....	1,094	450	.....	450
France	476	.....	476	165	.....	165
Germany	2,682	.....	2,682	1,097	.....	1,097
Italy	10	.....	10	4	.....	4
Japan	381	.....	381	292	.....	292
	18,443	8,000	26,443	7,979	3,250	11,229

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Glycerine.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	10	13	23	50	35	85
Queensland	16	43	59	74	160	234
South Australia	6	40	46	17	120	137
Western Australia ...	.....	18	18	.....	56	56
Tasmania	.....	6	6	.....	25	25
New Zealand	5	66	71	7	171	178
United Kingdom	350	.....	350	2,596	.....	2,596
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	18	18
United States	27	.....	27	275	.....	275
Gold Coin. (See Coin.)	414	190	604	3,019	585	3,604
Gold.						
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte.						
Australasia—	oz.	oz.	oz.			
Victoria	4,512	.....	4,512	18,045	.....	18,045
United Kingdom	94,794	2,530	97,324	357,251	9,420	366,671
India	5,107	.....	5,107	19,869	.....	19,869
	104,413	2,530	106,943	395,165	9,420	404,585
Quartz and Concentrates.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	1,988	.....	.....	1,261	.....	
Queensland	722	.....	.....	519	.....	
South Australia	4,610	.....	.....	5,573	.....	
United Kingdom	8,407	.....	.....	33,839	.....	
Germany	17	.....	.....	3,920	.....	
United States	1,859	.....	.....	370	.....	
	17,603	.....	17,603	45,482	.....	45,482
Gold Leaf.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	99	
Queensland	.....	4	.....	.....	49	
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
Western Australia ...	.....	1	.....	.....	22	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Grain, Pulse, &c.*	.....	9	9	.....	191	191
Barley.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	20	20,923	20,943	3	4,106	4,109
Queensland	9	9,432	9,441	2	1,721	1,723
South Australia	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
Western Australia ...	136	11,532	11,668	21	1,911	1,932
Tasmania	.....	20,632	20,632	.....	2,672	2,672
New Zealand	.....	160	160	.....	22	22
Fiji	.....	12	12	.....	2	2
India	6	.....	6	1	.....	1
New Caledonia	104	128	232	12	16	28
South Sea Islands	.....	7	7	.....	1	1
	275	62,834	63,109	39	10,452	10,491

* The following are the accepted weights :—

Barley, 1 bushel	50 lb.	Maize, 1 bushel	56 lb.	Pollard, 1 bushel	20 lb.	Flour 1 cwt or cental	100 lb.
Beans ,,	60 ,,	Oats ,,	40 ,,	Sharps ,,	20 ,,	,, 1 ton	2,000 ,,
Bran ,,	20 ,,	Peas ,,	60 ,,	Wheat ,,	60 ,,		

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Barley (prepared or pearl).	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
Queensland	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Western Australia ...	5	.....	5	1	.....	1
Tasmania...	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Fiji	12	.....	12	9	.....	9
South Sea Islands	6	.....	6	4	.....	4
	25	3	28	15	4	19
Beans.	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	766	766	.....	278	278
Queensland	.....	512	512	.....	15	15
South Australia	.....	28	28	.....	10	10
Western Australia ...	4	91	95	1	38	39
New Zealand	.....	80	80	.....	32	32
Fiji	6	52	58	2	18	20
New Guinea	.....	5	5	.....	2	2
Marshall Islands	.....	16	16	.....	7	7
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	52	52	.....	23	23
New Caledonia	.....	195	195	.....	70	70
South Sea Islands	.....	100	100	.....	36	36
	10	1,897	1,907	3	529	532
Bran.	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	84,162	.....	84,162	2,791	.....	2,791
Queensland	46,812	9,247	56,059	1,462	289	1,751
South Australia	29,360	7,467	36,827	968	237	1,205
Western Australia ...	400,973	73,989	474,962	13,015	2,379	15,394
Tasmania...	.....	40	40	.....	1	1
Ceylon	1,464	.....	1,464	40	.....	40
Fiji	5,648	4,800	10,448	171	140	311
Hong Kong	1,614	.....	1,614	50	.....	50
India	12,564	.....	12,564	462	.....	462
Natal	3,000	.....	3,600	150	.....	150
New Guinea	25	.....	25	1	.....	1
Straits Settlements... ...	798	.....	798	31	.....	31
Java...	500	... ..	500	15	.....	15
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	27	.....	27	1	.....	1
New Caledonia	6,800	216	7,016	205	6	211
Philippine Islands... ...	28	.....	28	1	.....	1
South Sea Islands	1,345	206	1,551	42	7	49
	595,720	95,965	691,685	19,405	3,059	22,464

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No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Flour.						
Australasia—	centals.	centals.	centals.	£	£	£
Victoria	40,244	.....	40,244	19,373	.....	19,373
Queensland	189,159	126,647	315,806	95,837	66,091	161,928
South Australia... ...	374	80	454	186	48	234
Western Australia ...	68,489	32,359	100,848	36,244	17,064	53,308
Tasmania	184	86	270	84	44	128
New Zealand	3,488	5,556	9,044	1,516	2,806	4,322
United Kingdom	1,120	.....	1,120	620	.....	620
Cape Colony	2,000	.....	2,000	1,125	.....	1,125
Ceylon	20	.....	20	10	.....	10
Fiji	6,681	1,318	7,999	3,384	659	4,043
Mauritius	122	2,996	3,118	65	1,400	1,465
Natal	3,688	.....	3,688	1,958	.....	1,958
New Guinea	1,072	120	1,192	504	62	566
Norfolk Island	383	.....	383	207	.....	207
Japan	4	.....	4	2	.....	2
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	45	.....	45	26	.....	26
Marshall Islands	493	.....	493	235	.....	235
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	414	102	516	208	41	249
New Caledonia	26,660	14,965	41,625	13,250	7,581	20,831
South Sea Islands	4,092	800	4,892	2,028	391	2,419
	348,732	185,029	533,761	176,862	96,187	273,049
Groats (Patent).						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	1,532	1,532	.....	46	46
Queensland	761	6,223	6,984	18	180	198
Fiji	228	432	660	6	12	18
New Guinea	.....	168	168	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
	989	8,427	9,416	24	244	268
Maize.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	1,160	.....	1,160	135	.....	135
Queensland	143,928	41,947	185,875	20,731	5,933	26,664
South Australia... ...	11,646	2,858	14,504	1,421	358	1,779
Western Australia ...	6,108	.....	6,108	774	.....	774
Tasmania...	216	.....	216	25	.....	25
New Zealand	3,416	.....	3,416	453	.....	453
Fiji	92	.....	92	12	.....	12
Hong Kong	28	.....	28	4	.....	4
India	40	.....	40	6	.....	6
New Guinea	144	.....	144	19	.....	19
Marshall Islands	32	.....	32	4	.....	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	92	.....	92	11	.....	11
New Caledonia	3,698	.....	3,698	432	.....	432
South Sea Islands	528	44	572	64	6	70
	171,128	44,849	215,977	24,091	6,297	30,388

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No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Maizena and Cornflour.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb	£	£	£
Victoria	19,548	780	20,328	239	9	248
Queensland	28,520	6,480	35,000	354	111	405
South Australia	3,640	7,544	11,184	45	58	103
Western Australia ...	.....	600	600	.....	8	8
Tasmania	23,600	10,040	33,640	295	164	459
New Zealand	3,520	2,920	6,440	43	36	79
Fiji	1,510	1,120	2,630	18	18	36
New Guinea	280	240	520	4	4	8
Norfolk Island	60	.....	60	1	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	240	.....	240	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	240	.....	240	3	.....	3
South Sea Islands	440	520	960	6	8	14
	81,598	30,244	111,842	1,011	416	1,427
Oatmeal.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	90	150	240	104	176	280
Queensland	3,000	176	3,176	2,551	159	2,710
South Australia... ...	168	81	249	205	70	275
Western Australia ...	47	114	161	45	121	166
Tasmania...	62	.....	62	52	.....	52
New Zealand	660	.....	660	564	.....	564
Fiji	70	11	81	81	11	92
New Guinea	5	.....	5	6	.....	6
Norfolk Island	4	.....	4	3	.....	3
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain) ...	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	18	8	26	22	6	28
	4,126	544	4,670	3,636	547	4,183
Oats.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	16	.....	16	2	.....	2
Queensland	2,574	20,559	23,133	330	2,505	2,835
South Australia	518	3,841	4,359	64	464	528
Western Australia ...	3,129	7,539	10,668	384	937	1,321
Tasmania...	.....	820	820	.....	10	10
New Zealand	.....	672	672	.....	78	78
Cape Colony	.....	300	300	.....	36	36
Ceylon	40	.....	40	5	.....	5
Fiji	8	.....	8	1	.....	1
Hong Kong	460	216	676	58	26	84
India	160	280	440	20	34	54
Mauritius	.....	6,000	6,000	.....	650	650
New Guinea	.....	36	36	.....	5	5
Straits Settlements ...	.....	560	560	.....	65	65
Java...	.....	60	60	.....	7	7
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
New Caledonia	407	2,517	2,924	50	308	358
Philippine Islands... ...	8	.....	8	1	.....	1
South Sea Islands	30	184	214	4	22	26
	7,350	43,592	50,942	919	5,148	6,067

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No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Peas (Dried and Split).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	27	6	33	10	67	77
Queensland	.....	1,822	1,822	.....	1,196	1,196
South Australia	1	107	108	1	94	95
Western Australia ...	15	139	154	13	114	127
Tasmania	.....	15	15	.....	8	8
New Zealand	.....	20	20	.....	9	9
United Kingdom	.....	6	6	.....	5	5
Fiji	20	79	99	13	57	70
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Marshall Islands	1	8	9	1	5	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	12	12	.....	9	9
New Caledonia	238	315	553	192	212	404
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	375	375	.....	300	300
South Sea Islands	10	28	38	8	21	29
	312	2,934	3,246	238	2,099	2,337
Pollard.						
Australasia—	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Victoria	39,432	.....	39,432	1,188	.....	1,188
Queensland	5,578	192	5,770	194	6	200
South Australia	769	.....	769	20	.....	20
Western Australia ...	113,737	.....	113,737	3,815	.....	3,815
New Zealand	6,863	2,287	9,150	258	85	343
Fiji	24	.....	24	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	59	.....	59	2	.....	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	27	.....	27	1	.....	1
South Sea Islands	88	.....	88	3	.....	3
	166,577	2,479	169,056	5,482	91	5,573
Rice.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	1,567	.....	.....	1,141	
Queensland	.....	5,610	.....	.....	3,289	
South Australia	.....	430	.....	.....	269	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,350	.....	.....	862	
Tasmania	.....	305	.....	.....	201	
New Zealand	.....	5,605	.....	.....	4,076	
United Kingdom	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Fiji	.....	4,323	.....	.....	2,095	
New Guinea	.....	1,317	.....	.....	692	
Norfolk Island	.....	37	.....	.....	20	
France	.....	30	.....	.....	16	
Marshall Islands	.....	580	.....	.....	250	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	26	.....	.....	14	
New Caledonia	.....	800	.....	.....	431	
South Sea Islands	.....	4,127	.....	.....	2,037	
	.....	26,111	26,111	.....	15,395	15,395
Rice (Ground).						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Queensland	1,216	.....	1,216	10	.....	10
Fiji	256	.....	256	4	.....	4
Norfolk Island	.....	40	40	.....	1	1
South Sea Islands	224	.....	224	3	.....	3
	1,696	40	1,736	17	1	18

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No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Grain, Pulse, &c.*—*continued.*						
Sharps.	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.	£	£	£
Fiji	76,708	7,798	84,506	4,818	508	5,326
Norfolk Island	56	.....	56	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	225	.....	225	13	.....	13
South Sea Islands	54	.....	54	3	.....	3
	77,043	7,798	84,841	4,837	508	5,345
Wheat.	bshl.	bshl.	bshl.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	778,019	.....	778,019	132,623	.....	132,623
Queensland	94,378	26,828	121,206	18,456	5,022	23,478
South Australia	20	.....	20	4	.....	4
Western Australia ...	30,155	11,033	41,188	5,902	2,098	8,000
Tasmania	24	6,883	6,907	4	1,433	1,437
New Zealand	22,495	12,293	34,788	4,665	2,504	7,169
United Kingdom	28,330	.....	28,330	5,651	.....	5,651
Cape Colony	108,381	.....	108,381	22,829	.....	22,829
Fiji	40	.....	40	7	.....	7
Natal	5,676	.....	5,676	994	.....	994
France	24,665	.....	24,665	5,251	.....	5,251
Germany	30,293	.....	30,293	4,544	.....	4,544
New Caledonia	137,628	21,739	159,367	26,475	3,471	29,946
South Sea Islands	80	.....	80	16	.....	16
	1,260,184	78,776	1,338,960	227,421	14,528	241,949
Grease.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	11	100	111	18	197	215
Queensland	277	531	808	145	940	1,085
South Australia	5	268	273	5	399	404
Western Australia ...	2	219	221	2	213	215
Tasmania	.....	238	238	.....	360	360
New Zealand	18	715	733	20	783	803
Fiji	153	38	191	104	53	157
New Guinea	.....	4	4	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	3	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	18	20	38	22	24	46
South Sea Islands	2	3	5	2	6	8
United States	.....	15	15	.....	21	21
	486	2,154	2,640	318	3,009	3,327
Grindery.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	1	169	170	5	1,899	1,904
Queensland	163	1,315	1,478	1,591	13,374	14,965
South Australia	.....	42	42	.....	386	386
Western Australia ...	2	95	97	18	1,261	1,279
Tasmania	7	46	53	99	580	679
New Zealand	182	136	318	4,004	1,406	5,410
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	164	164
Fiji	.....	7	7	.....	43	43
New Guinea	2	3	5	7	20	27
New Caledonia	3	12	15	17	67	84
South Sea Islands	.....	5	5	.....	31	31
	360	1,832	2,192	5,741	19,231	24,972

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Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Gum.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	4	76	80	11	192	203
Queensland	... ..	36	36	.....	485	485
South Australia	.....	30	30	.....	168	168
Western Australia ...	.....	5	5	.....	49	49
New Zealand	.....	14	14	.....	119	119
United Kingdom	578	10	588	724	17	741
Belgium	48	.....	48	23	.....	23
France	.....	3	3	.....	11	11
Germany	333	.....	333	297	.....	297
Italy	29	.....	29	65	.....	65
	992	174	1,166	1,120	1,041	2,161
Hair.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	10,330	1,008	11,338	617	59	676
Queensland	2,366	630	2,996	35	18	53
South Australia	4,682	.....	4,682	196	.....	196
Western Australia ...	1,148	.....	1,148	29	.....	29
Tasmania	.....	1,820	1,820	.....	61	61
New Zealand	.....	224	224	.....	9	9
United Kingdom	119,258	130,250	249,508	5,870	6,510	12,380
Fiji	480	.....	480	20	.....	20
Natal	220	.....	220	8	.....	8
France	262	.....	262	15	.....	15
Germany	2,425	.....	2,425	140	.....	140
Italy	820	.....	820	40	.....	40
New Caledonia	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
	142,047	133,932	275,979	6,972	6,657	13,629
Hardware and Ironmongery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	336	1,732	2,068	1,252	7,825	9,077
Queensland	799	16,825	17,624	2,754	78,148	80,902
South Australia	32	365	397	131	1,828	1,959
Western Australia ...	61	561	622	426	2,454	2,880
Tasmania	862	755	1,617	1,947	5,203	7,150
New Zealand	453	1,651	2,104	975	8,737	9,712
United Kingdom	.....	148	148	.....	753	753
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Ceylon	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Fiji	61	941	1,002	203	4,042	4,245
Hong Kong	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
Natal	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
New Guinea	20	393	413	53	1,671	1,724
Norfolk Island	1	29	30	1	115	116
Belgium	.....	171	171	.....	552	552
Germany	.....	41	41	.....	242	242
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Java...	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Marshall Islands	1	59	60	1	204	205
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	15	208	223	41	856	897
New Caledonia	42	667	709	204	2,733	2,937
South Sea Islands	61	899	960	262	4,391	4,653
Tahiti	.....	3	3	.....	18	18
United States	.....	15	15	.....	81	81
	2,746	25,472	28,218	8,257	119,889	128,146

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Hats and Caps.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	1	34	35	1	428	429
Queensland	21	250	271	248	3,438	3,686
South Australia	.....	31	31	.....	266	266
Western Australia ...	.....	35	35	.....	780	780
Tasmania...	6	42	48	24	401	425
New Zealand	.....	28	28	.....	388	388
United Kingdom	.....	9	9	.....	98	98
Fiji	.....	33	33	.....	320	320
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	20	20
Norfolk Island	.....	2		.....	5	5
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	27	27
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	5	5	.....	33	33
New Caledonia	.....	14	14	.....	104	104
South Sea Islands	.....	16	16	.....	120	120
United States	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
	28	505	533	273	6,430	6,703
Hay and Chaff.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	28,106	21	28,127	3,640	3	3,643
Queensland	2,734	1,348	4,082	578	240	818
South Australia... ...	313	114	427	53	24	77
Western Australia ...	21,919	.....	21,919	3,107	.....	3,107
Tasmania	80	.....	80	17	.....	17
New Zealand	2,658	480	3,138	527	81	608
Ceylon	135	.....	135	28	.....	28
Fiji	449	259	708	82	57	139
Hong Kong	359	.....	359	59	.....	59
India	3,860	.....	3,860	613	.....	613
New Guinea	20	10	30	4	2	6
Straits Settlements ...	470	200	670	98	40	138
Java...	255	300	555	42	65	107
Marshall Islands	70	5	75	15	1	16
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	5	40	45	1	8	9
New Caledonia	2,823	864	3,687	545	177	722
Philippine Islands... ...	40	.....	40	7	.....	7
South Sea Islands	161	14	175	28	3	31
Hemp.	64,457	3,655	68,112	9,444	701	10,145
(See Flax and Hemp.)						
Hollow-ware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	87	56	143	315	190	505
Queensland	.....	142	142	.....	721	721
South Australia	.....	63	63	.....	285	285
Western Australia ...	3	20	23	13	118	131
Tasmania...	.....	60	60	.....	328	328
New Zealand	.....	79	79	.....	685	685
Fiji	.....	221	221	.....	363	363
New Guinea	.....	60	60	.....	174	174
Germany	.....	5	5	.....	33	33
Marshall Islands	.....	9	9	.....	50	50
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	32	32	.....	112	112
New Caledonia	.....	62	62	.....	118	118
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	95	95	.....	194	194
	90	904	994	328	3,371	3,699

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Honey.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	129,874	.....	129,874	1,297	.....	1,297
Queensland	112	526	638	1	12	13
South Australia	1,611	.....	1,611	17	.....	17
Western Australia ...	11,040	.....	11,040	122	.....	122
Tasmania	3,920	.....	3,920	38	.....	38
New Zealand	56	.....	56	1	.....	1
United Kingdom	5,512	.....	5,512	68	.....	68
Cape Colony	1,800	.....	1,800	20	.....	20
Fiji	560	.....	560	6	.....	6
Natal	7,264	.....	7,264	54	.....	54
China	464	.....	464	5	.....	5
Germany	556	.....	556	7	.....	7
Japan	120	.....	120	2	.....	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	308	.....	308	4	.....	4
South Sea Islands	280	.....	280	3	.....	3
	163,477	526	164,003	1,645	12	1,657
Hoofs.						
	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	1,432	300	1,732	179	65	244
France	21	.....	21	4	.....	4
Italy	5	.....	5	1	.....	1
Japan	1,360	1,320	2,680	297	320	617
	2,818	1,620	4,438	481	385	866
Hops.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	177,567	.....	.....	8,343	
Queensland	.....	69,949	.....	.....	3,756	
South Australia	.....	30,123	.....	.....	1,552	
Western Australia ...	.....	70,312	.....	.....	3,366	
Tasmania	.....	29,524	.....	.....	1,618	
New Zealand	.....	10,236	.....	.....	575	
Fiji	.....	704	.....	.....	28	
New Guinea	.....	150	.....	.....	5	
Belgium	.....	6,112	.....	.....	326	
Marshall Islands	.....	40	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	3,410	.....	.....	134	
South Sea Islands	.....	240	.....	.....	8	
	.....	398,367	398,367	.....	19,712	19,712
Horns.						
Sheep.						
	cwt.		cwt.			
France	130	.....	130	58	.....	58

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Horns—*continued.*						
Other.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	3,126	.....	3,126	14	.....	14
South Australia... ...	14,204	.....	14,204	77	.....	77
United Kingdom	89,459	500,000	589,459	922	5,610	6,532
Belgium	15,640	15,220	30,860	185	200	385
France	149,793	180,500	330,293	1,915	2,350	4,265
Germany	22,094	25,000	47,094	248	375	623
Italy	780	.....	780	11	.....	11
Japan	100	.....	100	2	.....	2
United States	7,880	.....	7,880	100	.....	100
	303,076	720,720	1,023,796	3,474	8,535	12,009
Ice.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	78	.....	78	82	.....	82
India-rubber Goods.						
Packing.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	44	.....	.....	563	
Queensland	.....	39	.....	.....	328	
South Australia	.....	11	.....	.....	48	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	6	
Tasmania	.....	1	.....	.....	9	
New Zealand	.....	5	.....	.....	23	
Fiji	.....	8	.....	.....	38	
New Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
	.....	116	116	.....	1,028	1,028
Piping.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	189	.....	.....	1,368	
Queensland	.....	78	.....	.....	588	
South Australia	.....	39	.....	.....	265	
Western Australia ...	.....	12	.....	.....	159	
Tasmania	.....	3	.....	.....	11	
New Zealand	.....	73	.....	.....	509	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	9	
	.....	400	400	.....	2,939	2,939
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	289	289	.....	4,691	4,691
Queensland	.....	222	222	.....	2,071	2,071
South Australia	1	15	16	5	403	408
Western Australia ...	.....	23	23	.....	253	253
Tasmania	.....	3	3	.....	18	18
New Zealand	.....	62	62	.....	521	521
United Kingdom	.....	112	112	.....	433	433
Fiji	.....	10	10	.....	110	110
Hong Kong...	.....	2	2	.....	25	25
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	8	8
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	34	34
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	14	14
	1	747	748	5	8,581	8,586

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Instruments.						
(See also Dentists' Tools and Materials.)						
Optical.		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	7	.....	.....	92	
Queensland	.....	37	.....	.....	769	
South Australia	.....	4	.....	.....	82	
Western Australia ...	.....	6	.....	.....	109	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	27	
New Zealand	.....	30	.....	.....	317	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	96	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Austria	.....	1	.....	.....	9	
	.....	97	97	.....	1,506	1,506
Surgical.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	1	3	4	7	235	242
Queensland	.....	22	22	.....	132	132
South Australia	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
Western Australia ...	.....	3	3	.....	36	36
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
New Zealand	.....	6	6	.....	120	120
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	25	25
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
	1	40	41	7	589	596
Other Scientific.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	9	9	.....	111	111
Queensland	.....	78	78	.....	695	695
South Australia	.....	44	44	.....	458	458
Western Australia ...	1	12	13	60	135	195
Tasmania	.....	15	15	.....	124	124
New Zealand	.....	27	27	.....	331	331
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	52	52
Cape Colony	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Ceylon	.....	2	2	.....	46	46
Fiji	.....	9	9	.....	77	77
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	15	15
United States	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
Instruments (Musical).	1	203	204	60	2,061	2,121
Harmoniums and Organs.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	9	.....	.....	84	
Queensland	.....	44	.....	.....	686	
South Australia	.....	5	.....	.....	52	
Western Australia ...	.....	17	.....	.....	172	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	135	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	20	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	57	
	.....	91	91	.....	1,259	1,259

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Instruments (Musical)—*continued.*						
Pianofortes.		No.	No.		£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	78	.....	.....	2,193	
Queensland	.....	367	.....	.....	10,073	
South Australia	.....	23	.....	.....	637	
Western Australia ...	.....	55	.....	.....	1,735	
Tasmania	.....	23	.....	.....	655	
New Zealand	.....	34	.....	.....	958	
United Kingdom	.....	9	.....	.....	290	
Fiji	.....	3	.....	.....	75	
Hong Kong	.....	1	.....	.....	25	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
Cochin China	.....	1	.....	.....	25	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	30	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	40	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	.....	.....	28	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	50	
	.....	599	599	.....	16,844	16,844
Other.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	29	.....	.....	460	
Queensland	.....	117	.....	.....	1,212	
South Australia	.....	11	.....	.....	78	
Western Australia ...	.....	42	.....	.....	785	
Tasmania	.....	9	.....	.....	35	
New Zealand	.....	18	.....	.....	286	
United Kingdom	.....	8	.....	.....	462	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	25	
Natal	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	7	
Germany	.....	3	.....	.....	76	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
New Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	26	
South Sea Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	31	
	.....	257	257	.....	3,500	3,500
Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Queensland	.....	5	.....	.....	35	
South Australia	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	40	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	20	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
Germany	.....	2	.....	.....	62	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	15	
	.....	15	15	.....	181	181

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel.						
Angle, Bar, and Rod.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	176	616	792	74	327	401
Queensland	3,231	25,114	28,345	1,370	10,693	12,063
South Australia	861	539	1,400	357	445	802
Western Australia ...	522	1,332	1,854	237	590	827
Tasmania...	.....	1,107	1,107	.....	469	469
New Zealand	648	5,879	6,527	280	2,506	2,786
United Kingdom	.....	6	6	.....	2	2
Fiji	124	1,432	1,556	51	623	674
New Guinea	.....	18	18	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	94	94	.....	42	42
New Caledonia	.....	853	853	.....	368	368
South Sea Islands	55	85	140	22	37	59
	5,617	37,075	42,692	2,391	16,110	18,501
Hoop (Black).						
		cwt.	cwt.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	26	.....	.....	11	
Queensland	.....	1,999	.....	.....	1,040	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
Western Australia ...	.....	124	.....	.....	52	
Tasmania	.....	47	.....	.....	25	
New Zealand	.....	693	.....	.....	362	
Fiji	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	14	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	33	.....	.....	17	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
	.....	2,948	2,948	.....	1,521	1,521
Plate and Sheet.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	117	431	548	63	209	272
Queensland	996	27,440	28,436	538	15,008	15,546
South Australia... ...	.....	290	290	.....	144	144
Western Australia ...	.....	250	250	.....	138	138
Tasmania	.....	1,412	1,412	.....	770	770
New Zealand	4,109	2,470	6,579	2,183	1,328	3,511
United Kingdom	.....	14	14	.....	6	6
Fiji	62	612	674	30	322	352
New Guinea	.....	8	8	.....	4	4
Norfolk Island	.....	6	6	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	6	6	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	14	14	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	108	108	.....	67	67
South Sea Islands	.....	85	85	.....	45	45
United States	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
	5,284	33,148	38,432	2,814	18,055	20,869

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Pipes (Wrought).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	90	2,336	2,426	97	1,828	1,925
Queensland	.....	20,123	20,123	.....	15,439	15,439
South Australia	.....	475	475	.....	370	370
Western Australia ...	.....	820	820	.....	646	646
Tasmania	.....	1,258	1,258	.....	952	952
New Zealand	.....	9,694	9,694	.....	7,319	7,319
Fiji	.....	845	845	.....	655	655
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	195	195	.....	148	148
South Sea Islands	.....	25	25	.....	19	19
	90	35,776	35,866	97	27,380	27,477
Pipes (Cast).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	44	44	.....	30	30
Queensland	2,198	4,100	6,298	769	1,331	2,100
South Australia	.....	411	411	.....	115	115
Western Australia ...	.....	637	637	.....	264	264
Tasmania	196	77	273	62	24	86
New Zealand	105	22	127	33	7	40
Fiji	.....	266	266	.....	105	105
New Caledonia	.....	124	124	.....	35	35
South Sea Islands	.....	36	36	.....	14	14
	2,499	5,717	8,216	864	1,925	2,789
Other Castings.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	71	105	176	66	81	147
Queensland	70	569	639	73	569	642
South Australia	71	26	97	51	16	67
Western Australia ...	310	228	538	258	142	400
Tasmania	17	41	58	18	40	58
New Zealand	2	100	102	2	100	102
United Kingdom	.....	10	10	.....	14	14
Fiji	13	172	185	11	121	132
New Guinea	.....	23	23	.....	17	17
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	21	21	.....	17	17
New Caledonia	99	128	227	67	93	160
South Sea Islands	10	60	70	8	39	47
	663	1,483	2,146	554	1,249	1,803
Other Wrought.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	149	326	475	144	271	415
Queensland	10	418	428	10	225	235
South Australia	6	128	134	7	105	112
Western Australia ...	2	72	74	5	68	73
Tasmania	.....	35	35	.....	26	26
New Zealand	.....	317	317	.....	158	158
Fiji	.....	185	185	.....	144	144
New Caledonia	16	4	20	14	4	18
South Sea Islands	.....	10	10	.....	8	8
	183	1,495	1,678	180	1,009	1,189

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, & Screws.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	41	41	.....	56	56
Queensland	.....	876	876	.....	904	904
South Australia	.....	29	29	.....	41	41
Western Australia ...	14	81	95	28	106	134
Tasmania	.....	37	37	.....	38	38
New Zealand	.....	97	97	.....	97	97
Fiji	13	318	331	16	387	403
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	12	12	.....	18	18
New Caledonia	.....	121	121	.....	160	160
South Sea Islands	.....	39	39	.....	62	62
Tahiti	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
	27	1,658	1,685	44	1,879	1,923
Chains.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	169	.....	.....	167	
Queensland	.....	513	.....	.....	534	
South Australia	.....	70	.....	.....	63	
Western Australia ...	.....	78	.....	.....	68	
Tasmania	.....	22	.....	.....	21	
New Zealand	.....	40	.....	.....	39	
United Kingdom	.....	5	.....	.....	4	
Fiji	.....	190	.....	.....	198	
New Guinea	.....	5	.....	.....	5	
Marshall Islands	.....	5	.....	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	28	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	155	.....	.....	156	
South Sea Islands	.....	79	.....	.....	76	
	.....	1,359	1,359	.....	1,366	1,366
Girders and Joists.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	7	240	247	4	116	120
Queensland	.....	2,132	2,132	.....	1,060	1,060
South Australia	60	2,378	2,438	33	1,179	1,212
Western Australia ...	.....	1,323	1,323	.....	649	649
Tasmania	.....	857	857	.....	382	382
New Zealand	.....	2,819	2,819	.....	1,324	1,324
Fiji	.....	105	105	.....	50	50
New Caledonia	.....	112	112	.....	50	50
	67	9,966	10,033	37	4,810	4,847

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Nails.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	99	.....	.....	62	
Queensland	.....	2,974	.....	.....	1,647	
South Australia	.....	184	.....	.....	110	
Western Australia ...	.....	232	.....	.....	139	
Tasmania	.....	673	.....	.....	350	
New Zealand	.....	70	.....	.....	37	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	511	.....	.....	310	
New Guinea	.....	35	.....	.....	19	
Norfolk Island	.....	30	.....	.....	17	
Marshall Islands	.....	17	.....	.....	11	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	32	.....	.....	18	
New Caledonia	.....	200	.....	.....	119	
South Sea Islands	.....	152	.....	.....	90	
	.....	5,210	5,210	.....	2,930	2,930
Rivets.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	45	23	68	34	19	53
Queensland	.....	233	233	.....	200	200
South Australia... ...	.....	3	3	.....	5	5
Western Australia ...	.....	21	21	.....	23	23
Tasmania...	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
New Zealand	.....	186	186	.....	191	191
United Kingdom	.....	5	5	.....	5	5
Fiji	.....	48	48	.....	46	46
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
	45	524	569	34	494	528
Tanks.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	75	75	.....	159	159
Queensland	.....	153	153	.....	318	318
South Australia... ...	.....	76	76	.....	161	161
Western Australia ...	.....	42	42	.....	88	88
Tasmania...	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
New Zealand	.....	66	66	.....	122	122
United Kingdom	.....	7	7	.....	15	15
Fiji	.....	230	230	.....	484	484
New Guinea	.....	31	31	.....	66	66
Marshall Islands	.....	9	9	.....	20	20
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	20	20	.....	43	43
New Caledonia	1	43	44	2	91	93
South Sea Islands	.....	64	64	.....	137	137
	1	818	819	2	1,709	1,711
Scrap and Old.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	3,830	.....	.....	435	
Queensland	.....	2,000	.....	.....	300	
South Australia	.....	608	.....	.....	74	
Hong Kong	.....	2,163	.....	.....	305	
Japan	.....	37	.....	.....	11	
	.....	8,638	8,638	.....	1,125	1,125

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Wire—not galvanised (Black Wire).						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	14,003	.....	.....	5,921	
Queensland	.....	20,722	.....	.....	9,163	
South Australia	.....	104	.....	.....	44	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,542	.....	.....	661	
Tasmania	.....	3,615	.....	.....	1,522	
New Zealand	.....	1,048	.....	.....	445	
Fiji	.....	302	.....	.....	127	
New Guinea	.....	24	.....	.....	11	
Norfolk Island	.....	21	.....	.....	9	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	427	.....	.....	183	
South Sea Islands	.....	190	.....	.....	87	
	.....	42,004	42,004	.....	18,176	18,176
Wire Rope.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	474	.....	.....	1,046	
Queensland	.....	648	.....	.....	1,487	
South Australia	.....	258	.....	.....	624	
Western Australia ...	.....	221	.....	.....	509	
Tasmania	.....	27	.....	.....	70	
New Zealand	.....	234	.....	.....	594	
United Kingdom	.....	20	.....	.....	40	
Fiji	.....	113	.....	.....	309	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	128	.....	.....	312	
South Sea Islands	.....	37	.....	.....	85	
	.....	2,163	2,163	.....	5,084	5,084
Galvanised Hoop.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	92	.....	.....	57	
South Australia	.....	5	.....	.....	4	
Western Australia ...	.....	121	.....	.....	77	
Tasmania	.....	20	.....	.....	13	
	.....	238	238	.....	151	151
Galvanised Manufactures.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	4	3	7	6	5	11
Queensland	2	3	5	5	4	9
South Australia	48	7	55	58	9	67
Western Australia ...	30	.....	30	44	.....	44
Tasmania	6	.....	6	7	.....	7
Fiji	155	25	180	223	35	258
New Guinea	30	13	43	46	19	65
Norfolk Island	10	3	13	16	4	20
Marshall Islands	8	3	11	11	8	19
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	42	3	45	64	4	68
New Caledonia	102	34	136	144	50	194
South Sea Islands	86	26	112	121	37	158
	523	120	643	745	175	920

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Galvanised Sheets and Bars.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	20	2,951	2,971	18	2,368	2,386
Queensland	.....	36,409	36,409	.....	28,151	28,151
South Australia	.....	660	660	.....	524	524
Western Australia ...	.....	367	367	.....	283	283
Tasmania	.....	1,160	1,160	.....	895	895
New Zealand	.....	631	631	.....	466	466
United Kingdom	.....	10	10	.....	7	7
Fiji	.....	2,367	2,367	.....	1,834	1,834
New Guinea	.....	141	141	.....	109	109
Norfolk Island	.....	55	55	.....	42	42
Marshall Islands	.....	141	141	.....	104	104
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	680	680	.....	510	510
New Caledonia	.....	1,040	1,040	.....	808	808
South Sea Islands	.....	2,014	2,014	.....	1,520	1,520
	20	48,626	48,646	18	37,621	37,639
Galvanised Wire (Barbed).						
Australasia—	.....	cwt.	cwt.	.....	282	
Victoria	.....	540	.....	.....	3,007	
Queensland	.....	5,667	.....	.....	84	
South Australia	.....	140	.....	.....	233	
Western Australia ...	.....	432	.....	.....	441	
Tasmania	.....	852	.....	.....	932	
New Zealand	.....	1,819	.....	.....	215	
Fiji	.....	424	.....	.....	4	
New Guinea	.....	8	.....	.....	17	
Norfolk Island	.....	33	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	7	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	13	.....	.....	277	
New Caledonia	.....	540	.....	.....	214	
South Sea Islands	.....	424	.....	.....		
	.....	10,896	10,896	.....	5,715	5,715
Galvanised Wire (Other).						
Australasia—	.....	cwt.	cwt.	.....	410	
Victoria	.....	844	.....	.....	103	
Queensland	.....	196	.....	.....	1	
South Australia	.....	2	.....	.....	72	
Western Australia ...	.....	138	.....	.....	386	
Tasmania	.....	760	.....	.....	29	
New Zealand	.....	60	.....	.....	40	
Fiji	.....	85	.....	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	2	.....	.....	29	
New Caledonia	.....	60	.....	.....	39	
South Sea Islands	.....	77	.....	.....		
	.....	2,226	2,226	.....	1,111	1,111

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Iron and Steel—*continued.*						
Galvanised Wire Netting.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	1,587	.....	1,587	1,525	.....	1,525
Queensland	29,158	1,732	30,890	31,832	1,949	33,781
South Australia	13,187	19	13,206	12,804	19	12,823
Western Australia ...	1,408	.....	1,408	1,506	.....	1,506
Tasmania	1,115	33	1,148	1,246	43	1,289
New Zealand	178	177	355	194	185	379
United Kingdom	.....	10	10	.....	8	8
Fiji	57	19	76	55	17	72
New Guinea	19	.....	19	20	.....	20
Norfolk Island	5	.....	5	4	.....	4
Hawaiian Islands	45	.....	45	45	.....	45
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	3	.....	3	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	22	5	27	22	4	26
South Sea Islands	114	27	141	110	25	135
Iron—Pig.	46,898	2,024	48,922	49,366	2,252	51,618
Australasia—		tons.	tons.			
Queensland	.....	531	.....	.....	2,003	
South Australia... ...	.....	100	.....	.....	375	
Western Australia ...	.....	15	.....	.....	56	
Tasmania	.....	20	.....	.....	75	
New Zealand	.....	488	.....	.....	1,850	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	23	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	12	
New Caledonia	.....	4	.....	.....	15	
Iron—Oxide of.	.....	1,167	1,167	.....	4,409	4,409
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	1,290	.....	.....	168	.....	
Queensland	300	.....	.....	31	.....	
South Australia	3,280	.....	.....	330	.....	
Western Australia ...	130	.....	.....	20	.....	
New Zealand	2,839	.....	.....	283	.....	
Iron Ore.	7,839	.....	7,839	832	.....	832
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
South Australia... ...	.....	4,000	4,000	.....	300	300
Ironmongery.						
(See Hardware and Ironmongery.)						
Isinglass.						
(See Gelatine and Isinglass.)						
Ivory Nuts (Vegetable).		cwt.	cwt.			
Germany	.....	840	840	.....	326	326

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Jams and Jellies.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	319	6,168	6,487	8	109	117
Queensland	2,552	38,729	41,281	39	710	749
South Australia	216	7,536	7,752	3	119	122
Western Australia ...	41,708	12,212	53,920	550	205	755
Tasmania	216	936	1,152	4	14	18
New Zealand	96	6,380	6,476	2	115	117
United Kingdom	264	4,318	4,582	4	60	64
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	6,922	6,922	.....	116	116
Cape Colony	720	.....	720	12	.....	12
Fiji	11,120	13,176	24,296	174	200	374
Hong Kong	1,932	921	2,853	31	14	45
India	720	360	1,080	11	5	16
Mauritius	2,880	.....	2,880	35	.....	35
Natal	1,146	.....	1,146	18	.....	18
New Guinea	216	2,880	3,096	3	42	45
Norfolk Island	72	240	312	1	4	5
Straits Settlements ...	360	720	1,080	5	14	19
Belgium	.....	347	347	.....	5	5
Chili	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
China	504	.....	504	9	.....	9
France	.....	495	495	.....	8	8
Hawaiian Islands	.....	72	72	.....	1	1
Japan	72	180	252	1	3	4
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	144	.....	144	2	.....	2
Marshall Islands	936	48	984	13	1	14
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	2,304	.....	2,304	34	.....	34
New Caledonia	14,820	10,298	25,118	235	190	425
Panama	.....	336	336	.....	6	6
Philippine Islands	.....	362	362	.....	6	6
South Sea Islands	5,900	6,132	12,032	96	96	192
United States	.....	3,748	3,748	.....	57	57
	89,217	123,588	212,805	1,290	2,101	3,391
Jewellery and Precious Stones.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	431	431	.....	5,801	5,801
Queensland	.....	395	395	.....	15,650	15,650
South Australia	24	147	171	138	6,335	6,473
Western Australia ...	.....	171	171	.....	5,295	5,295
Tasmania	.....	55	55	.....	3,411	3,411
New Zealand	.....	106	106	.....	4,004	4,004
United Kingdom	114	194	308	11,390	13,338	24,728
Canadian Dominion ...	1	.....	1	100	.....	100
Fiji	.....	6	6	.....	395	395
Germany	.....	6	6	.....	45	45
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	100	100
United States	2	1	3	125	35	160
	141	1,518	1,659	11,753	54,422	66,175
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	30	.....	.....	116	.....	
United Kingdom	121	.....	.....	1,410	.....	
Germany	1	.....	.....	30	.....	
	152	.....	152	1,556	.....	1,556

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Kapok.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	203	.....	.....	455	
South Australia... ...	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
Tasmania	.....	220	.....	.....	499	
New Zealand	.....	1,800	.....	.....	4,363	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	10	.....	.....	19	
United States	.....	228	.....	.....	456	
	.....	2,463	2,463	.....	5,798	5,798
Kerosene Shale.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	36	.....	.....	73	.....	
Queensland	89	.....	.....	179	.....	
Tasmania...	102	.....	.....	205	.....	
New Zealand	575	.....	.....	1,150	.....	
United Kingdom	361	.....	.....	725	.....	
Chili	1,555	.....	.....	3,110	.....	
China	102	.....	.....	250	.....	
Italy	5,538	.....	.....	11,000	.....	
Netherlands	4,802	.....	.....	9,000	.....	
New Caledonia	12	.....	.....	27	.....	
United States	673	.....	.....	1,478	.....	
	13,845	.....	13,845	27,197	.....	27,197
Lampware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	115	116	2	1,839	1,841
Queensland	12	144	156	100	519	619
South Australia	.....	72	72	.....	474	474
Western Australia ...	.....	67	67	.....	841	841
Tasmania...	.....	44	44	.....	480	480
New Zealand	3	197	200	14	2,227	2,241
United Kingdom	.....	3	3	.....	28	28
Fiji	.....	74	74	.....	215	215
New Guinea	.....	12	12	.....	31	31
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	4	4	.....	11	11
New Caledonia	3	29	32	36	194	230
South Sea Islands	.....	49	49	.....	109	109
	19	815	834	152	6,981	7,133
Lard.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	18,880	252	19,132	357	5	362
Queensland	500	.....	500	9	.....	9
South Australia	16,869	.....	16,869	330	.....	330
Western Australia ...	35,107	780	35,887	678	17	695
Tasmania	9,402	356	9,758	166	6	172
Fiji	1,176	.....	1,176	23	.....	23
Natal	238	.....	238	5	.....	5
New Guinea	96	.....	96	2	.....	2
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	200	.....	200	5	.....	5
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	232	.....	232	4	.....	4
New Caledonia	15,647	31,373	47,020	279	547	826
South Sea Islands	1,118	452	1,570	24	9	33
	99,465	33,213	132,678	1,882	584	2,466

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Lead.						
Pig.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	407	.....	407	275	.....	275
Queensland	75	1,426	1,501	46	941	987
South Australia	.....	34	34	.....	23	23
Western Australia ...	125	44	169	78	30	108
Tasmania	.....	476	476	.....	314	314
New Zealand	.....	3,005	3,005	.....	1,986	1,986
United Kingdom	18,193	31,135	49,328	10,159	17,747	27,906
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	444	444	.....	270	270
Fiji	.....	92	92	.....	61	61
Hong Kong	2,180	4,533	6,713	1,299	2,512	3,811
Straits Settlements ...	140	.....	140	90	.....	90
China	200	.....	200	126	.....	126
Japan	500	3,100	3,600	306	1,860	2,166
Java	9	.....	9	6	.....	6
New Caledonia	.....	172	172	.....	113	113
	21,829	44,461	66,290	12,385	25,857	38,242
Sheet and Roll.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	2,580	516	3,096	2,135	429	2,564
South Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Tasmania	752	.....	752	620	.....	620
New Zealand	8,670	.....	8,670	7,175	.....	7,175
Fiji	29	.....	29	23	.....	23
New Guinea	5	.....	5	4	.....	4
Norfolk Island	8	.....	8	6	.....	6
New Caledonia	11	.....	11	8	.....	8
South Sea Islands	32	5	37	24	4	28
Tahiti	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
	12,087	525	12,612	9,995	437	10,432
Contained in Matte.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	12,540	.....	12,540	6,897	.....	6,897
Pipes.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	36	36	.....	33	33
Queensland	696	.....	696	625	.....	625
South Australia	.....	3	3	.....	3	3
Western Australia ...	5	.....	5	5	.....	5
Tasmania	95	.....	95	85	.....	85
New Zealand	247	.....	247	221	.....	221
Fiji	5	.....	5	4	.....	4
New Caledonia	231	.....	231	181	.....	181
	1,279	39	1,318	1,121	36	1,157
Old.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	607	.....	607	120	.....	120
Hong Kong	.....	15	15	.....	6	6
	607	15	622	120	6	126

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Leather.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	460	128	588	9,371	4,209	13,580
Queensland	69	252	321	710	8,351	9,061
South Australia ...	96	32	128	1,729	892	2,621
Western Australia ...	298	68	366	5,386	1,317	6,703
Tasmania...	9	20	29	108	272	380
New Zealand	103	33	136	2,692	728	3,420
United Kingdom	12,838	16	12,854	296,248	1,044	297,292
Canadian Dominion ...	6	.....	6	129	.....	129
Cape Colony	17	.....	17	301	.....	301
Fiji	21	7	28	147	69	216
Hong Kong	12	.....	12	270	.....	270
India	4	.....	4	95	.....	95
Mauritius	13	.....	13	348	.....	348
Natal	2	.....	2	17	.....	17
New Guinea	5	.....	5	14	.....	14
Belgium	13	.....	13	297	.....	297
Egypt	5	.....	5	115	.....	115
France	.....	1	1	.....	19	19
Germany	13	.....	13	275	.....	275
Hawaiian Islands... ...	30	.....	30	479	.....	479
Italy	60	.....	60	1,396	.....	1,396
Japan	111	.....	111	2,123	.....	2,123
New Caledonia	85	21	106	1,030	131	1,161
South Sea Islands	11	3	14	33	10	43
United States	2	.....	2	45	.....	45
	14,283	581	14,864	323,358	17,042	340,400
Lime.						
Australasia—	tons.		tons.			
Victoria	69	.....	.....	203	.....	
Queensland	51	.....	.....	102	.....	
New Zealand	74	.....	.....	148	.....	
Fiji	207	.....	.....	394	.....	
India	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
New Guinea	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	1	.....	.....	2	.....	
	404	.....	404	853	.....	853
Limejuice.						
In Bulk.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	2,808	.....	.....	258	
Queensland	.....	710	.....	.....	71	
South Australia	.....	2,317	.....	.....	227	
Western Australia ...	.....	581	.....	.....	55	
New Zealand	.....	140	.....	.....	14	
	.....	6,556	6,556	.....	625	625

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Limejuice—*continued.*						
In Bottle.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	186	.....	.....	24	
Queensland	.....	718	.....	.....	239	
South Australia... ...	.....	21	.....	.....	5	
Western Australia ...	.....	228	.....	.....	41	
Tasmania...	.....	388	.....	.....	98	
New Zealand	.....	660	.....	.....	165	
United Kingdom	.....	33	.....	.....	8	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	21	.....	.....	6	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Hong Kong...	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
Germany	.....	39	.....	.....	10	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	27	.....	.....	7	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	12	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	15	.....	.....	4	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	37	.....	.....	9	
United States	.....	12	.....	.....	3	
	.....	2,421	2,421	.....	629	629
Linseed.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	454	.....	.....	285	
Queensland	.....	227	.....	.....	147	
Western Australia ...	.....	41	.....	.....	26	
Tasmania...	.....	40	.....	.....	25	
Fiji	.....	13	.....	.....	7	
India	.....	3	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	7	.....	.....	4	
	.....	785	785	.....	496	496
Macaroni and Vermicelli.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	7,428	7,428	.....	123	123
Queensland	.....	18,858	18,858	.....	314	314
South Australia... ...	.....	624	624	.....	10	10
Western Australia ...	.....	9,764	9,764	.....	161	161
Tasmania...	.....	1,792	1,792	.....	29	29
New Zealand	.....	1,008	1,008	.....	17	17
Fiji	112	830	942	2	14	16
New Guinea	.....	168	168	.....	3	3
South Sea Islands	.....	448	448	.....	8	8
	112	40,920	41,032	2	679	681

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Machinery.						
Agricultural.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	31	349	380	697	2,066	2,763
Queensland	.....	238	238	.....	1,041	1,041
South Australia	.....	7	7	.....	60	60
Western Australia ...	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
Tasmania	.....	122	122	.....	375	375
New Zealand	.....	437	437	.....	10,916	10,916
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	19	19
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	25	25
Fiji	.....	22	22	.....	156	156
New Caledonia	.....	10	10	.....	61	61
	31	1,190	1,221	697	14,725	15,422
Electrical.		pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	16	.....	.....	343	
Queensland	.....	6	.....	.....	436	
South Australia	.....	7	.....	.....	336	
Western Australia ...	.....	7	.....	.....	83	
New Zealand	.....	3	.....	.....	55	
Fiji	.....	7	.....	.....	177	
New Caledonia	.....	5	.....	.....	70	
	.....	51	51	.....	1,500	1,500
Engines—Portable.		pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	9	.....	.....	1,109	
Queensland	.....	3	.....	.....	982	
Western Australia ...	.....	4	.....	.....	305	
Fiji	.....	3	.....	.....	169	
	.....	19	19	.....	2,565	2,565
Engines—Steam.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	69	69	.....	789	789
Queensland	.....	12	12	.....	1,292	1,292
South Australia	.....	30	30	.....	880	880
Western Australia ...	8	102	110	125	2,262	2,387
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	250	250
New Zealand	.....	1	1	.....	85	85
New Caledonia	7	1	8	344	155	499
	15	216	231	469	5,713	6,182
Engines—Boilers.	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	5	4	9	130	93	223
Queensland	.....	23	23	.....	526	526
South Australia	.....	6	6	.....	515	515
Western Australia ...	4	61	65	245	1,623	1,868
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	13	13
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	65	65
Fiji	1	27	28	150	350	500
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	200	200
	10	125	135	525	3,385	3,910

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Machinery—*continued.*						
Engines—Parts.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	5	94	99	17	467	484
Queensland	.....	23	23	.....	121	121
South Australia	3	37	40	12	207	219
Western Australia ...	15	68	83	223	293	516
Tasmania	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
New Zealand	.....	82	82	.....	385	385
Fiji	.....	110	110	.....	390	390
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	2	12	14	17	40	57
South Sea Islands	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
	25	430	455	269	1,918	2,187
Weighing Machines.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	2	.....	.....	16	
Queensland	.....	65	.....	.....	357	
South Australia	.....	5	.....	.....	62	
Western Australia ...	.....	12	.....	.....	40	
Tasmania	.....	33	.....	.....	394	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	14	
United Kingdom	.....	4	.....	.....	35	
Ceylon	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
Fiji	.....	19	.....	.....	59	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	19	
Marshall Islands	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	22	.....	.....	87	
	.....	170	170	.....	1,094	1,094
Machinery—Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	431	1,152	1,583	5,237	15,297	20,534
Queensland	561	4,988	5,549	5,253	53,231	58,484
South Australia	253	2,583	2,836	2,064	14,566	16,630
Western Australia ...	541	1,244	1,785	6,742	17,422	24,164
Tasmania	1,440	611	2,051	14,283	4,257	18,540
New Zealand	216	1,790	2,006	2,921	20,530	23,451
United Kingdom	1	113	114	40	3,582	3,622
Fiji	71	894	965	735	8,151	8,886
India	.....	2	2	.....	17	17
Natal	10	14	24	168	365	533
New Guinea	2	16	18	17	105	122
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	11	11
Belgium	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
France	.....	5	5	.....	27	27
Germany	.....	22	22	.....	1,765	1,765
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	25	25
Italy	.....	35	35	.....	200	200
Java	13	1	14	14	1	15
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	8	.....	49	49
New Caledonia	449	77	526	537	664	1,201
South Sea Islands	13	123	136	62	887	949
Sweden	.....	5	5	.....	350	350
United States	.....		2	.....	35	35
	4,001	13,691	17,692	38,073	141,552	179,625

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Malt.						
Australasia—		bshl.	bshl.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	1,570	.....	.....	529	
Queensland	.....	6,376	.....	.....	2,139	
South Australia	.....	402	.....	.....	120	
Western Australia ...	.....	922	.....	.....	247	
Tasmania	.....	400	.....	.....	130	
New Zealand	.....	386	.....	.....	125	
	.....	10,056	10,056	.....	3,290	3,290
Manganese Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria...	.....	200	200	.....	30	30
United Kingdom	.....	200	200	.....	40	40
Germany	20	.....	20	5	.....	5
	20	400	420	5	70	75
Manures.						
Bone-dust.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	31,637	.....	31,637	6,471	.....	6,471
Queensland	50	.....	50	10	.....	10
South Australia	7,117	256	7,373	1,411	42	1,453
Western Australia ...	25,120	1,460	26,580	5,319	315	5,634
Tasmania...	29,504	.....	29,504	5,214	.....	5,214
New Zealand	90,650	.....	90,650	16,843	.....	16,843
United Kingdom	320	.....	320	55	.....	55
Fiji	902	.....	902	156	.....	156
Mauritius	17,660	.....	17,660	3,238	.....	3,238
Japan	29,200	5,000	34,200	6,320	1,020	7,340
	232,160	6,716	238,876	45,037	1,377	46,414
Guano.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	3,088	.....	.....	390	
Queensland	.....	102	.....	.....	58	
South Australia... ...	.....	56	.....	.....	6	
Western Australia ...	.....	18	.....	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	54	.....	.....	16	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	322	.....	.....	80	
Japan	.....	5,920	.....	.....	964	
	.....	9,560	9,560	.....	1,518	1,518
Other.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	11,614	2,100	13,714	2,486	376	2,862
Queensland	554	337	891	129	67	196
South Australia... ...	3,980	.....	3,980	799	.....	799
Western Australia ...	6,147	.....	6,147	1,352	.....	1,352
Tasmania	5,662	200	5,862	1,021	45	1,066
New Zealand	19,168	.....	19,168	3,159	.....	3,159
Ceylon	410	.....	410	70	.....	70
Fiji	3,680	.....	3,680	1,319	.....	1,319
Mauritius	46,359	.....	46,359	10,221	.....	10,221
Belgium	.....	240	240	.....	70	70
Hawaiian Islands	2,076	.....	2,076	510	.....	510
Japan	18,758	.....	18,758	3,906	.....	3,906
Java...	7,661	.....	7,661	2,052	.....	2,052
	126,069	2,877	128,946	27,024	558	27,582

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Marble (exclusive of Statuary and Monuments).						
Wrought—Mantel-pieces.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
New Zealand	.....	7	7	.....	35	35
Wrought—Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	234	234	.....	614	614
Queensland	8	214	222	47	640	687
South Australia	.....	54	54	.....	145	145
Western Australia ...	4	17	21	20	49	69
Tasmania	3	43	46	10	127	137
New Zealand	1	234	235	3	446	449
United Kingdom	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Fiji	.....	9	9	.....	22	22
New Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	13	13
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	19	19
	16	814	830	80	2,079	2,159
Unwrought.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	210	.....	.....	441	
Queensland	.....	519	.....	.....	316	
South Australia... ...	.....	139	.....	.....	168	
Western Australia ...	.....	70	.....	.....	98	
Tasmania...	.....	20	.....	.....	24	
New Zealand	.....	463	.....	.....	559	
	.....	1,421	1,421	.....	1,606	1,606
Matches and Vestas.						
Wax.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	107	.....	.....	143	
Queensland	.....	142	.....	.....	228	
South Australia	.....	52	.....	.....	68	
Western Australia ...	.....	390	.....	.....	495	
Tasmania...	.....	53	.....	.....	93	
New Zealand	.....	61	.....	.....	82	
Fiji	.....	133	.....	.....	240	
New Guinea	.....	70	.....	.....	115	
Norfolk Island	.....	3	.....	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	28	.....	.....	59	
New Caledonia	.....	64	.....	.....	109	
South Sea Islands	.....	218	.....	.....	343	
	.....	1,321	1,321	.....	1,980	1,980

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total
Matches and Vestas—*continued.*						
Wooden.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	185	.....	.....	500	
Queensland	.....	117	.....	.....	376	
Western Australia ...	.....	25	.....	.....	75	
Tasmania...	.....	35	.....	.....	128	
New Zealand	.....	13	.....	.....	45	
Fiji	.....	106	.....	.....	382	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	14	.....	.....	50	
New Caledonia	.....	368	.....	.....	1,127	
South Sea Islands	.....	66	.....	.....	233	
	.....	931	931	.....	2,923	2,923
Mats and Matting.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	126	126	.....	325	325
Queensland	17	151	168	62	249	311
South Australia... ...	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Western Australia ...	.....	9	9	.....	23	23
Tasmania	.....	5	5	.....	14	14
New Zealand	.....	45	45	.....	151	151
Fiji	10	29	39	26	60	86
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
New Guinea	1	2	3	2	6	8
Norfolk Island	2	.....	2	5	.....	5
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	3	.....	3	7	.....	7
New Caledonia	.....	9	9	.....	11	11
South Sea Islands	2	8	10	5	20	25
	35	386	421	107	868	975
Mattresses.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	5	.....	5	4	.....	4
Queensland	.....	9	9	.....	56	56
South Australia... ...	19	1	20	17	1	18
Western Australia ...	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Tasmania	1	16	17	4	77	81
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Fiji	21	13	34	24	17	41
New Guinea	3	2	5	4	3	7
Norfolk Island	4	.....	4	2	.....	2
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	5	2	7	6	3	9
New Caledonia	80	8	88	86	7	93
South Sea Islands	13	6	19	10	8	18
	152	60	212	158	182	340

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Meat.						
Bacon and Ham.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	11,640	3,672	15,312	355	134	489
Queensland	1,640	1,622	3,262	52	64	116
South Australia	194,969	5,195	200,164	5,609	191	5,800
Western Australia ...	1,299,977	13,259	1,313,236	36,127	448	36,575
Tasmania	29,149	672	29,821	825	26	851
New Zealand	66	500	566	2	20	22
United Kingdom	320	.....	320	9	.....	9
Canadian Dominion ...	224	.....	224	7	.....	7
Cape Colony	2,394	.....	2,394	73	.....	73
Ceylon	474	1,084	1,558	14	41	55
Fiji	1,718	1,518	3,236	48	51	99
Hong Kong	728	.....	728	19	.....	19
Natal	5,835	.....	5,835	182	.....	182
New Guinea	4,930	3,935	8,865	159	125	284
Straits Settlements ...	3,120	.....	3,120	94	.....	94
France	213	.....	213	6	.....	6
Java	8,876	.....	8,876	277	.....	277
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	250	.....	250	7	.....	7
Marshall Islands	2,798	.....	2,798	85	.....	85
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	1,496	1,532	3,028	44	52	96
New Caledonia	35,260	14,247	49,507	937	433	1,370
Philippine Islands	150	.....	150	5	.....	5
South Sea Islands	7,007	2,601	9,608	207	84	291
	1,613,234	49,837	1,663,071	45,143	1,669	46,812
Extract of Meat.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	108	886	994	18	137	155
Queensland	.....	5	5	.....	2	2
South Australia	.....	36	36	.....	6	6
Western Australia ...	2,544	.....	2,544	317	.....	317
New Zealand	.....	48	48	.....	6	6
United Kingdom	196,636	155,276	351,912	28,935	24,978	53,913
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	20	20	.....	3	3
Fiji	134	330	464	25	77	102
New Guinea	296	276	572	50	78	128
Belgium	.....	138	138	.....	18	18
Italy	.....	224	224	.....	20	20
Marshall Islands	15	.....	15	3	.....	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	24	146	170	6	45	51
New Caledonia	.....	360	360	.....	58	58
South Sea Islands	392	76	468	59	20	79
	200,149	157,821	357,970	29,413	25,448	54,861
Fresh.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	433	.....	433	512	.....	512

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Quantity. Total.	Value. Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Other Produce or Manufacture.	Value. Total.
Meat—*continued.*						
Frozen Beef.	*Domestic Produce.*					
Australasia—	quarters.	cwt.	cwt.	£		£
Western Australia ...	108 or	113	.....	128	.....	
United Kingdom	17,594 ,,	27,489	.....	17,905	.....	
Cape Colony	5,476 ,,	8,322	.....	7,035	.....	
Ceylon	452 ,,	579	.....	501	.....	
Gibraltar	998 ,,	1,500	.....	1,250	.....	
Natal	14,067 ,,	21,354	.....	17,521	.....	
Japan	6 ,,	9	.....	8	.....	
Philippine Islands... ...	892 ,,	1,370	.....	1,193	.....	
	39,593 or	60,736	60,736	45,541	.....	45,541
Frozen Mutton.						
Australasia—	carcases.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	88,118 or	35,212	.....	29,336	.....	
Western Australia ...	552 ,,	264	.....	190	.....	
United Kingdom	939,609 ,,	414,961	.....	233,954	.....	
Canadian Dominion ...	9,720 ,,	4,350	.....	2,902	.....	
Cape Colony	16,722 ,,	7,200	.....	5,460	.....	
Ceylon	4,311 ,,	1,772	.....	1,527	.....	
Gibraltar	2,497 ,,	936	.....	750	.....	
Hong Kong	25 ,,	13	.....	15	.....	
Malta	5,000 ,,	2,240	.....	1,792	.....	
Natal	18,312 ,,	7,303	.....	5,189	.....	
Hawaiian Islands	600 ,,	252	.....	180	.....	
Japan	60 ,,	27	.....	24	.....	
Philippine Islands... ...	10,042 ,,	4,229	.....	3,465	.....	
	1,095,568 or	478,759	478,759	284,784	.....	284,784
Frozen Pork.						
Australasia—	carcases.	cwt.	cwt.			
Western Australia ...	30 or	26	.....	49	.....	
Cape Colony	60 ,,	30	.....	60	.....	
Natal	27 ,,	17	.....	19	.....	
	117 or	73	73	128	.....	128
Frozen Ox Tails and Kidneys.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Western Australia ...	2	.....	.....	2	.....	
United Kingdom	229	.....	.....	242	.....	
Cape Colony	163	.....	.....	178	.....	
Ceylon	23	.....	.....	26	.....	
Natal	129	.....	.....	145	.....	
	546	.....	546	593	.....	593
Frozen Poultry.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Western Australia ...	19	.....	.....	45	.....	
United Kingdom	42	.....	.....	79	.....	
Cape Colony	630	.....	.....	1,402	.....	
Natal	47	.....	.....	97	.....	
	738	.....	738	1,623	.....	1,623

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Meat—*continued.*						
Frozen Game.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	126	.....	.....	159	.....	
Queensland	5	.....	.....	14	.....	
South Australia	29	.....	.....	15	.....	
Western Australia	54	.....	.....	33	.....	
United Kingdom	3,666	.....	.....	5,825	.....	
Cape Colony	140	.....	.....	241	.....	
Ceylon	23	.....	.....	42	.....	
Natal	12	.....	.....	22	.....	
Frozen Rabbits.	4,055	.....	4,055	6,351	.....	6,351
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Queensland	5	.....	.....	6	.....	
United Kingdom	825	.....	.....	577	.....	
Canadian Dominion	10	.....	.....	8	.....	
Cape Colony	309	.....	.....	197	.....	
Ceylon	10	.....	.....	7	.....	
Preserved Meat.	1,159	.....	1,159	795	.....	795
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	280,193	20,136	300,329	4,864	508	5,372
Queensland	48,297	9,423	57,720	947	189	1,136
South Australia	37,408	17,048	54,456	607	288	895
Western Australia	1,786,711	139,068	1,925,779	32,040	2,342	34,382
Tasmania	219,094	21,034	240,128	4,224	349	4,573
New Zealand	1,728	7,172	8,900	28	122	150
United Kingdom	9,991,125	2,211,378	12,202,503	159,183	28,510	187,693
Canadian Dominion	309,088	52,831	361,919	4,960	798	5,758
Cape Colony	137,366	44,002	181,368	2,410	677	3,087
Ceylon	8,514	2,860	11,374	189	42	231
Fiji	182,483	123,315	305,798	2,830	1,912	4,742
Hong Kong	201,586	.....	201,586	2,860	.....	2,860
India	12,810	.....	12,810	300	.....	300
Mauritius	9,320	1,120	10,440	190	18	208
Natal	314,352	11,868	326,220	5,400	168	5,568
New Guinea	23,242	58,788	82,030	421	920	1,341
Norfolk Island	480	144	624	8	3	11
Straits Settlements	1,560	.....	1,560	25	.....	25
Belgium	576	432	1,008	8	5	13
China	1,944	.....	1,944	65	.....	65
Egypt	2,880	.....	2,880	45	.....	45
France	2,608	3,800	6,408	43	58	101
Germany	136,800	219,280	356,080	2,000	3,080	5,080
Italy	36,734	4,360	41,094	542	63	605
Japan	1,200	144	1,344	18	8	26
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	2,036	3,384	5,420	34	60	94
Marshall Islands	13,010	17,938	30,948	237	284	521
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	29,940	20,798	50,738	481	346	827
New Caledonia	62,496	62,786	125,282	1,100	1,253	2,353
South Sea Islands	75,148	87,123	162,271	1,228	1,358	2,586
United States	72	5,220	5,292	1	145	146
	13,930,801	3,145,452	17,076,253	227,288	43,506	270,794

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Meat—*continued.*						
Salt Beef.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	172	138	310	135	139	274
Queensland	.....	18	18	.....	18	18
South Australia	65	.....	65	35	.....	35
Western Australia ...	331	65	396	269	60	329
Tasmania	1,117	.....	1,117	1,026	.....	1,026
New Zealand	35	.....	35	31	.....	31
United Kingdom	11	5	16	15	3	18
Canadian Dominion ...	27	.....	27	26	.....	26
Cape Colony	223	10	233	202	11	213
Ceylon	38	.....	38	40	.....	40
Fiji	49	18	67	44	21	65
Hong Kong	5	.....	5	4	.....	4
India	56	.....	56	54	.....	54
Mauritius	309	.....	309	259	.....	259
Natal	205	22	227	173	20	193
New Guinea	36	17	53	30	15	45
Straits Settlements ...	45	.....	45	38	.....	38
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	36	81	117	30	85	115
Marshall Islands	229	43	272	210	47	257
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	322	244	566	313	238	551
New Caledonia	3,965	777	4,742	3,237	654	3,891
Philippine Islands... ...	71	.....	71	62	.....	62
Siberia	123	.....	123	123	.....	123
South Sea Islands	608	151	759	551	150	701
United States	.....	27	27	.....	30	30
	8,078	1,616	9,694	6,907	1,491	8,398
Salt Mutton.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	3	.....	.....	3	.....	
United Kingdom	18	.....	.....	15	.....	
	21	.....	21	18	.....	18
Salt Pork.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	2	.....	.....	3	.....	
South Australia... ...	11	.....	.....	27	.....	
Western Australia ...	73	.....	.....	182	.....	
Hong Kong	2	.....	.....	4	.....	
New Caledonia	10	.....	.....	23	.....	
South Sea Islands	4	.....	.....	8	.....	
	102	.....	102	247	.....	247
Metal.						
Old.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	131	131	.....	162	162
South Australia... ...	46	.....	46	39	.....	39
United Kingdom	.....	132	132	.....	192	192
Hong Kong	.....	2,404	2,404	.....	3,374	3,374
France	.....	6	6	.....	12	12
	46	2,673	2,719	39	3,740	3,779

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Milk.						
Fresh.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	15,933	.....	15,933	786	.....	786
Concentrated.						
Australasia—	lb.		lb.			
Victoria	6,600	.....	.....	120	.....	
Western Australia ...	6,414	.....	.....	106	.....	
Cape Colony	480	.....	.....	10	.....	
	13,494	.....	13,494	236	.....	236
Condensed and Preserved.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	5,040	33,174	38,214	105	645	750
Queensland	10,800	20,964	31,764	209	423	632
South Australia... ...	.....	32,196	32,196	.....	639	639
Western Australia ...	.....	8,419	8,419	.....	163	163
Tasmania	.....	8,448	8,448	.....	168	168
New Zealand	.....	7,200	7,200	.....	143	143
Cape Colony	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
Fiji	.....	24,258	24,258	.....	515	515
New Guinea	.....	7,340	7,340	.....	154	154
Norfolk Island	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
Marshall Islands	.....	288	288	.....	6	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	904	904	.....	19	19
New Caledonia	.....	10,320	10,320	.....	205	205
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	1,536	1,536	.....	33	33
South Sea Islands	.....	11,634	11,634	.....	243	243
United States	.....	960	960	.....	12	12
	15,840	167,737	183,577	314	3,370	3,684
Milk Foods.						
(See Farinaceous and Milk Foods.)						
Millinery.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	51	51	.....	1,267	1,267
Queensland	5	160	165	8	1,359	1,367
South Australia... ...	.....	24	24	.....	448	448
Western Australia ...	.....	5	5	.....	75	75
Tasmania	.....	25	25	.....	270	270
New Zealand	.....	30	30	.....	340	340
Fiji	.....	46	46	.....	596	596
New Guinea	.....	13	13	.....	77	77
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	4	4	.....	17	17
New Caledonia	4	16	20	6	316	322
South Sea Islands	.....	32	32	.....	261	261
	9	407	416	14	5,029	5,043

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	35	11	46	117	10	127
Mineral Waters. (See Aerated and Mineral Waters.)						
Molasses.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	42,020	.....	42,020	7,419	.....	7,419
Queensland	15	36	51	8	42	50
South Australia	5	.....	5	3	.....	3
Western Australia ...	717	.....	717	159	.....	159
Tasmania	2,808	73	2,881	1,061	76	1,137
New Zealand	466	65	531	101	65	166
United Kingdom	3	.....	3	1	.....	1
Canadian Dominion ...	6	2	8	4	2	6
Fiji	22	7	29	16	6	22
New Guinea	8	11	19	6	11	17
Norfolk Island	4	.....	4	2	.....	2
Chili	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	4	.....	4	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
Philippine Islands	7	.....	7	4	.....	4
South Sea Islands	7	8	15	4	7	11
	46,094	204	46,298	8,792	211	9,003
Mustard.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	30,721	30,721	.....	1,720	1,720
Queensland	.....	23,382	23,382	.....	1,353	1,353
South Australia	.....	972	972	.....	57	57
Western Australia ...	144	.....	144	5	.....	5
Tasmania	.....	4,788	4,788	.....	234	234
New Zealand	.....	2,208	2,208	.....	110	110
Fiji	.....	1,424	1,424	.....	83	83
New Guinea	.....	150	150	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	112	112	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	3,168	3,168	.....	204	204
South Sea Islands	.....	542	542	.....	32	32
	144	67,467	67,611	5	3,808	3,813
Naphtha.						
Australasia—	.....	gal.	gal.	.....		
Victoria	.....	707	.....	.....	124	
Queensland	.....	1,224	.....	.....	389	
South Australia	.....	55	.....	.....	10	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	1	
Tasmania	.....	28	.....	.....	8	
New Zealand	.....	32	.....	.....	10	
Fiji	.....	10	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	10	.....	.....	2	
	.....	2,071	2,071	.....	546	546

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Nickel Ore.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Belgium	.....	15,460	15,460	.....	1,960	1,960
Oakum.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	60	.....	.....	70	
Queensland	.....	91	.....	.....	98	
South Australia... ...	.....	3	.....	.....	3	
Tasmania...	.....	25	.....	.....	24	
New Zealand	.....	40	.....	.....	43	
Fiji	.....	39	.....	.....	34	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	6	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	5	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	92	.....	.....	79	
South Sea Islands	.....	16	.....	.....	16	
Tahiti	.....	8	.....	.....	13	
	.....	383	383	.....	394	394
Oars.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	30	30	.....	5	5
Queensland	.....	405	405	.....	120	120
South Australia	.....	130	130	.....	20	20
Western Australia ...	.....	40	40	.....	8	8
Tasmania	6	108	114	6	32	38
New Zealand	.....	190	190	.....	57	57
Fiji	.....	1,512	1,512	.....	306	306
New Guinea	2	119	121	1	25	26
Norfolk Island	.....	12	12	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	40	40	.....	17	17
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	895	895	.....	215	215
New Caledonia	.....	723	723	.....	215	215
South Sea Islands	.....	483	483	.....	103	103
	8	4,687	4,695	7	1,126	1,133
Oilcake.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
Victoria	17,366	.....	.....	4,451	.....	
Queensland	417	.....	.....	103	.....	
South Australia... ...	11,110	.....	.....	2,744	.....	
Western Australia ...	30	.....	.....	9	.....	
Tasmania...	4,499	.....	.....	1,118	.....	
New Zealand	371	.....	.....	92	.....	
United Kingdom	604	.....	.....	141	.....	
Fiji	52	.....	.....	12	.....	
	34,449	.....	34,449	8,670	.....	8,670
Oilcloth.						
(See Floorcloth & Oilcloth.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oilmen's Stores* (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	110	639	749	216	1,230	1,446
Queensland	196	3,135	3,331	254	5,349	5,603
South Australia	125	443	568	142	879	1,021
Western Australia ...	775	431	1,206	1,195	629	1,824
Tasmania...	182	562	744	315	965	1,280
New Zealand	20	578	598	50	991	1,041
United Kingdom	.....	120	120	.....	123	123
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Fiji	212	715	927	425	1,561	1,986
India	.....	5	5	.....	3	3
New Guinea	48	424	472	94	993	1,087
Norfolk Island	3	25	28	5	56	61
Straits Settlements ...	.....	3	3	.....	12	12
Chili	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
China	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	3	3	.....	9	9
Marshall Islands	.....	61	61	.....	92	92
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	12	132	144	21	316	337
New Caledonia	72	399	471	116	663	779
South Sea Islands	90	914	1,004	138	1,920	2,058
United States	.....	102	102	.....	300	300
	1,846	8,694	10,540	2,974	16,103	19,077
Oils (in bulk).						
Black.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Queensland	.....	120	.....	.....	20	
Fiji	.....	42	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	84	.....	.....	6	
	.....	246	246	.....	30	30
Castor.		gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1,074	.....	.....	140	
Queensland	.....	56,435	.....	.....	7,375	
South Australia	.....	7,916	.....	.....	1,082	
Western Australia ...	.....	3,092	.....	.....	416	
Tasmania...	.....	1,031	.....	.....	137	
New Zealand	.....	1,568	.....	.....	202	
Fiji	.....	2,846	.....	.....	378	
New Guinea	.....	34	.....	.....	5	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	250	.....	.....	33	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	102	.....	.....	13	
New Caledonia	.....	3,865	.....	.....	503	
South Sea Islands	.....	556	.....	.....	76	
	.....	78,769	78,769	.....	10,360	10,360

* Includes curry-powder, desiccated cocoanut, &c.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*						
China.		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1,050	.....	.....	116	
Queensland	.....	8,450	.....	.....	937	
South Australia	.....	690	.....	.....	74	
Western Australia ...	.....	10,320	.....	.....	1,140	
Tasmania	.....	1,080	.....	.....	120	
New Zealand	.....	5,730	.....	.....	627	
Fiji	.....	480	.....	.....	53	
New Guinea	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Norfolk Island	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Java	.....	20	.....	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	50	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	3,370	.....	.....	368	
South Sea Islands	.....	470	.....	.....	56	
	.....	31,730	31,730	.....	3,502	3,502
*Cocoanut.**	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	1,717	24	1,741	1,914	32	1,946
Queensland	30	8	38	33	13	46
South Australia... ...	221	33	254	254	39	293
Western Australia ...	.....	24	24	.....	35	35
United Kingdom	90,328	.....	90,328	106,257	.....	106,257
Fiji	6	5	11	7	6	13
Japan	20	.....	20	22	.....	22
United States	201	.....	201	225	.....	225
	92,523	94	92,617	108,712	125	108,837
Colza.		gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	750	.....	.....	120	
Queensland	.....	350	.....	.....	54	
South Australia	.....	25	.....	.....	4	
Fiji	.....	60	.....	.....	10	
Chili	.....	30	.....	.....	4	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	100	.....	.....	16	
Panama	.....	5	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	90	.....	.....	14	
	.....	1,410	1,410	.....	223	223

* At ordinary temperature cocoanut oil is solid, and is sold by weight.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*						
Kerosene.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.		£	£
Victoria	.....	39,488	.....	.....	1,320	
Queensland	.....	74,464	.....	.....	2,527	
South Australia	.....	13,696	.....	.....	456	
Western Australia ...	.....	7,208	.....	.....	233	
Tasmania	.....	33,776	.....	.....	1,171	
New Zealand	.....	93,752	.....	.....	3,218	
Fiji	.....	86,368	.....	.....	2,782	
New Guinea	.....	5,632	.....	.....	183	
Norfolk Island	.....	552	.....	.....	18	
Chili	.....	456	.....	.....	21	
Marshall Islands	.....	3,360	.....	.....	115	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2,488	.....	.....	84	
New Caledonia	.....	120,072	.....	.....	3,923	
Panama	.....	64	.....	.....	3	
Peru	.....	112	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	46,808	.....	.....	1,533	
United States	.....	88	.....	.....	4	
	.....	528,384	528,384	.....	17,596	£ 17,596
Linseed.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,416	.....	.....	152	
Queensland	.....	18,724	.....	.....	2,044	
South Australia	.....	780	.....	.....	84	
Western Australia ...	.....	280	.....	.....	31	
Tasmania	.....	460	.....	.....	49	
New Zealand	.....	1,835	.....	.....	200	
Fiji	.....	2,244	.....	.....	243	
New Guinea	.....	310	.....	.....	35	
Norfolk Island	.....	45	.....	.....	5	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	250	.....	.....	30	
Marshall Islands	.....	160	.....	.....	18	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	90	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	2,010	.....	.....	212	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,225	.....	.....	135	
	.....	29,829	29,829	.....	3,248	3,248
Olive.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	775	.....	.....	107	
Queensland	.....	412	.....	.....	90	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	200	.....	.....	28	
Tasmania	.....	305	.....	.....	74	
New Zealand	.....	834	.....	.....	144	
Fiji	.....	68	.....	.....	19	
New Guinea	.....	12	.....	.....	4	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	40	.....	.....	13	
South Sea Islands	.....	38	.....	.....	12	
	.....	2,692	2,692	.....	493	493
Palm.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	42	.....	.....	5	
Queensland	.....	190	.....	.....	22	
	.....	232	232	.....	27	27

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oils (in bulk)—*continued.*						
Petroleum.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	56,520	.....	.....	1,233	.....	
Queensland	2,232	.....	.....	72	.....	
South Australia... ...	9,080	.....	.....	240	.....	
Western Australia ...	2,095	.....	.....	49	.....	
Tasmania...	840	.....	.....	21	.....	
New Zealand	3,120	.....	.....	78	.....	
Fiji	209	.....	.....	5	.....	
	74,096	.....	74,096	1,698	.....	1,698
Other.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	4,655	12,231	16,886	594	1,248	1,842
Queensland	4,786	39,763	44,549	245	3,987	4,232
South Australia	5,456	6,140	11,596	412	610	1,022
Western Australia ...	1,770	6,423	8,193	163	772	935
Tasmania	440	3,168	3,608	42	317	359
New Zealand	11,045	41,669	52,714	1,068	4,327	5,395
Fiji	1,768	2,375	4,143	155	310	465
New Guinea	.....	16	16	.....	2	2
Straits Settlements ...	.....	350	350	.....	40	40
Italy	.....	336	336	.....	33	33
Java...	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
Marshall Islands	.....	16	16	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	46	46	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	3,108	4,146	7,254	231	588	819
South Sea Islands	202	1,703	1,905	25	223	248
United States	.....	96	96	.....	12	12
	33,230	118,486	151,716	2,935	12,477	15,412
Oils (in bottle).						
Castor.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.			
Victoria	.....	336	.....	.....	56	
Queensland	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
South Australia	.....	18	.....	.....	3	
Western Australia ...	.....	226	.....	.....	39	
Fiji	.....	151	.....	.....	30	
New Guinea	.....	36	.....	.....	6	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	36	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	83	.....	.....	17	
South Sea Islands	.....	69	.....	.....	14	
	.....	963	963	.....	173	173
Eucalyptus.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Queensland	10	.....	.....	40	.....	
New Zealand	3	.....	.....	10	.....	
United Kingdom	31	.....	.....	122	.....	
Germany	122	.....	.....	1,032	.....	
United States	29	.....	.....	100	.....	
	195	.....	195	1,304	.....	1,304

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Oils (in bottle)—*continued.*						
Salad.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	546	.....	.....	87	
Queensland	.....	643	.....	.....	192	
South Australia	.....	191	.....	.....	27	
Western Australia ...	.....	456	.....	.....	109	
Tasmania...	.....	82	.....	.....	26	
New Zealand	.....	140	.....	.....	50	
Fiji	.....	150	.....	.....	50	
New Guinea	.....	20	.....	.....	14	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	100	.....	.....	58	
New Caledonia	.....	43	.....	.....	31	
South Sea Islands	.....	60	.....	.....	17	
	.....	2,439	2,439	.....	665	665
Other.						
Australasia—		doz. bott.	doz. bott.			
Victoria	.....	140	.....	.....	17	
Queensland	.....	788	.....	.....	148	
South Australia	.....	50	.....	.....	21	
Tasmania	.....	577	.....	.....	87	
New Zealand	.....	307	.....	.....	39	
Fiji	.....	138	.....	.....	30	
New Guinea	.....	10	.....	.....	6	
Marshall Islands	.....	12	.....	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	24	.....	.....	15	
New Caledonia	.....	130	.....	.....	30	
South Sea Islands	.....	82	.....	.....	13	
	.....	2,258	2,258	.....	414	414
Onions.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	276	1,217	1,493	84	791	875
Queensland	7,225	14,193	21,418	2,984	7,695	10,679
South Australia... ...	65	533	598	18	320	338
Western Australia ...	199	381	580	60	213	273
Tasmania...	.....	28	28	.....	13	13
New Zealand	800	1,209	2,009	240	513	753
Fiji	74	121	195	15	61	76
New Guinea	24	200	224	6	79	85
Hawaiian Islands	176	185	361	78	70	148
Marshall Islands	6	20	26	2	13	15
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	3	46	49	1	27	28
New Caledonia	1,776	2,403	4,179	543	1,123	1,666
Philippine Islands... ...	200	4,054	4,254	108	1,761	1,869
South Sea Islands	104	242	346	25	120	145
United States	.....	178	178	.....	42	42
	10,928	25,010	35,938	4,164	12,841	17,005

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Opium.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	1,327	.....	.....	2,062	
South Australia	.....	16	.....	.....	30	
Western Australia ...	.....	498	.....	.....	846	
Tasmania	.....	7	.....	.....	14	
New Zealand	.....	99	.....	.....	150	
Fiji	.....	154	.....	.....	92	
New Caledonia	.....	66	.....	.....	99	
South Sea Islands	.....	24	.....	.....	40	
	.....	2,191	2,191	.....	3,333	3,333
Ores (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	46	.....	46	8	.....	8
Western Australia ...	50	.....	50	10	.....	10
New Zealand	200	.....	200	192	.....	192
United Kingdom	613	40	653	1,104	30	1,134
Germany	275	.....	275	590	.....	590
	1,184	40	1,224	1,904	30	1,934
Oysters (Fresh).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	5,812	111	5,923	7,680	97	7,777
Western Australia ...	71	.....	71	101	.....	101
Tasmania	130	.....	130	158	.....	158
	6,013	111	6,124	7,939	97	8,036
Paints and Colours.						
Paints—Mixed for use.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	16	803	819	21	1,097	1,118
Queensland	242	2,261	2,503	301	2,844	3,145
South Australia	3	185	188	7	260	267
Western Australia ...	12	97	109	14	142	156
Tasmania	1	174	175	1	274	275
New Zealand	35	265	300	55	359	414
Cape Colony	.....	100	100	.....	150	150
Fiji	2	634	636	3	838	841
New Guinea	.....	77	77	.....	108	108
Norfolk Island	.....	6	6	.....	9	9
Marshall Islands	.....	11	11	.....	15	15
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	36	36	.....	49	49
New Caledonia	10	516	526	15	696	711
South Sea Islands	.....	470	470	.....	637	637
United States	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
	321	5,636	5,957	417	7,480	7,897

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Paints and Colours—*continued.*						
Paints—Dry.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	61	.....	.....	71	
Queensland	.....	152	.....	.....	147	
South Australia... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	12	
Western Australia ...	.....	18	.....	.....	32	
Tasmania	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	32	.....	.....	48	
United Kingdom	.....	41	.....	.....	95	
Fiji	.....	172	.....	.....	162	
New Guinea	.....	13	.....	.....	11	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	11	.....	.....	8	
New Caledonia	.....	55	.....	.....	59	
South Sea Islands	.....	52	.....	.....	47	
	.....	619	619	.....	696	696
Kalsomine.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	8	.....	.....	10	
Queensland	.....	12	.....	.....	24	
South Australia... ...	.....	4	.....	.....	8	
Fiji	.....	11	.....	.....	20	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	12	.....	.....	25	
South Sea Islands	.....	3	.....	.....	5	
	.....	50	50	.....	92	92
Painters' Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	65	.....	.....	247	
Queensland	.....	92	.....	.....	435	
South Australia	.....	8	.....	.....	58	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	11	
Tasmania	.....	13	.....	.....	67	
New Zealand	.....	14	.....	.....	100	
Fiji	.....	55	.....	.....	134	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	14	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	3	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Java...	.....	2	.....	.....	4	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	7	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	15	
South Sea Islands	.....	14	.....	.....	74	
	.....	277	277	.....	1,172	1,172
Paper, Books, &c.						
Bags (Plain).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	94	94	.....	87	87
Queensland	.....	885	885	.....	1,482	1,482
South Australia	5	72	77	8	53	61
Western Australia ...	46	333	379	34	361	395
Tasmania	.....	720	720	.....	1,169	1,169
New Zealand	.....	144	144	.....	177	177
Fiji	10	99	109	9	112	121
New Guinea	1	1	2	1	2	3
New Caledonia	15	199	214	17	322	339
South Sea Islands	.....	13	13	.....	15	15
	77	2,560	2,637	69	3,780	3,849

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*						
Bags (Printed).						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	2	16	18	2	25	27
Western Australia ...	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
	2	19	21	2	33	35
Brown and Wrapping.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	1,483	1,827	3,310	816	1,771	2,587
Queensland	299	2,945	3,244	182	3,006	3,188
South Australia	133	452	585	99	366	465
Western Australia ...	233	1,354	1,587	157	1,431	1,588
Tasmania	185	1,557	1,742	122	1,587	1,709
New Zealand	.....	914	914	.....	1,014	1,014
Fiji	10	147	157	9	163	172
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	3	3
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	221	221	.....	202	202
South Sea Islands	.....	85	85	.....	89	89
	2,343	9,507	11,850	1,385	9,634	11,019
Circulars and Advertising Matter.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	12,379	11,209	23,588	471	365	836
Queensland	15,605	11,176	26,781	707	457	1,164
South Australia	11,523	7,424	18,947	332	248	580
Western Australia ...	4,664	7,594	12,258	166	130	296
Tasmania	6,496	4,421	10,917	230	191	421
New Zealand	13,846	6,798	20,644	535	279	814
United Kingdom	672	224	896	18	7	25
Canadian Dominion ...	56	112	168	1	2	3
Ceylon	5,120	112	5,232	240	2	242
Fiji	1,740	2,684	4,424	65	86	151
India	1,344	448	1,792	16	10	26
New Guinea	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
Straits Settlements ...	112	448	560	5	15	20
China	56	.....	56	1	.....	1
Germany	336	168	504	9	8	17
Hawaiian Islands	196	112	308	5	3	8
Japan	112	.....	112	2	.....	2
Java...	448	.....	448	15	.....	15
New Caledonia	392	336	728	16	11	27
South Sea Islands	392	523	915	16	21	37
United States	.....	112	112	.....	3	3
	75,545	53,901	129,446	2,852	1,838	4,690
Printing and News-paper.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1,208	.....	.....	6,916	
Queensland	.....	568	.....	.....	4,135	
South Australia	.....	145	.....	.....	638	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,026	.....	.....	6,198	
Tasmania	.....	571	.....	.....	3,311	
New Zealand	.....	390	.....	.....	2,821	
United Kingdom	.....	10	.....	.....	12	
Fiji	.....	39	.....	.....	232	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	18	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
Germany	.....	3	.....	.....	12	
New Caledonia	.....	43	.....	.....	270	
South Sea Islands	.....	7	.....	.....	41	
	.....	4,016	4,016	.....	24,609	24,609

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Paper, Books, &c.—*continued.*						
Waste Paper.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	4	.....	.....	1	.....	
Queensland	964	.....	.....	290	.....	
South Australia	4	.....	.....	1	.....	
Tasmania	106	.....	.....	30	.....	
New Zealand	15	.....	.....	4	.....	
Fiji	58	.....	.....	20	.....	
New Caledonia	9	.....	.....	3	.....	
	1,160	.....	1,160	349	.....	349
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	229	229	.....	1,871	1,871
Queensland	.....	170	170	.....	1,463	1,463
South Australia	1	45	46	3	121	124
Western Australia ...	.....	46	46	.....	379	379
Tasmania	.....	52	52	.....	490	490
New Zealand	.....	178	178	.....	1,421	1,421
United Kingdom	.....	12	12	.....	90	90
Fiji	.....	7	7	.....	45	45
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	9	9
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	31	31
South Sea Islands	.....	5	5	.....	17	17
	1	755	756	3	5,942	5,945
Books and Periodicals.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	117	439	556	2,242	5,378	7,620
Queensland	1,519	2,268	3,787	2,820	10,873	13,693
South Australia	41	105	146	676	1,616	2,292
Western Australia ...	41	109	150	656	1,576	2,232
Tasmania	39	102	141	618	1,777	2,395
New Zealand	42	576	618	398	4,840	5,238
United Kingdom	35	92	127	1,026	1,794	2,820
Canadian Dominion ...	3	6	9	65	87	152
Cape Colony	.....	3	3	.....	14	14
Ceylon	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Fiji	11	54	65	103	367	470
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	12	12
India	.....	1	1	.....	23	23
Natal	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
New Guinea	.....	10	10	.....	39	39
Norfolk Island	.....	5	5	.....	26	26
Belgium	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
France	2	2	4	23	17	40
Germany	1	.....	1	20	.....	20
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	18	18
Japan	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Java	.....	2	2	.....	91	91
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	3	5	37	14	51
New Caledonia	1	11	12	6	82	88
South Sea Islands	2	46	48	9	219	228
United States	4	13	17	277	169	446
	1,860	3,854	5,714	8,976	29,053	38,029

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Paperhangings.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	30	.....	.....	170	
Queensland	.....	11	.....	.....	53	
South Australia	.....	3	.....	.....	13	
Western Australia ...	.....	12	.....	.....	60	
Tasmania	.....	5	.....	.....	27	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	12	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	6	
	.....	68	68	.....	345	345
Pearlshell.						
		cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	.....	1,262	.....	.....	4,116	
Hong Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
Belgium	.....	15	.....	.....	75	
France	.....	253	.....	.....	615	
Germany	.....	159	.....	.....	503	
Japan	.....	22	.....	.....	50	
	.....	1,713	1,713	.....	5,365	5,365
Pepper.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	1,036	4,878	5,914	19	137	156
Queensland	460	9,051	9,511	13	276	289
South Australia	1,898	760	2,658	54	24	78
Western Australia ...	336	112	448	7	3	10
Tasmania	.....	4,800	4,800	.....	129	129
New Zealand	.....	4,827	4,827	.....	112	112
Fiji	1,490	510	2,000	44	16	60
New Guinea	.....	216	216	.....	6	6
Marshall Islands	.....	72	72	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	216	216	.....	6	6
New Caledonia	840	904	1,744	27	21	48
South Sea Islands	788	1,158	1,946	23	33	56
	6,848	27,504	34,352	187	765	952
Perambulators.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	2	5	7	4	5	9
Queensland	18	15	33	74	121	195
South Australia	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
Western Australia ...	.....	6	6	.....	18	18
Tasmania	.....	2	2	.....	17	17
Fiji	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	6	6
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
	20	36	56	78	179	257

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Personal Effects.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	1,298	237	1,535	3,961	875	4,836
Queensland	642	899	1,541	2,562	3,282	5,844
South Australia	169	1,068	1,237	494	2,062	2,556
Western Australia ...	289	242	531	1,067	963	2,030
Tasmania...	132	292	424	537	997	1,534
New Zealand	260	533	793	935	1,769	2,704
United Kingdom	134	411	545	1,130	3,762	4,892
Canadian Dominion ...	2	10	12	11	48	59
Cape Colony	4	15	19	23	77	100
Ceylon	18	12	30	25	85	110
Fiji	37	73	110	123	394	517
Hong Kong...	34	48	82	93	284	377
India	2	24	26	20	175	195
Mauritius	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Natal	8	4	12	45	23	68
New Guinea	8	42	50	36	252	288
Norfolk Island	4	4	8	6	12	18
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Belgium	.....	15	15	.....	115	115
China	.....	4	4	.....	18	18
France	9	16	25	65	400	465
Germany	15	40	55	105	317	422
Hawaiian Islands	.....	7	7	.....	29	29
Italy	.....	5	5	.....	26	26
Japan	.....	2	2	.....	10	10
Java...	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
Marshall Islands	.....	4	4	.....	19	19
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	5	5	.....	25	25
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
South Sea Islands	36	72	108	128	300	428
United States	2	25	27	11	96	107
	3,105	4,113	7,218	11,386	16,435	27,821
Phormium Tenax. (See Flax and Hemp.)						
Photographic Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	62	260	322	319	2,753	3,072
Queensland	269	242	511	2,650	1,883	4,533
South Australia	19	101	120	109	840	949
Western Australia ...	37	66	103	369	537	906
Tasmania	70	24	94	317	93	410
New Zealand	116	63	179	669	461	1,130
United Kingdom	.....	16	16	.....	122	122
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Fiji	27	56	83	111	238	349
Natal	3	.....	3	10	.....	10
New Guinea	2	5	7	8	38	46
Marshall Islands	.....	4	4	.....	18	18
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	1	3	4	3	15	18
New Caledonia	9	13	22	25	60	85
South Sea Islands	19	22	41	82	105	187
	634	876	1,510	4,672	7,168	11,840

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Pickles and Sauces.						
Australasia—	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	doz. bott.	£	£	£
Victoria	252	2,830	3,082	57	711	768
Queensland	3,112	17,059	20,171	709	6,607	7,316
South Australia	100	1,086	1,186	23	416	439
Western Australia ...	2,790	586	3,376	384	138	522
Tasmania...	224	1,444	1,668	58	424	482
New Zealand	50	758	808	17	229	246
United Kingdom	.. ...	20	20	.....	5	5
Ceylon	20	.....	20	5	.....	5
Fiji	307	1,107	1,414	67	339	406
India	6	.....	6	1	.....	1
New Guinea	12	216	228	3	71	74
Norfolk Island	.....	28	28	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	149	149	.....	52	52
New Caledonia	67	297	364	22	96	118
South Sea Islands	172	745	917	33	245	278
	7,112	26,325	33,437	1,379	9,341	10,720
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	27	36	63	255	1,725	1,980
Queensland	49	41	90	148	215	363
South Australia ...	11	25	36	1,019	415	1,434
Western Australia ...	36	8	44	234	252	486
Tasmania	10	12	22	180	327	507
New Zealand	13	24	37	70	280	350
United Kingdom	43	16	59	1,872	373	2,245
Canadian Dominion ...	2	.....	2	13	.....	13
Ceylon	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Fiji	6	10	16	18	66	84
Hong Kong...	40	.....	40	300	.....	300
India	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
China	.....	2	2	.....	12	12
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	20	20
Marshall Islands	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
New Caledonia	3	2	5	16	8	24
Philippine Islands ...	2	.....	2	54	.....	54
South Sea Islands... ...	4	5	9	6	20	26
United States	4	1	5	17	15	32
	252	190	442	4,214	3,766	7,980
Picture Frames and Mouldings.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3	76	79	21	816	837
Queensland	16	50	66	44	253	297
South Australia	2	68	70	19	954	973
Western Australia ...	.....	17	17	.....	142	142
Tasmania	.....	11	11	.....	45	45
New Zealand	7	8	15	29	99	128
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	13	13
Fiji	2	17	19	4	43	47
Italy	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	18	18
South Sea Islands	.....	12	12	.....	62	62
	30	266	296	117	2,455	2,572

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Pitch and Tar.						
Australasia—	barrels.	barrels.	barrels.	£	£	£
Victoria	30	7	37	17	12	29
Queensland	5	109	114	4	160	164
South Australia	474	26	500	187	34	221
Western Australia ...	75	93	168	25	130	155
Tasmania...	10	6	16	5	8	13
New Zealand	4	4	8	2	6	8
Fiji	31	54	85	17	74	91
New Guinea	2	8	10	1	11	12
Marshall Islands	.....	3	3	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	9	2	11	5	3	8
New Caledonia	.....	29	29	.....	42	42
South Sea Islands	26	47	73	14	67	81
	666	388	1,054	277	551	828
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	341	24	365	1,212	66	1,278
Queensland	402	24	426	1,977	76	2,053
South Australia	52	.....	52	199	.....	199
Western Australia ...	139	8	147	895	9	904
Tasmania...	42	2	44	134	6	140
New Zealand	177	8	185	880	41	921
United Kingdom	19	65	84	91	335	426
Aden	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Canadian Dominion ...	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
Fiji	18	14	32	48	13	61
Natal	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
New Guinea	9	.....	9	20	.....	20
Norfolk Island	3	.....	3	6	.....	6
Straits Settlements ...	6	.....	6	3	.....	3
Belgium	3	1	4	8	2	10
Egypt	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
France	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
Germany	20	.....	20	30	.....	30
Hawaiian Islands	2	.....	2	8	.....	8
Marshall Islands	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	9	4	13	22	12	34
South Sea Islands	8	.....	8	24	.....	24
	1,255	153	1,408	5,575	562	6,137
Plaster and Plaster of Paris.						
Australasia—		barrels.	barrels.			
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Queensland	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Western Australia ...	.....	10	.....	.....	6	
New Zealand	.....	75	.....	.....	40	
New Caledonia	.....	32	.....	.....	18	
	.....	120	120	.....	66	66

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Plate and Plated Ware.						
Silver.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	19	.....	.....	770	
South Australia... ...	.....	13	.....	.....	105	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	99	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	9	
United Kingdom	.....	11	.....	.....	1,340	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	100	
	.....	51	51	.....	2,423	2,423
Other.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	254	254	.....	6,273	6,273
Queensland	8	158	166	30	5,700	5,730
South Australia ...	1	62	63	10	1,869	1,879
Western Australia ...	.....	15	15	.....	726	726
Tasmania	.....	19	19	.....	659	659
New Zealand	.....	137	137	.....	3,642	3,642
United Kingdom	.....	36	36	.....	2,027	2,027
Fiji	.....	4	4	.....	45	45
China	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
South Sea Islands	.....	1	1	.....	8	8
United States	1	1	2	3	35	38
	10	688	698	43	20,994	21,037
Playing Cards.						
Australasia—		doz. packs.	doz. packs.			
Victoria	.....	347	.....	.....	140	
Queensland	.....	75	.....	.....	15	
Western Australia ...	.....	216	.....	.....	22	
Fiji	.....	412	.....	.....	90	
New Guinea	.....	48	.....	.....	12	
South Sea Islands	.....	180	.....	.....	32	
	.....	1,278	1,278	.....	311	311
Porcelain.						
(See Chinaware and Porcelain.)						
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	7	8	6	30	36
Queensland	78	28	106	93	128	221
South Australia... ...	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
Western Australia ...	14	6	20	136	114	250
Tasmania	65	17	82	127	109	236
New Zealand	17	68	85	20	102	122
Fiji	.....	11	11	.....	60	60
New Guinea	.....	7	7	.....	55	55
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
South Sea Islands	.....	46	46	.....	223	223
	175	195	370	382	836	1,218

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Potatoes.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	59,205	20,693	79,898	16,093	7,910	24,003
Queensland	65,507	42,605	108,112	19,569	15,071	34,640
South Australia	4,498	3,025	7,523	1,319	1,165	2,484
Western Australia ...	6,507	11,104	17,611	1,926	4,308	6,234
Tasmania	16	.....	16	6	.....	6
New Zealand	529	530	1,059	208	220	428
Cape Colony	160	200	360	65	60	125
Fiji	224	105	329	59	39	98
Natal	.....	43	43	.....	13	13
New Guinea	198	438	636	62	181	243
Norfolk Island	6	.....	6	2	.....	2
Japan	3	.....	3	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	20	80	100	8	31	39
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	48	70	118	14	28	42
New Caledonia	8,335	12,502	20,837	2,449	4,625	7,074
Philippine Islands... ...	4,670	12,000	16,670	1,879	4,950	6,829
South Sea Islands	202	452	654	64	169	233
	150,128	103,847	253,975	43,724	38,770	82,494
Poultry (Live).						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	873	.....	.....	387	.....	
Queensland	144	.....	.....	308	.....	
South Australia	11	.....	.....	31	.....	
Western Australia ...	159	.....	.....	341	.....	
Tasmania...	14	.....	.....	35	.....	
New Zealand	7	.....	.....	21	.....	
United Kingdom	2	.....	.....	8	.....	
Fiji	8	.....	.....	20	.....	
New Guinea	5	.....	.....	8	.....	
Norfolk Island	1	.....	.....	1	.....	
Marshall Islands	5	.....	.....	11	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	11	.....	.....	28	.....	
New Caledonia	8	.....	.....	24	.....	
South Sea Islands	8	.....	.....	20	.....	
	1,256	.....	1,256	1,243	.....	1,243
Powders. *Baking, &c.*						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	5,776	2,158	7,934	264	119	383
Queensland	1,344	1,089	2,433	62	77	139
South Australia	8,068	720	8,788	511	35	546
Western Australia ...	782	.....	782	46	.....	46
Tasmania	.....	504	504	.....	22	22
New Zealand	.....	504	504	.....	24	24
United Kingdom	.....	7,840	7,840	.....	340	340
Fiji	1,456	464	1,920	85	25	110
New Guinea	504	112	616	25	6	31
Norfolk Island	12	.....	12	1	.....	1
Marshall Islands	108	.....	108	6	.....	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	224	.....	224	12	.....	12
New Caledonia	510	.....	510	22	.....	22
South Sea Islands	1,026	756	1,782	56	39	95
	19,810	14,147	33,957	1,090	687	1,777

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Powders—*continued.*						
Effervescing.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	480	.....	.....	20	
South Australia	.....	168	.....	.....	12	
		648	648		32	32
Preserves.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	48	14,380	14,428	1	164	165
Queensland	711	149,311	150,022	14	1,712	1,726
South Australia	.....	3,024	3,024	.....	46	46
Western Australia ...	144	169,865	170,009	2	1,711	1,713
Tasmania...	.....	986	986	.....	14	14
New Zealand	.....	77,598	77,598	.....	891	891
United Kingdom	1,008	3,792	4,800	15	52	67
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	398	398	.....	6	6
Fiji	192	3,790	3,982	3	50	53
Hong Kong	6,048	648	6,696	101	9	110
India	.....	96	96	.....	1	1
New Guinea	72	4,839	4,911	1	58	59
Straits Settlements ...	.....	192	192	.....	4	4
Chili	.....	672	672	.....	14	14
France	.....	192	192	.....	3	3
Germany	.....	96	96	.....	1	1
Hawaiian Islands	.....	240	240	.....	5	5
Japan	.....	336	336	.....	4	4
Java...	.....	144	144	.....	3	3
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	2,928	2 928	.....	40	40
Marshall Islands	.....	1,388	1,388	.....	16	16
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	144	1,680	1,824	2	22	24
New Caledonia	.....	504	504	.....	9	9
Peru	.....	48	48	.....	1	1
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	384	384	.....	7	7
South Sea Islands	480	7,413	7,893	7	92	99
United States	.....	480	480	.....	9	9
	8,847	445,424	454,271	146	4,944	5,090
Printers' Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	66	162	228	529	1,120	1,649
Queensland	91	582	673	462	2,545	3,007
South Australia	26	84	110	232	499	731
Western Australia ...	23	58	81	179	488	667
Tasmania	18	68	86	190	556	746
New Zealand	53	578	631	208	2,886	3,094
United Kingdom	.....	33	33	.....	295	295
Fiji	2	24	26	10	123	133
New Guinea	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
Norfolk Island	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Germany	.....	2	2	.....	28	28
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	12	12
South Sea Islands	2	11	13	5	33	38
United States	.....	5	5	.....	23	23
	281	1,613	1,894	1,815	8,620	10,435

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Putty.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	5	.....	.....	2	
Queensland	.....	28	.....	.....	14	
Fiji	.....	13	.....	.....	7	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
	.....	56	56	.....	28	28
Quicksilver.						
Australasia—		bottles.	bottles.			
Victoria	.....	54	.....	.....	394	
Queensland	.....	130	.....	.....	1,078	
South Australia	.....	22	.....	.....	186	
Western Australia ...	.....	10	.....	.....	82	
New Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	71	
	.....	225	225	.....	1,811	1,811
Rags.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	931	.....	.....	932	.....	
Queensland	1,419	.....	.....	310	.....	
United Kingdom	1,491	.....	.....	5,411	.....	
Belgium	6	.....	.....	30	.....	
France	40	.....	.....	145	.....	
	3,887	.....	3,887	6,828	.....	6,828
Railway and Tramway Plant.						
Locomotive Boilers and Engines.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
South Australia	.....	4	4	.....	400	400
Rails.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	80	.....	.....	32	
Queensland	.....	6,816	.....	.....	1,747	
South Australia	.....	40	.....	.....	16	
Western Australia ...	.....	2,105	.....	.....	841	
Tasmania	.....	1,017	.....	.....	362	
New Zealand	.....	3,500	.....	.....	828	
Fiji	.....	2,364	.....	.....	793	
South Sea Islands	.....	318	.....	.....	113	
	.....	16,240	16,240	.....	4,732	4,732

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Railway and Tramway Plant—*continued.*						
Other Plant.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	33	53	86	311	584	895
Queensland	73	2,894	2,967	1,086	12,533	13,619
South Australia	3	67	70	62	192	254
Western Australia ...	3	47	50	7	127	134
New Zealand	20	75	95	108	310	418
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	16	16
Fiji	2	1,288	1,290	6	4,551	4,557
New Caledonia	30	4	34	200	9	209
	164	4,432	4,596	1,780	18,322	20,102
Resin.						
Australasia—		barrels.	barrels.			
Victoria	.....	2,354	.....	.....	2,453	
Queensland	.....	727	.....	.....	717	
South Australia	.....	306	.....	.....	310	
Western Australia ...	.....	169	.....	.....	179	
Tasmania	.....	85	.....	.....	82	
New Zealand	.....	524	.....	.....	531	
Fiji	.....	26	.....	.....	26	
New Caledonia	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
		4,193	4,193		4,300	4,300
Rugs.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	15	16	1	163	164
Queensland	.....	12	12	.....	69	69
South Australia	.....	1	1	.....	14	14
United Kingdom	3	.....	3	25	.....	25
Fiji	.....	3	3	.....	25	25
India	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Natal	1	.....	1	15	.....	15
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	6	6
Germany	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Japan	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
South Sea Islands	.....	4	4	.....	24	24
	8	36	44	47	301	348
Saddlers' Ware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	4	6	10	15	69	84
Queensland	1	42	43	2	379	381
South Australia	1	9	10	7	46	53
Western Australia ...	.....	4	4	.....	42	42
Tasmania	.....	4	4	.....	14	14
New Zealand	2	3	5	12	17	29
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	55	55
Fiji	.....	11	11	.....	53	53
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
New Caledonia	4	5	9	23	13	36
South Sea Islands	.....	20	20	.....	50	50
United States	.....	4	4	.....	25	25
	12	113	125	59	767	826

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Saddles and Harness.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	195	18	213	652	171	823
Queensland	75	113	188	528	1,191	1,719
South Australia	23	27	50	259	218	477
Western Australia ...	6	33	39	44	305	349
Tasmania	.....	7	7	.....	101	101
New Zealand	2	31	33	22	364	386
United Kingdom	2	3	5	16	63	79
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
Fiji	28	23	51	238	164	402
India	1	.....	1	6	.....	6
Natal	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
New Guinea	7	4	11	41	29	70
Norfolk Island	6	1	7	22	6	28
China	.....	1	1	.....	7	7
Hawaiian Islands	.....	3	3	... ..	50	50
Java...	1	.....	1	18	.....	18
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	2	4	10	7	17
New Caledonia	20	18	38	174	141	315
South Sea Islands	12	25	37	78	149	227
United States	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
	381	311	692	2,118	2,975	5,093
Safes and Doors (Iron & Steel)						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	13	.....	.....	435	
Queensland	.....	30	.....	.....	594	
South Australia... ...	.....	9	.....	.....	242	
Western Australia ...	.....	22	.....	.....	618	
Tasmania	.....	3	.....	.....	100	
New Zealand	.....	2	.....	.....	16	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	14	
Fiji	.....	3	.....	.....	45	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	57	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	12	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	5	.....	.....	45	
	.....	90	90	.....	2,178	2,178
Sago.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	493	.....	.....	2	
Queensland	.....	21,018	.....	.....	90	
South Australia	.....	12,532	.....	.....	50	
Tasmania	.....	20,318	.....	.....	86	
New Zealand	.....	20,139	.....	.....	83	
Fiji	.....	5,704	.....	.....	23	
New Guinea	.....	237	.....	.....	1	
Norfolk Island	.....	218	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	224	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	210	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	3,324	.....	.....	14	
	.....	84,417	84,417	.....	352	352

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Salt.						
In Bottle—(Table).						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.		£	£
Queensland	.....	22	.....	.....	10	
South Australia	.....	16	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Zealand	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	88	.....	.....	41	
New Guinea	.....	20	.....	.....	8	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	60	.....	.....	27	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	28	.....	.....	12	
New Caledonia	.....	50	.....	.....	29	
South Sea Islands	.....	82	.....	.....	36	
	.....	376	376	.....	175	175
In Bags.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	1,710	.....	.....	206	
Queensland	.....	59,444	.....	.....	7,018	
South Australia	.....	87	.....	.....	8	
Western Australia ...	.....	924	.....	.....	112	
Tasmania	.....	1,412	.....	.....	171	
New Zealand	.....	27,153	.....	.....	3,352	
Fiji	.....	1,723	.....	.....	202	
New Guinea	.....	34	.....	.....	4	
Norfolk Island	.....	91	.....	.....	10	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	8	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	18	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	8,677	.....	.....	952	
South Sea Islands	.....	419	.....	.....	51	
	.....	101,700	101,700	.....	12,089	12,089
Rock.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	500	.....	.....	46	
Queensland	.....	3,110	.....	.....	276	
South Australia	.....	80	.....	.....	9	
Western Australia ...	.....	20	.....	.....	2	
Tasmania	.....	40	.....	.....	4	
New Zealand	.....	4,520	.....	.....	365	
Fiji	.....	242	.....	.....	25	
	.....	8,512	8,512	.....	727	727
Saltpetre.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	206	.....	.....	224	
Queensland	.....	190	.....	.....	237	
South Australia	.....	160	.....	.....	208	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	122	.....	.....	156	
Fiji	.....	6	.....	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	.....	.....	11	
New Caledonia	.....	16	.....	.....	22	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	5	
	.....	714	714	.....	873	873

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Samples (Travellers').						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	13	2,792	2,805	49	30,443	30,492
Queensland	28	855	883	116	7,909	8,025
South Australia	30	217	247	164	1,809	1,973
Western Australia	7	200	207	56	1,964	2,020
Tasmania	.....	71	71	.....	755	755
New Zealand	.....	379	379	.....	3,908	3,908
United Kingdom	1	22	23	1	278	279
Canadian Dominion	.....	4	4	.....	12	12
Cape Colony	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
Ceylon	6	.....	6	4	.....	4
Fiji	.....	58	58	.....	490	490
Hong Kong	4	.....	4	6	.....	6
Belgium	.....	4	4	.....	10	10
China	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
France	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Germany	.....	10	10	.....	74	74
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	8	8
Italy	.....	2	2	.....	10	10
Japan	11	2	13	23	4	27
New Caledonia	.....	27	27	.....	167	167
South Sea Islands	.....	16	16	.....	80	80
Tahiti	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
United States	.....	15	15	.....	61	61
	100	4,680	4,780	419	47,997	48,416
Sandalwood.						
		cwt.	cwt.			
Hong Kong	.....	65	65	.....	25	25
Sausage Skins, Bladders, &c.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	68	43	111	136	516	652
Queensland	5	211	216	21	526	547
South Australia	.....	10	10	.....	14	14
Western Australia	8	.....	8	30	.....	30
Tasmania	1	6	7	8	37	45
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
United Kingdom	8	7	15	28	42	70
Cape Colony	2	.....	2	15	.....	15
Fiji	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Austria	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
Belgium	11	.....	11	85	.....	85
France	32	.....	32	333	.....	333
Germany	482	.....	482	2,077	.....	2,077
Italy	43	.....	43	396	.....	396
Japan	58	.....	58	226	.....	226
United States	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
	721	279	1,000	3,303	1,141	4,504

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Seeds.						
Garden.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	128	868	996	478	3,333	3,811
Queensland	790	373	1,163	2,280	1,138	3,418
South Australia... ...	94	160	254	201	806	1,007
Western Australia ...	33	70	103	140	443	583
Tasmania	5	276	281	10	417	427
New Zealand	294	23	317	632	119	751
United Kingdom	1,018	165	1,183	1,541	257	1,798
Canadian Dominion ...	59	.....	59	120	.....	120
Cape Colony	6	.....	6	252	.....	252
Ceylon	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Fiji	28	12	40	60	30	90
Hong Kong	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
India	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Natal	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
New Guinea	22	.....	22	53	.....	53
Norfolk Island	3	.....	3	4	.....	4
Belgium	95	22	117	170	51	221
France	72	1	73	127	3	130
Germany	84	.....	84	153	.....	153
Hawaiian Islands	1	.....	1	2	.....	2
Italy	77	.....	77	107	.....	107
Marshall Islands	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	8	.....	8	16	.....	16
New Caledonia	27	.....	27	64	.....	64
South Sea Islands	6	.....	6	21	.....	21
United States	1,231	2	1,233	1,259	9	1,268
	4,088	1,972	6,060	7,710	6,606	14,316
Other.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	106	.....	.....	81	
Queensland	.....	365	.....	.....	458	
South Australia	.....	5	.....	.....	3	
Western Australia ...	.....	11	.....	.....	22	
Tasmania	.....	39	.....	.....	63	
New Zealand	.....	22	.....	.....	28	
Fiji	.....	22	.....	.....	13	
New Guinea	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	39	.....	.....	22	
South Sea Islands	.....	7	.....	.....	4	
	.....	618	618	.....	695	695
Semolina.						
(See Tapioca and Semolina.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Sewing Machines and Parts.		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	571	.....	.....	1,685	
Queensland	.....	1,449	.....	.....	3,671	
South Australia	.....	147	.....	.....	405	
Western Australia ...	.....	112	.....	.....	374	
Tasmania	.....	455	.....	.....	1,272	
New Zealand	.....	957	.....	.....	2,981	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	33	.....	.....	137	
Hong Kong	.....	1	.....	.....	4	
New Guinea	.....	14	.....	.....	95	
Norfolk Island	.....	2	.....	.....	7	
Germany	.....	1	.....	.....	35	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	116	.....	.....	278	
South Sea Islands	.....	34	.....	.....	154	
	.....	3,895	3,895	.....	11,109	11,109
Shark Fins.		cwt.	cwt.			
Hong Kong	.....	124	124	.....	614	614
Sheepwash and Sheep Dip.		pkg.	pkg.	pkg.		
Australasia—						
Victoria	3	134	137	5	194	199
Queensland	25	85	110	41	282	323
South Australia	.....	80	80	.....	221	221
Western Australia ...	.....	50	50	.....	175	175
Tasmania	.....	68	68	.....	153	153
New Zealand	1	20	21	2	27	29
New Guinea	.....	4	4	.....	6	6
New Caledonia	.....	4	4	.....	7	7
	29	445	474	48	1,065	1,113
Ship-chandlery.		pkg.	pkg.	pkg.		
Australasia—						
Victoria	7	137	144	50	451	501
Queensland	39	721	760	184	2,759	2,943
South Australia	6	39	45	45	189	234
Western Australia ...	11	44	55	78	202	280
Tasmania	10	163	173	38	549	587
New Zealand	3	163	166	14	811	825
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	20	20
Fiji	16	384	400	138	1,463	1,601
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
India	8	.....	8	5	.....	5
New Guinea	14	125	139	122	436	558
Norfolk Island	.....	7	7	.....	28	28
Marshall Islands	.....	12	12	.....	38	38
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	8	51	59	98	167	265
New Caledonia	8	44	52	19	173	192
South Sea Islands	55	294	349	511	1,495	2,006
Tahiti	.....	3	3	.....	35	35
	185	2,190	2,375	1,302	8,831	10,133
Shoes. (See Boots and Shoes.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Silks.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	41	.....	.....	1,534	
Queensland	.....	110	.....	.....	3,733	
South Australia... ...	.....	7	.....	.....	327	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	125	
Tasmania	.....	11	.....	.....	82	
New Zealand	.....	35	.....	.....	751	
United Kingdom	.....	2	.....	.....	265	
Fiji	.....	9	.....	.....	248	
Hong Kong	.....	1	.....	.....	5	
Japan	.....	3	.....	.....	81	
New Caledonia	.....	10	.....	.....	288	
South Sea Islands	.....	13	.....	.....	392	
	.....	245	245	.....	7,831	7,831
Silver Coin.						
(See Coin.)						
Silver.						
Ingots.						
Australasia—	oz.	oz.	oz.			
Queensland	355	.....	355	40	.....	40
United Kingdom	151,983	16,084	168,067	16,942	1,900	18,842
Ceylon	60,491	.....	60,491	7,235	.....	7,235
China	37,492	.....	37,492	4,530	.....	4,530
	250,321	16,084	266,405	28,747	1,900	30,647
Lead.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
South Australia	5,938	.....	.....	109,591	.....	
United Kingdom	196,205	.....	.....	209,745	.....	
Germany	30	.....	.....	1,800	.....	
	202,173	.....	202,173	321,136	.....	321,136
Contained in Matte.	oz.		oz.			
United Kingdom	282,738	.....	282,738	30,531	.....	30,531
Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
South Australia	7,768,620	.....	7,768,620	1,322,885	.....	1,322,885
United Kingdom	584	.....	584	756	.....	756
Belgium	.....	27,200	27,200	.....	13,350	13,350
	7,769,204	27,200	7,796,404	1,323,641	13,350	1,336,991
Skins and Hides.						
Horse.	No.	No.	No.			
United Kingdom	1,279	200	1,479	515	85	600
Belgium	.....	350	350	.....	135	135
Germany	482	1,500	1,982	132	600	732
Italy	.....	150	150	.....	55	55
	1,761	2,200	3,961	647	875	1,522

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Skins and Hides—*continued.*						
Cattle.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	15,902	62,500	78,402	8,311	49,120	57,431
Queensland	525	.....	525	489	.....	489
South Australia	6,928	8,250	15,178	5,556	6,720	12,276
Tasmania...	1,238	1,750	2,988	944	1,425	2,369
New Zealand	466	.....	466	359	.....	359
United Kingdom	22,107	75,200	97,307	13,313	60,000	73,313
Canadian Dominion ...	4,602	.....	4,602	3,965	.....	3,965
Austria	100	.....	100	85	.....	85
Belgium	43,244	76,850	120,094	31,639	60,440	92,079
Egypt	6,849	.....	6,849	5,653	.....	5,653
France	9,102	21,250	30,352	8,026	16,965	24,991
Germany	18,291	25,024	43,315	10,413	18,515	28,928
Italy	10,018	19,697	29,715	6,443	15,882	22,325
Japan	15	.....	15	12	.....	12
United States	6,274	9,260	15,534	6,053	7,720	13,773
Kangaroo.	145,661	299,781	445,442	101,261	236,787	338,048
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	626	.....	626	3,168	.....	3,168
Queensland	22	.....	22	52	.....	52
South Australia	160	.....	160	780	.....	780
United Kingdom	55	200	255	1,785	8,400	10,185
Denmark	1	.....	1	23	.....	23
Germany	2	.....	2	10	.....	10
United States	174	480	654	5,695	20,160	25,855
Other Marsupial.	1,040	680	1,720	11,513	28,560	40,073
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1,424	.....	1,424	6,207	.....	6,207
South Australia	181	.....	181	766	.....	766
Tasmania	20	.....	20	450	.....	450
United Kingdom	1,450	.....	1,450	51,152	.....	51,152
Canadian Dominion ...	143	.....	143	6,487	.....	6,487
Egypt	1	.....	1	20	.....	20
France	28	.....	28	1,117	.....	1,117
Germany	171	.....	171	8,148	.....	8,148
Italy	26	.....	26	709	.....	709
United States	1,416	255	1,671	68,671	10,200	78,871
Rabbit.	4,860	255	5,115	143,727	10,200	153,927
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	303	.....	.....	606	.....	
South Australia	275	.....	.....	452	.....	
United Kingdom	252	.....	.....	2,477	.....	
Canadian Dominion ...	13	.....	.....	118	.....	
France	44	.....	.....	465	.....	
Germany	6	.....	.....	75	.....	
United States	57	.....	.....	563	.....	
	950	.....	950	4,756	.....	4,756

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Skins and Hides—*continued.*						
Sheep (with wool).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	5,490	2,750	8,240	34,052	10,620	44,672
Queensland	2	.....	2	3	.....	3
South Australia... ...	3,657	1,020	4,677	12,004	3,000	15,004
United Kingdom	3,389	200	3,589	46,628	2,000	48,628
Canadian Dominion ...	13	.....	13	120	... ..	120
Belgium	940	490	1,430	15,394	7,602	22,996
France	6,658	3,860	10,518	97,325	52,143	149,468
Germany	140	57	197	1,978	840	2,818
Italy	186	.....	186	2,248	.....	2,248
United States	159	.....	159	1,881	.....	1,881
	20,634	8,377	29,011	211,633	76,205	287,838
Sheep (without wool).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	207	.....	207	1,170	.....	1,170
South Australia	1,127	.....	1,127	1,948	.....	1,948
United Kingdom	90	110	200	1,736	1,600	3,336
Canadian Dominion ...	48	.....	48	978	.....	978
Belgium	47	.....	47	593	.....	593
Germany	24	.....	24	360	.....	360
Italy	33	.....	33	272	.....	272
United States	116	.....	116	1,569	.....	1,569
	1,692	110	1,802	8,626	1,600	10,226
All other kinds.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	427	... ..	427	1,374	.....	1,374
Queensland	3	.....	3	11	.....	11
South Australia	38	.....	38	41	.....	41
Tasmania	27	.....	27	76	.....	76
New Zealand	27	.....	27	289	.....	289
United Kingdom	67	68	135	612	585	1,197
Belgium	44	.....	44	330	.....	330
France	11	.....	11	71	.....	71
Germany	3	.....	3	32	.....	32
Italy	53	28	81	450	225	675
United States	5	.....	5	47	.....	47
	705	96	801	3,333	810	4,143
Slates.						
Roofing.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
South Australia	.....	770	.....	.....	15	
Western Australia ...	.....	14,000	.....	.....	146	
Tasmania	.....	38,800	.....	.....	330	
New Zealand	.....	11,500	.....	.....	97	
Norfolk Island	.....	800	.....	.....	7	
Japan	.....	3,000	.....	.....	25	
	.....	68,870	68,870	.....	620	620
Slabs.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Queensland	.....	157	.....	.....	233	
New Zealand	.....	74	.....	.....	110	
	.....	232	232	.....	345	345

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Soap.						
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	6,509	6,509	.....	939	939
Queensland	704	3,556	4,260	23	333	356
South Australia	77	4,761	4,838	4	718	722
Western Australia ...	.....	2,514	2,514	.....	355	355
Tasmania	.....	1,904	1,904	.....	278	278
New Zealand	413	1,308	1,721	10	137	147
Fiji	.....	573	573	.....	64	64
Hong Kong	2,240	.....	2,240	25	.....	25
New Guinea	.....	144	144	.....	17	17
Marshall Islands	.....	36	36	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	75	75	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	142	142	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	.....	705	705	.....	69	69
	3,434	22,227	25,661	62	2,928	2,990
Common.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	516	360	876	462	419	881
Queensland	378	806	1,184	387	952	1,339
South Australia	80	267	347	74	399	473
Western Australia ...	534	4,392	4,926	453	6,377	6,830
Tasmania	22	117	139	28	160	188
New Zealand	280	2,288	2,568	234	2,978	3,212
United Kingdom	20	476	496	15	600	615
Ceylon	28	.....	28	15	.....	15
Fiji	232	85	317	153	104	257
Hong Kong	160	.....	160	100	.....	100
India	308	.....	308	188	.....	188
New Guinea	151	16	167	105	14	119
Norfolk Island	24	1	25	17	1	18
Straits Settlements ...	28	.....	28	18	.....	18
China	2,411	.....	2,411	1,161	.....	1,161
Japan	105	.....	105	47	.....	47
Marshall Islands	293	.....	293	200	.....	200
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	120	4	124	76	5	81
New Caledonia	554	83	637	326	108	434
South Sea Islands	1,128	302	1,430	748	261	1,009
	7,372	9,197	16,569	4,807	12,378	17,185
Soap Stock.	cwt.		cwt.			
United Kingdom	3,632	.....	.....	2,293	.....	
Japan	118	.....	.....	89	.....	
United States	5	.....	.....	3	.....	
	3,755	.....	3,755	2,385	.....	2,385
Sodas.						
(See Alkalies.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Specimens of Natural History.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	9	1	10	25	5	30
Queensland	1	3	4	5	10	15
South Australia	5	.....	5	22	.....	22
Western Australia ...	3	3	6	32	50	82
New Zealand	9	.....	9	51	.....	51
United Kingdom	37	23	60	329	68	397
Cape Colony	1	.....	1	4	.....	4
France	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
Germany	2	1	3	30	1	31
Italy...	1	.....	1	80	.....	80
Japan	2	.....	2	9	.....	9
New Caledonia	1	1	2	10	1	11
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
United States	1	4	5	5	10	15
	74	36	110	608	145	753
Spices.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	766	2,025	2,791	19	251	270
Queensland	532	3,144	3,676	19	139	158
South Australia	.....	125	125	.....	50	50
Western Australia ...	112	112	224	9	8	17
Tasmania	.....	168	168	.....	6	6
United Kingdom	.....	192	192	.....	65	65
Fiji	680	882	1,562	20	38	58
New Guinea	.....	56	56	.....	3	3
France	.....	262	262	.....	108	108
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	170	170	.....	7	7
New Caledonia	.....	304	304	.....	14	14
South Sea Islands	414	58	472	14	4	18
	2,504	7,498	10,002	81	693	774
Spirits.						
Brandy.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	4,860	.....	.....	3,739	
Queensland	.....	8,497	.....	.....	6,184	
South Australia	.....	913	.....	.....	555	
Western Australia ...	.....	3,242	.....	.....	2,466	
Tasmania	.....	2,500	.....	.....	1,468	
New Zealand	.....	1,905	.....	.....	1,768	
United Kingdom	.....	46	.....	.....	42	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	98	.....	.....	88	
Fiji	.....	376	.....	.....	251	
Hong Kong...	.....	36	.....	.....	35	
Mauritius	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	150	.....	.....	125	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	.....	.....	3	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	4	.....	.....	2	
Carried forward ...	.....	22,635	22,635	.....	16,728	16,728

Proof Spirit.—Alcohol of the specific gravity of 0·92 at 60° Fahr. is proof spirit. The standard of proof spirit by which all mixtures of alcohol and water are judged contains 57·27 per cent. by volume, and 49·50 by weight, of alcohol. Spirits other than bitters, essences, sarsaparilla, tinctures, &c., are subject to a duty of 14s. per gallon of proof spirit; a proportionate reduction in the duty is allowed on spirits to 16·5 under proof, but on spirits of less strength the duty is enforced as at that strength. The returns of spirits given in the general imports and exports are stated according to measure, whereas the quantities shown in the Table of Revenue collected by the Customs Department are gallons of proof spirit.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Brandy—continued.		gal.	gal.		£	£
Brought forward ...	.....	22,635	22,635	.....	16,728	16,728
Chili	.....	68	.....	.....	34	
Germany	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	280	.....	.....	125	
Java...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	32	.....	.....	27	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	67	.....	.....	45	
New Caledonia	.....	18	.....	.....	15	
Panama	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Peru	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	235	.....	.....	155	
Tahiti	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
United States	.....	74	.....	.....	62	
	.....	23,435	23,435	.....	17,205	17,205
Geneva and Schnapps.		gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	2,493	.....	.....	830	
Queensland	.....	4,342	.....	.....	1,757	
South Australia	.....	706	.....	.....	269	
Western Australia ...	.....	882	.....	.....	292	
Tasmania	.....	1,102	.....	.....	484	
New Zealand	.....	3,548	.....	.....	1,130	
United Kingdom	.....	30	.....	.....	6	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	90	.....	.....	16	
Cape Colony	.....	18	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	1,284	.....	.....	209	
Hong Kong...	.....	18	.....	.....	4	
India	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	118	.....	.....	16	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Belgium	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Chili	.....	111	.....	.....	22	
China	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
France	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Germany	.....	118	.....	.....	17	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	133	.....	.....	21	
Italy	.....	12	.....	.....	2	
Japan	.....	8	.....	.....	1	
Java	.....	26	.....	.....	10	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	12	.....	.....	2	
Mexico	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
Netherlands	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	292	.....	.....	40	
New Caledonia	.....	2,424	.....	.....	333	
Panama	.....	56	.....	.....	9	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	16	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	2,537	.....	.....	350	
Tahiti	.....	8	.....	.....	2	
United States	.....	190	.....	.....	31	
	.....	20,620	20,620	.....	5,872	5,872

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Gin.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.		£	£
Victoria	.....	30	.....	.....	14	
Queensland	.....	240	.....	.....	75	
South Australia	.....	70	.....	.....	22	
Western Australia	.....	152	.....	.....	45	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Zealand	.....	260	.....	.....	73	
United Kingdom	.....	18	.....	.....	5	
Canadian Dominion	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Fiji	.....	18	.....	.....	5	
Hong Kong	.....	10	.....	.....	3	
Norfolk Island	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Straits Settlements	.....	24	.....	.....	8	
Chili	.....	30	.....	.....	11	
France	.....	10	.....	.....	3	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	2	
Marshall Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
Panama	.....	15	.....	.....	5	
Peru	.....	14	.....	.....	5	
Philippine Islands	.....	55	.....	.....	18	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	73	.....	.....	23	
	.....	1,043	1,043	.....	322	322
Liqueurs.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	216	.....	.....	180	
Queensland	.....	243	.....	.....	245	
South Australia	.....	22	.....	.....	20	
Western Australia	.....	302	.....	.....	350	
Tasmania	.....	95	.....	.....	92	
New Zealand	.....	143	.....	.....	174	
United Kingdom	.....	23	.....	.....	25	
Canadian Dominion	.....	10	.....	.....	11	
Fiji	.....	18	.....	.....	17	
Hong Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	3	
France	.....	7	.....	.....	7	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	12	.....	.....	6	
Marshall Islands	.....	12	.....	.....	14	
New Caledonia	.....	4	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	14	.....	.....	12	
United States	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
	.....	1,129	1,129	.....	1,166	1,166
Rum.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,797	.....	.....	325	
Queensland	.....	5,476	.....	.....	808	
South Australia	.....	1,861	.....	.....	220	
Western Australia	.....	3,455	.....	.....	583	
Tasmania	.....	2,660	.....	.....	300	
New Zealand	.....	1,013	.....	.....	193	
United Kingdom	.....	3,359	.....	.....	327	
Canadian Dominion	.....	345	.....	.....	49	
Cape Colony	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Carried forward	.....	19,376	19,376	.....	2,806	2,806

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Rum—continued.		gal.	gal.		£	£
Brought forward ...	.....	19,376	19,376	.....	2,806	2,806
Fiji	.....	290	.....	.....	44	
Hong Kong	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Guinea	.....	228	.....	.....	33	
Chili	.....	260	.....	.....	38	
Germany	.....	5	.....	.....	1	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	17	.....	.....	3	
Java	.....	22	.....	.....	3	
Marshall Islands	.....	21	.....	.....	4	
Mexico	.....	5	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	13	.....	.....	2	
Panama	.....	72	.....	.....	10	
Peru	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	36	.....	.....	4	
South Sea Islands	.....	174	.....	.....	28	
United States	.....	73	.....	.....	13	
	.....	20,606	20,606	.....	2,993	2,993
Whisky.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	8,291	.....	.....	3,167	
Queensland	.....	19,689	.....	.....	8,816	
South Australia	.....	4,665	.....	.....	1,951	
Western Australia ...	.....	6,633	.....	.....	3,005	
Tasmania...	.....	3,355	.....	.....	1,304	
New Zealand	.....	7,722	.....	.....	3,316	
United Kingdom	.....	4,141	.....	.....	1,414	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	748	.....	.....	308	
Cape Colony	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	4,466	.....	.....	1,814	
Hong Kong...	.....	230	.....	.....	104	
India	.....	66	.....	.....	31	
Mauritius	.....	8	.....	.....	4	
New Guinea	.....	592	.....	.....	267	
Norfolk Island	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	42	.....	.....	19	
Belgium	.....	16	.....	.....	7	
Chili	.....	342	.....	.....	169	
China	.....	22	.....	.....	9	
France	.....	50	.....	.....	22	
Germany	.....	30	.....	.....	13	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	256	.....	.....	109	
Japan	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Java	.....	34	.....	.....	17	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
Marshall Islands	.....	33	.....	.....	15	
Mexico	.....	6	.....	.....	3	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	69	.....	.....	30	
New Caledonia	.....	1,130	.....	.....	494	
Panama	.....	20	.....	.....	10	
Peru	.....	28	.....	.....	14	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	110	.....	.....	50	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,420	.....	.....	584	
Tahiti	.....	2	.....	.....	1	
United States	.....	905	.....	.....	378	
	.....	65,137	65,137	.....	27,453	27,453

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
All Other (Intoxicants).						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	66	.....	.....	36	
Queensland	.....	21	.....	.....	23	
South Australia	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
New Zealand	.....	5	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	4	.....	.....	1	
	.....	99	99	.....	64	64
Distilled in the Colony.						
Australasia—	gal.		gal.			
Victoria	5,291	.....	.....	488	.....	
Queensland	85	.....	.....	8	.....	
Western Australia ...	2,389	.....	.....	221	.....	
Tasmania	177	.....	.....	17	.....	
New Zealand	17,292	.....	.....	1,722	.....	
United Kingdom	7,082	.....	.....	533	.....	
France	58	.....	.....	6	.....	
Italy	30	.....	.....	3	.....	
South Sea Islands	86	.....	.....	9	.....	
	32,490	.....	32,490	3,007	.....	3,007
Bitters.	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	5	5	.....	6	6
Queensland	72	48	120	54	67	121
South Australia	.....	7	7	.....	12	12
Western Australia ...	.....	3	3	.....	4	4
Tasmania	.....	13	13	.....	17	17
New Zealand	.....	20	20	.....	38	38
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Fiji	.....	12	12	.....	14	14
France	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	5	5	.....	8	8
South Sea Islands	.....	39	39	.....	35	35
	72	157	229	54	207	261
Essences (Flavouring).						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	1	34	35	1	69	70
Queensland	16	637	653	17	1,005	1,022
South Australia	1	215	216	1	483	484
Western Australia ...	87	45	132	81	85	166
Tasmania	33	104	137	40	154	194
New Zealand	.....	109	109	.....	164	164
Fiji	5	2	7	6	4	10
New Guinea	.....	7	7	.....	16	16
South Sea Islands	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
	144	1,153	1,297	147	1,980	2,127

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Perfumes & Perfumed Waters.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	4	147	151	7	842	849
Queensland	.....	180	180	.....	485	485
South Australia... ...	.....	99	99	.....	380	380
Western Australia ...	55	72	127	38	174	212
Tasmania	2	48	50	4	112	116
New Zealand	7	51	58	2	155	157
United Kingdom	.....	5	5	.....	13	13
Fiji	11	62	73	14	170	184
Chili	.....	3	3	.....	5	5
Hawaiian Islands	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
Java...	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Marshall Islands	.....	7	7	.....	17	17
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	10	10	.....	18	18
South Sea Islands... ...	39	34	73	52	91	143
United States	.....	9	9	.....	17	17
	118	731	849	117	2,486	2,603
Sarsaparilla.		gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Queensland	.....	62	.....	.....	92	
South Australia... ...	.....	25	.....	.....	44	
Western Australia ...	.....	31	.....	.....	68	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	10	
New Zealand	.....	9	.....	.....	24	
Fiji	.....	11	.....	.....	20	
Norfolk Island	.....	1	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	7	.....	.....	18	
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	13	.....	.....	27	
	.....	167	167	.....	311	311
*Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c.**						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	914	914	.....	1,676	1,676
Queensland	4	1,239	1,243	4	2,257	2,261
South Australia	.....	472	472	.....	681	681
Western Australia ...	.....	520	520	.....	766	766
Tasmania	.....	170	170	.....	259	259
New Zealand	.....	502	502	.....	888	888
United Kingdom	.....	98	98	.....	46	46
Fiji	.....	56	56	.....	81	81
India	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
New Guinea	.....	12	12	.....	19	19
Hawaiian Islands	.....	223	223	.....	181	181
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	6	6	.....	12	12
New Caledonia	.....	13	13	.....	28	28
South Sea Islands... ...	.....	36	36	.....	58	58
United States	.....	143	143	.....	327	327
	4	4,405	4,409	4	7,280	7,284

*Includes all medicines containing spirit.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Spirits—*continued.*						
Methylated.	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	66	120	186	6	11	17
Queensland	.....	38	38	.....	4	4
South Australia	.....	191	191	.....	19	19
Western Australia ...	1,595	1,774	3,369	150	212	362
Tasmania	86	411	497	6	37	43
Fiji	40	109	149	5	12	17
New Guinea	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
South Sea Islands	28	.....	28	3	.....	3
	1,815	2,651	4,466	170	296	465
All other.		gal.	gal.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	113	.....	.....	17	
Queensland	.....	934	.....	.....	116	
Western Australia ...	.....	394	.....	.....	53	
Tasmania	.....	267	.....	.....	53	
New Zealand	.....	5,114	.....	.....	781	
Fiji	.....	57	.....	.....	7	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	37	.....	.....	5	
South Sea Islands	.....	28	.....	.....	2	
	.....	6,944	6,944	.....	1,034	1,034
Starch and Starch Powders.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	560	5,208	5,763	6	63	69
Queensland	.....	54,802	54,802	.....	653	653
South Australia	672	112	784	8	1	9
Western Australia ...	.....	112	112	.....	1	1
Tasmania	.....	23,600	23,600	.....	294	294
New Zealand	.....	35,646	35,646	.....	447	447
United Kingdom	.....	8,960	8,960	.....	94	94
Fiji	560	10,534	11,094	6	123	129
New Guinea	.....	112	112	.....	1	1
Norfolk Island	.....	168	168	.....	2	2
Marshall Islands	.....	504	504	.....	5	5
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	224	224	.....	2	2
New Caledonia	.....	6,552	6,552	.....	75	75
South Sea Islands	.....	3,314	3,314	.....	39	39
	1,792	149,848	151,640	20	1,800	1,820

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Stationery (Sundries).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	182	486	668	705	2,867	3,572
Queensland	185	612	797	922	4,171	5,093
South Australia	76	84	160	310	472	782
Western Australia ...	74	279	353	484	1,715	2,199
Tasmania	36	405	441	143	2,903	3,046
New Zealand	61	314	375	190	2,541	2,731
United Kingdom	12	123	135	137	535	672
Cape Colony	1	2	3	3	8	11
Fiji	61	133	194	307	674	981
New Guinea	4	20	24	10	73	83
Norfolk Island	.....	13	13	.....	37	37
Chili	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
China	.....	1	1	.....	11	11
Germany	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1	1	.....	12	12
Japan	.....	2	2	.....	41	41
Java...	1	.....	1	10	.....	10
Marshall Islands	.....	4	4	.....	14	14
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	11	11	.....	30	30
New Caledonia	18	28	46	91	133	224
South Sea Islands	19	100	119	70	330	400
United States	.....	1	1	.....	4	4
	730	2,623	3,353	3,382	16,585	19,967
Statuary and Monuments.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	3	4	5	12	17
Queensland	9	47	56	43	364	407
South Australia	5	14	19	6	70	76
Western Australia ...	5	14	19	12	59	71
Tasmania...	.....	24	24	.....	190	190
New Zealand	6	133	139	17	1,023	1,040
United Kingdom	6	.....	6	267	.....	267
Fiji	4	19	23	18	116	134
New Guinea	.....	3	3	.....	12	12
Norfolk Island	2	.....	2	8	.....	8
Italy	1	.....	1	20	.....	20
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	4	2	6	16	12	28
New Caledonia	3	.....	3	22	.....	22
South Sea Islands	4	12	16	27	120	147
	50	271	321	461	1,978	2,439
Stearine.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	11,219	.....	11,219	128	.....	128
Tasmania...	575	.....	575	11	.....	11
Japan	.....	1,680	1,680	.....	21	21
	11,794	1,680	13,474	139	21	160
Stones.						
Granite, Wrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	10	100	110	6	481	487
Queensland	.....	13	13	.....	80	80
South Australia ...	.....	5	5	.....	14	14
Tasmania	.....	2	2	.....	11	11
New Zealand	.....	13	13	.....	109	109
	10	133	143	6	695	701

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Stones—*continued.*						
Grindstones.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	11	14	25	34	8	42
Queensland	.....	268	268	.....	113	113
South Australia	.....	24	24	.....	32	32
Western Australia ...	.....	1	1	.....	1	1
Tasmania	.....	18	18	.....	6	6
New Zealand	47	232	279	8	48	56
Fiji	.....	48	48	.....	20	20
New Guinea	.....	22	22	.....	17	17
Marshall Islands	.....	24	24	.....	6	6
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	13	13	.....	5	5
South Sea Islands	.....	29	29	.....	12	12
	58	693	751	42	268	310
Other, Wrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
New Zealand	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Ballast.	tons.		tons.			
New Caledonia	900	.....	900	90	.....	90
Building, Unwrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	249	5	254	277	34	311
Queensland	.....	16	16	.....	48	48
South Australia	15	.....	15	5	.....	5
Western Australia ...	614	.....	614	272	.....	272
New Zealand	39	.....	39	117	.....	117
Fiji	542	.....	542	171	.....	171
	1,459	21	1,480	842	82	924
Other, Unwrought.						
Australasia—	pkg.		pkg.			
Victoria	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
Straw.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Queensland	.....	11	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	290	.....	.....	30	
Marshall Islands	.....	10	.....	.....	1	
	... ..	311	311	.....	33	33
Sugar.						
Raw.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	418	29,515	29,933	238	17,836	18,074
Queensland	.....	2,684	2,684	.....	2,213	2,213
South Australia	.....	2,510	2,510	.....	1,824	1,824
Western Australia ...	116	22,888	23,004	52	15,398	15,450
Tasmania	.....	106,316	106,316	.....	75,149	75,149
New Zealand	.....	37,020	37,020	.....	25,749	25,749
Carried forward ...	534	200,933	201,467	290	138,169	138,459

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Sugar—*continued.*						
Raw—continued.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Brought forward ...	534	200,933	201,467	290	138,169	138,459
United Kingdom	.....	26,332	26,332	.....	13,991	13,991
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	101,222	101,222	.....	54,780	54,780
Cape Colony	.....	7	7	.....	5	5
Fiji	.....	1,959	1,959	.....	1,381	1,381
Hong Kong...	.....	356	356	.....	242	242
India	.....	8	8	.....	6	6
Mauritius	.....	3	3	.....	2	2
New Guinea	3	367	370	2	236	238
Norfolk Island	.....	149	149	.....	107	107
Straits Settlements ...	.....	32	32	.....	22	22
Belgium	.....	7	7	.....	4	4
Chili	.....	296	296	.....	216	216
China	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
France	.....	14	14	.....	10	10
Germany	.....	10	10	.....	7	7
Hawaiian Islands	.....	61	61	.....	40	40
Italy	.....	7	7	.....	5	5
Japan	.....	2,475	2,475	.....	1,373	1,373
Java...	.....	26	26	.....	15	15
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	... .	4	4	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	34	34	.....	24	24
Mexico	.....	14	14	.....	10	10
Netherlands	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	84	84	.. ...	57	57
New Caledonia	108	8,908	9,016	45	5,829	5,874
Panama	.....	42	42	.....	30	30
Peru	.....	37	37	.....	26	26
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	83	83	.....	59	59
South Sea Islands	17	960	977	11	646	657
Tahiti	.....	10	10	.....	8	8
United States	.....	260	260	.....	190	190
Refined.	662	344,708	345,370	348	217,499	217,847
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	9	.....	.....	12	
Queensland	.....	94	.....	.....	107	
South Australia	.....	22	.....	.....	31	
Western Australia ...	.....	5	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
United Kingdom	.....	15	.....	.....	19	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	31	.....	.....	39	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	6	
Hong Kong	.....	10	.....	.....	13	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Japan	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	2	.....	.....	2	
South Sea Islands	.....	16	.....	.....	20	
United States	.....	9	.....	.....	11	
	.....	226	226	.....	275	275

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Sulphur.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Queensland	.....	425	.....	.....	177	
South Australia	.....	14	.....	.....	6	
Tasmania	.....	27	.....	.....	13	
New Zealand	.....	261	.....	.....	109	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	2	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	5	.....	.....	2	
New Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	7	.....	.....	3	
	.....	747	747	.....	313	313
Tallow.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	40,300	10,290	50,590	37,406	9,100	46,506
South Australia	4,389	.....	4,389	3,193	.....	3,193
Western Australia ...	20	.....	20	18	.....	18
Tasmania	82	.....	82	80	.....	80
United Kingdom	271,515	190,250	461,765	255,185	171,085	426,270
Fiji	193	.....	193	175	.....	175
Hong Kong	440	.....	440	383	.....	383
India	90	.....	90	85	.....	85
Mauritius	400	.....	400	450	.....	450
New Guinea	2	.....	2	2	.....	2
Straits Settlements ...	70	.....	70	70	.....	70
Chili	8,628	2,327	10,955	8,264	2,351	10,615
China	30	.....	30	30	.....	30
France	998	.....	998	990	.....	990
Germany	20	.....	20	17	.....	17
Italy	1,728	865	2,593	1,573	760	2,333
Japan	541	500	1,041	479	445	924
Netherlands	1,330	1,500	2,830	1,253	1,480	2,733
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	6	.....	6	6	.....	6
Peru	1,055	.....	1,055	1,033	.....	1,033
South Sea Islands	5	.....	5	5	.....	5
	331,842	205,732	537,574	310,697	185,221	495,918
Tanning Material. (See also Bark.)						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	87	87	.....	74	74
Queensland	.....	1,083	1,083	....	1,089	1,089
South Australia	4	3	7	14	11	25
Western Australia ...	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
New Zealand	.....	525	525	.....	653	653
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	7	7
	4	1,704	1,708	14	1,837	1,851
Tapioca and Semolina.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	13,466	.....	.....	61	
Queensland	.....	33,231	.....	.....	173	
South Australia	.....	1,232	.....	.....	5	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,494	.....	.....	7	
Tasmania	.....	4,380	.....	.....	20	
New Zealand	.....	17,250	.....	.....	83	
Fiji	.....	2,744	.....	.....	12	
New Guinea	.....	257	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	186	.....	.....	1	
South Sea Islands	.....	784	.....	.....	3	
	.....	75,024	75,024	.....	366	366

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tarpaulins and Tents.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	28	.....	28	193	.....	193
Queensland	1	16	17	3	191	194
Tasmania	.....	3	3	.....	44	44
New Zealand	3	.....	3	25	.....	25
Fiji	6	.....	6	46	.....	46
New Guinea	3	.....	3	40	.....	40
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	7	.....	7
South Sea Islands	4	.....	4	35	.....	35
	47	19	66	349	235	584
Tea.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	591,027	.....	.....	17,571	
Queensland	.....	1,282,942	.....	.....	45,094	
South Australia	.....	151,163	.....	.....	5,071	
Western Australia ...	.....	52,929	.....	.....	1,816	
Tasmania	.....	85,921	.....	.....	2,956	
New Zealand	.....	397,753	.....	.....	14,243	
United Kingdom	.....	516	.....	.....	26	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	200	.....	.....	10	
Fiji	.....	15,265	.....	.....	533	
Natal	.....	678	.....	.....	23	
New Guinea	.....	1,637	.....	.....	65	
Norfolk Island	.....	1,012	.....	.....	35	
France	.....	36	.....	.....	2	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	840	.....	.....	47	
Marshall Islands	.....	744	.....	.....	30	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	400	.....	.....	16	
New Caledonia	.....	53,350	.....	.....	1,844	
South Sea Islands	.....	6,622	.....	.....	228	
	.....	2,643,035	2,643,035	.....	89,610	89,610
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	278	279	3	3,047	3,050
Queensland	27	466	493	351	6,408	6,759
South Australia	.....	215	215	.....	1,780	1,780
Western Australia ...	.....	197	197	.....	3,169	3,169
Tasmania	.....	150	150	.....	1,513	1,513
New Zealand	.....	226	226	.....	2,326	2,326
United Kingdom	.....	4	4	.....	280	280
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	1	.....	25	25
Ceylon	.....	1	1	.....	7	7
Fiji	.....	26	26	.....	164	164
Straits Settlements ...	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	14	14	.....	92	92
South Sea Islands	.....	3	3	.....	20	20
United States	.....	3	3	.....	20	20
	28	1,585	1,613	354	18,856	19,210

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manu-facture.	Other Produce or Manu-facture.	Total.
Tiles.						
Roofing.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Victoria	270	300	570	21	27	48
Queensland	.....	117	117	.....	227	227
South Australia	529	489	1,018	80	36	116
Western Australia ...	.....	6,761	6,761	.....	581	581
New Zealand	.....	1,898	1,898	.....	134	134
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	8	.....	20	20
Other.	799	9,573	10,372	101	1,025	1,126
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	1	53	54	4	150	154
Queensland	.....	76	76	.....	108	108
South Australia	26	45	71	14	95	109
Western Australia ...	.....	73	73	.....	76	76
New Zealand	.....	46	46	.....	108	108
Fiji	.....	2	2	.....	5	5
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	4	4
	27	298	325	18	546	564
Timber.						
Rough.						
Australasia—	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.			
Victoria	1,699,148	180,694	1,879,842	4,538	1,323	5,861
Queensland...	2,613,781	287,330	2,901,111	13,996	1,587	15,583
South Australia	180,962	226,973	407,935	1,417	1,507	2,924
Western Australia ...	52,999	237,579	290,578	528	1,584	2,112
Tasmania	127,800	483,425	611,225	790	2,823	3,613
New Zealand	4,359,760	735,241	5,095,001	26,709	5,227	31,936
United Kingdom	2,224,874	24,650	2,249,524	11,811	135	11,946
Cape Colony	4,030	23,496	27,526	30	214	244
Fiji	348,636	72,600	421,236	1,974	385	2,359
India	600	.....	600	4	.....	4
New Guinea	58,915	62,138	121,053	303	335	638
Norfolk Island	650	.....	650	4	.....	4
Belgium	15,316	.....	15,316	95	.....	95
France	26,440	.....	26,440	185	.....	185
Germany	210,502	.....	210,502	1,216	.....	1,216
Hawaiian Islands	4,560	.....	4,560	52	.....	52
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	21,130	21,130	.....	128	128
Marshall Islands	10,480	58,360	68,840	59	300	359
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	187,565	175,136	362,701	953	867	1,820
New Caledonia	431,258	225,624	656,882	2,306	1,326	3,632
South Sea Islands	176,724	191,218	367,942	1,006	986	1,992
Tahiti	.....	1,663	1,663	.....	9	9
United States	58,684	.....	58,684	399	.....	399
	12,793,684	3,007,257	15,800,941	68,375	18,736	87,111
Dressed.						
Australasia—	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.	Sup. ft.			
Victoria	54,298	20,708	75,006	548	133	681
South Australia	10,771	75,492	86,263	69	623	692
Western Australia ...	13,842	20,640	34,482	83	133	216
Fiji	.....	5,210	5,210	.....	41	41
New Guinea	1,307	830	2,137	9	5	14
Marshall Islands	.....	1,220	1,220	.....	9	9
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	1,200	22,160	23,360	8	144	152
New Caledonia	1,003	3,115	4,118	6	29	35
South Sea Islands	2,950	11,620	14,570	26	84	110
	85,371	160,995	246,366	749	1,201	1,950

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Timber—*continued.*						
Doors.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	5	194	199	5	92	97
Queensland	.....	17	17	.....	12	12
South Australia	4	60	64	2	23	25
Western Australia ...	.....	2,922	2,922	.....	1,212	1,212
Tasmania	.....	2,287	2,287	.....	989	989
New Zealand	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Fiji	6	14	20	3	7	10
New Guinea	.....	5	5	.....	2	2
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	6	6	.....	3	3
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	21	21	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	.....	93	93	.....	41	41
	15	5,621	5,636	10	2,391	2,401
Houses.						
Australasia—	No.		No.			
South Australia	1	.....	.....	50	.....	
Western Australia ..	1	.....	.....	200	.....	
New Guinea	4	.....	.....	262	.....	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	.....	.....	345	.....	
South Sea Islands	11	.....	.....	1,196	.....	
	19	.....	19	2,053	.....	2,053
Laths.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	89,040	.....	.....	65	
South Australia	.....	80,190	.....	.....	75	
Western Australia ...	.....	353,520	.....	.....	294	
Tasmania	.....	2,340	.....	.....	2	
New Zealand	.....	38,610	.....	.....	30	
	.....	563,700	563,700	.....	466	466
Palings.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	75	.....	75	1	.....	1
New Guinea	.....	2,000	2,000	.....	9	9
	75	2,000	2,075	1	9	10
Piles.						
Australasia—	No.		No.			
New Zealand	244	.....	.....	560	.....	
Fiji	8	.....	.....	15	.....	
New Caledonia	107	.....	.....	105	.....	
	359	.....	359	680	.....	680
Posts and Rails.	No.	No.	No.			
Australasia—						
South Australia... ...	10	.....	10	20	.....	20
Western Australia ...	.....	14	14	.....	2	2
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	11	.....	11	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	699	.....	699	318	.....	318
	720	14	734	341	2	343

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Timber—*continued.*						
Railway Sleepers.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	658	658	.....	84	84
Queensland	588	216	804	152	27	179
South Australia	3,064	.....	3,064	465	.....	465
New Zealand	1,463	.....	1,463	365	.....	365
United Kingdom	20	.....	20	3	.....	3
Germany	6	.....	6	2	.....	2
New Caledonia	1,191	.....	1,191	207	.....	207
South Sea Islands	.....	31	31	.....	75	75
	6,332	905	7,237	1,194	186	1,380
Sashes.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	262	.....	262	67	.....	67
Queensland	.....	4	4	.....	3	3
South Australia	36	94	130	4	25	29
Western Australia ...	300	.....	300	29	.....	29
Tasmania	.....	109	109	.....	18	18
Fiji	32	.....	32	7	.....	7
New Guinea	35	.....	35	12	.....	12
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	4	.....	4	1	.....	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	48	38	86	22	9	31
New Caledonia	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
South Sea Islands	218	.....	218	52	.....	52
	937	245	1,182	195	55	250
Singles.						
Australasia—		No.	No.			
New Zealand	.....	135,500	135,500	.....	116	116
Shooks and Staves.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	3,217	2,872	6,089	549	1,260	1,809
Queensland	545	9,897	10,442	271	5,025	5,296
South Australia	205	448	653	50	227	277
Western Australia ...	4,092	51	4,143	445	17	462
Tasmania	692	2,573	3,265	262	933	1,195
New Zealand	123	1,554	1,677	75	1,078	1,153
Fiji	627	2,717	3,344	280	1,186	1,466
New Guinea	248	168	416	27	59	86
Germany	.....	245	245	.....	40	40
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
New Caledonia	6,784	.....	6,784	1,229	.....	1,229
South Sea Islands	60	92	152	14	45	59
United States	.....	374	374	.....	179	179
	16,595	20,991	37,586	3,203	10,049	13,252
Shutters.	No.		No.			
South Sea Islands	22	.....	22	9	.....	9
Spars.						
Australasia—	No.	No.	No.			
Victoria	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Queensland	.....	22	22	.....	52	52
South Australia	.....	24	24	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	12	.....	12	18	.....	18
New Caledonia	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
South Sea Islands	13	.....	13	22	.....	22
	25	49	74	40	72	112

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Timber—*continued.*						
Wooden Paving Blocks.						
Australasia—	No.		No.	£	£	£
Victoria	13,363	.....	.....	66	.....	
Germany	1,000	.....	.....	5	.....	
New Caledonia	1,601	.....	.....	20	.....	
	15,964	.....	15,964	91	.....	91
Tin.						
Ingots.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	110	.....	110	353	.....	353
Queensland	17	.....	17	60	.....	60
South Australia	375	.....	375	1,293	.....	1,293
Western Australia ...	20	.....	20	69	.....	69
New Zealand	1,776	.....	1,776	6,285	.....	6,285
United Kingdom	7,979	7,361	15,340	27,695	28,570	56,265
Canadian Dominion ...	1,940	.....	1,940	6,090	.....	6,090
Fiji	2	.....	2	7	.....	7
New Caledonia	58	.....	58	198	.....	198
United States	5,600	2,000	7,600	18,515	7,250	25,765
	*17,877	9,361	27,238	*60,565	35,820	96,385
Ore.						
Australasia—	cwt.		cwt.			
South Australia	24	.....	24	35	.....	35
Tin Plates.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1,320	.....	.....	985	
Queensland	.....	9,554	.....	.....	6,106	
South Australia	.....	172	.....	.....	108	
Western Australia ...	.....	240	.....	.....	154	
Tasmania	.....	1,309	.....	.....	845	
New Zealand	.....	3,604	.....	.....	2,588	
Ceylon	.....	1	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	280	.....	.....	221	
	.....	16,480	16,480	.....	11,008	11,008
Tinware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	25	45	70	85	173	258
Queensland	77	218	295	733	1,120	1,853
South Australia	40	19	59	105	73	178
Western Australia ...	39	18	57	106	84	190
Tasmania	106	314	420	504	1,585	2,089
New Zealand	4	205	209	13	349	362
Ceylon	14	.....	14	26	.....	26
Fiji	19	37	56	60	119	179
New Guinea	1	2	3	2	6	8
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	1	.....	1	3	.....	3
New Caledonia	15	24	39	50	81	131
South Sea Islands	4	30	34	13	118	131
United States	.....	91	91	.....	80	80
	345	1,006	1,351	1,700	3,798	5,498

* Includes Tin refined from both New South Wales and imported ores.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tobacco.						
Unmanufactured.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	30,945	30,945	.....	1,312	1,312
Queensland	.....	31,447	31,447	.....	1,684	1,684
South Australia... ...	.....	2,110	2,110	.....	105	105
New Zealand	.....	1,129	1,129	.....	56	56
Egypt	1,008	.....	1,008	16	.....	16
	1,008	65,631	66,639	16	3,157	3,173
Manufactured.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	32,345	.....	.....	2,028	
Queensland	.....	84,679	.....	.....	5,991	
South Australia	.....	14,657	.....	.....	1,100	
Western Australia ...	.....	16,791	.....	.....	1,467	
Tasmania	.....	10,790	.....	.....	833	
New Zealand	.....	17,925	.....	.....	1,447	
United Kingdom	.....	3,758	.....	.....	236	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	5,974	.....	.....	436	
Cape Colony	.....	106	.....	.....	6	
Ceylon	.....	32	.....	.....	2	
Fiji	.....	19,319	.....	.....	1,275	
Hong Kong	.....	2,025	.....	.....	143	
India	.....	133	.....	.....	6	
Mauritius	.....	324	.....	.....	17	
New Guinea	.....	68,368	.....	.....	3,431	
Norfolk Island	.....	186	.....	.....	11	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	595	.....	.....	33	
Belgium	.....	196	.....	.....	16	
Chili	.....	11,380	.....	.....	574	
China	.....	220	.....	.....	15	
Ecuador	.....	45	.....	.....	2	
France	.....	282	.....	.....	17	
Germany	.....	544	.....	.....	43	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	1,692	.....	.....	92	
Italy	.....	20	.....	.....	1	
Japan	.....	236	.....	.....	16	
Java...	.....	598	.....	.....	29	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	817	.....	.....	42	
Marshall Islands	.....	14,518	.....	.....	734	
Mexico	.....	246	.....	.....	12	
Netherlands	.....	91	.....	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	27,996	.....	.....	1,403	
New Caledonia	.....	53,342	.....	.....	2,808	
Panama	.....	1,025	.....	.....	52	
Peru	.....	1,228	.....	.....	61	
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	1,897	.....	.....	101	
South Sea Islands	.....	142,645	.....	.....	7,276	
Tahiti	.....	120	.....	.....	6	
United States	.....	4,798	.....	.....	264	
	.....	541,943	541,943	.....	32,031	32,031

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tobacco—*continued.*						
Cigars.		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	14,019	.....	.....	3,339	
Queensland	.....	29,555	.....	.....	6,269	
South Australia	.....	5,459	.....	.....	1,233	
Western Australia	.....	12,548	.....	.....	3,121	
Tasmania	.....	8,185	.....	.....	1,783	
New Zealand	.....	26,696	.....	.....	6,301	
United Kingdom	.....	6,496	.....	.....	941	
Canadian Dominion	.....	80	.....	.....	27	
Cape Colony	.....	7,458	.....	.....	952	
Ceylon	.....	11	.....	.....	3	
Fiji	.....	495	.....	.....	159	
Hong Kong	.....	286	.....	.....	54	
India	.....	232	.....	.....	75	
Mauritius	.....	42	.....	.....	9	
New Guinea	.....	327	.....	.....	66	
Straits Settlements	.....	12	.....	.....	2	
Belgium	.....	176	.....	.....	83	
Chili	.....	2,752	.....	.....	571	
China	.....	18	.....	.....	3	
Ecuador	.....	3	.....	.....	1	
France	.....	138	.....	.....	36	
Germany	.....	360	.....	.....	148	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	438	.....	.....	100	
Italy	.....	110	.....	.....	24	
Java	.....	114	.....	.....	22	
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land	.....	13	.....	.....	5	
Marshall Islands	.....	30	.....	.....	7	
Mexico	.....	39	.....	.....	7	
Neu Pommern (New Britain)	.....	9	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	52	.....	.....	11	
Panama	.....	174	.....	.....	37	
Peru	.....	178	.....	.....	39	
Philippine Islands	.....	183	.....	.....	36	
South Sea Islands	.....	1,052	.....	.....	260	
Tahiti	.....	18	.....	.....	4	
United States	.....	1,290	.....	.....	304	
	.....	119,048	119,048	.....	26,035	26,035
Cigarettes.	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1,909	1,909	.....	661	661
Queensland	.....	53,958	53,958	.....	17,151	17,151
South Australia	.....	4,592	4,592	.....	1,357	1,357
Western Australia	.....	8,309	8,309	.....	2,409	2,409
Tasmania	.....	1,689	1,689	.....	508	508
New Zealand	.....	4,372	4,372	.....	1,676	1,676
United Kingdom	.....	108	108	.....	67	67
Canadian Dominion	.....	74	74	.....	24	24
Fiji	45	258	303	15	85	100
Hong Kong	.....	3	3	.....	1	1
New Guinea	.....	129	129	.....	45	45
Norfolk Island	.....	4	4	.....	2	2
Chili	.....	6	6	.....	3	3
Carried forward	45	75,411	75,456	15	23,989	24,004

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tobacco—*continued.*						
Cigarettes—continued.	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Brought forward ...	45	75,411	75,456	15	23,989	24,004
Egypt	.....	69	69	.....	37	37
France	.....	12	12	.....	4	4
Germany	.....	41	41	.....	16	16
Hawaiian Islands	.....	3	3	.....	1	1
Java...	.....	3	3	.....	1	1
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	12	12	.....	4	4
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	88	88	.....	35	35
New Caledonia	.....	75	75	.....	20	20
Philippine Islands... ...	.....	12	12	.....	4	4
South Sea Islands	.....	310	310	.....	101	101
United States	.....	225	225	.....	77	77
	45	76,261	76,306	15	24,289	24,304
Tobacco Pipes.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	4	31	35	54	656	710
Queensland	1	107	108	19	756	775
South Australia	2	19	21	32	498	530
Western Australia ...	4	30	34	48	997	1,045
Tasmania	.....	16	16	.....	175	175
New Zealand	.....	3	3	.....	26	26
United Kingdom	1	1	2	10	200	210
Fiji	.....	45	45	.....	46	46
New Guinea	.....	9	9	.....	8	8
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	58	58	.....	26	26
New Caledonia	.....	58	58	.....	34	34
South Sea Islands	.....	367	367	.....	226	226
	12	744	756	163	3,648	3,811
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated).						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	15	273	288	44	811	855
Queensland	8	1,150	1,158	122	3,979	4,101
South Australia	6	125	131	31	472	503
Western Australia ...	2	125	127	4	420	424
Tasmania	.....	70	70	.....	196	196
New Zealand	.....	112	112	.....	344	344
United Kingdom	.....	2	2	.....	10	10
Fiji	3	316	319	3	935	938
India	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
New Guinea	2	252	254	3	767	770
Norfolk Island	.....	3	3	.....	8	8
Japan	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	.....	1	1	.....	3	3
Marshall Islands	.....	6	6	.....	9	9
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	97	97	.....	279	279
New Caledonia	2	404	406	4	1,229	1,233
South Sea Islands	1	233	234	2	604	606
United States	.....	2	2	.....	20	20
	39	3,174	3,213	213	10,090	10,303

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Tortoise-shell.		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
United Kingdom	.....	1,641	.....	.....	1,004	
Belgium	.....	360	.....	.....	328	
Germany	.....	47	.....	.....	60	
Japan	.....	70	.....	.....	44	
	.....	2,118	2,118	.....	1,436	1,436
Toys.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	10	49	59	23	380	403
Queensland	9	98	107	41	490	531
South Australia	.....	14	14	.....	84	84
Western Australia ...	1	18	19	2	90	92
Tasmania	.....	55	55	.....	421	421
New Zealand	.....	17	17	.....	87	87
Ceylon	2	.....	2	4	.....	4
Fiji	.....	78	78	.....	239	239
Hong Kong	.....	1	1	.....	2	2
India	.....	2	2	.....	25	25
New Guinea	.....	21	21	.....	80	80
Norfolk Island	.....	5	5	.....	17	17
China	.....	5	5	.....	17	17
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	3	.....	10	10
New Caledonia	.....	3	3	.....	9	9
South Sea Islands	.....	49	49	.....	215	215
	22	418	440	70	2,166	2,236
Turnery and Woodenware.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	183	390	573	301	627	928
Queensland	94	511	605	174	563	737
South Australia	114	103	217	129	242	371
Western Australia ...	15	137	152	45	323	368
Tasmania	48	257	305	94	649	743
New Zealand	6	106	112	8	329	337
United Kingdom	4	94	98	17	117	134
Fiji	11	224	235	15	336	351
Hong Kong	2	2	4	5	4	9
New Guinea	97	38	135	80	80	160
Norfolk Island	.....	2	2	.....	3	3
France	28	.....	28	40	.....	40
Marshall Islands	1	4	5	1	8	9
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	18	6	24	17	11	28
New Caledonia	60	123	183	34	127	161
South Sea Islands	27	408	435	22	693	715
United States	.....	2	2	.....	2	2
	708	2,407	3,115	982	4,114	5,096

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Turpentine.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.		£	£
Victoria	.....	5,552	.....	.....	635	
Queensland...	.....	4,570	.....	.....	529	
South Australia	.....	1,663	.....	.....	196	
Western Australia ...	.....	2,112	.....	.....	220	
Tasmania	.....	3,640	.....	.....	381	
New Zealand	.....	6,560	.....	.....	865	
Fiji	.....	200	.....	.....	24	
New Guinea	.....	40	.....	.....	4	
Norfolk Island	.....	8	.....	.....	1	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	48	.....	.....	6	
New Caledonia	.....	1,719	.....	.....	209	
South Sea Islands	.....	152	.....	.....	16	
	.....	26,264	26,264	.....	3,086	3,086
Type-writing Machines.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	56	.....	.....	969	
Queensland	.....	194	.....	.....	3,776	
South Australia	.....	35	.....	.....	645	
Western Australia ...	.....	83	.....	.....	1,670	
Tasmania	.....	17	.....	.....	364	
New Zealand	.....	55	.....	.....	1,062	
Fiji	.....	4	.....	.....	57	
New Caledonia	.....	1	.....	.....	16	
United States	.....	6	.....	.....	55	
		451	451	.....	8,614	8,614
Typewriters' Materials.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	41	.....	.....	514	
Queensland	.....	37	.....	.....	308	
South Australia	.....	18	.....	.....	123	
Western Australia ...	.....	36	.....	.....	575	
Tasmania	.....	6	.....	.....	31	
New Zealand	.....	11	.....	.....	80	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	1	.....	.....	8	
Fiji	.....	5	.....	.....	22	
New Caledonia	.....	3	.....	.....	15	
South Sea Islands	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
	.....	160	160	.....	1,682	1,682
Upholstery. (See Furniture and Upholstery.)						

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Varnish.						
With Spirit.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Victoria	.....	132	132	.....	58	58
Queensland	.....	534	534	.....	213	213
Western Australia ...	.....	18	18	.....	10	10
Tasmania	77	117	194	17	50	67
New Zealand	.....	140	140	.....	81	81
Fiji	.....	36	36	.....	14	14
Hawaiian Islands	.....	808	808	.....	177	177
New Caledonia	.....	225	225	.....	87	87
	77	2,010	2,087	17	690	707
Without Spirit.						
Australasia—		gal.	gal.			
Victoria	.....	1,587	.....	.....	850	
Queensland	.....	763	.....	.....	301	
South Australia... ...	.....	88	.....	.....	39	
Western Australia ...	.....	176	.....	.....	67	
Tasmania	.....	179	.....	.....	70	
New Zealand	.....	145	.....	.....	73	
United Kingdom	.....	1,224	.....	.....	700	
Fiji	.....	82	.....	.....	43	
New Guinea	.....	16	.....	.....	7	
Hawaiian Islands	.....	32	.....	.....	18	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	22	.....	.....	10	
New Caledonia	.....	27	.....	.....	13	
South Sea Islands	.....	68	.....	.....	28	
	.....	4,409	4,409	.....	2,219	2,219
Vegetables.						
Fresh.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	16,536	2,691	19,227	4,988	890	5,878
Queensland	578	59	637	194	28	222
South Australia	516	44	560	168	12	180
Western Australia ...	64	.....	64	45	.....	45
Tasmania	404	.....	404	134	.....	134
New Zealand	352	.....	352	236	.....	236
Fiji	47	34	81	9	39	48
New Guinea	10	14	24	7	20	27
Marshall Islands	2	.....	2	1	.....	1
New Caledonia	682	113	795	220	89	309
Philippine Islands... ...	924	.....	924	315	.....	315
South Sea Islands	36	45	81	13	26	39
	20,151	3,000	23,151	6,330	1,104	7,434

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Vegetables—*continued.*						
Preserved and Dried.		lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	6,872	.....	.....	129	
Queensland	.....	8,338	.....	.....	170	
South Australia	.....	3,352	.....	.....	62	
Western Australia ...	.....	41,526	.....	.....	803	
Tasmania	.....	336	.....	.....	6	
New Zealand	.....	784	.....	.....	15	
Fiji	.....	4,726	.....	.....	83	
New Guinea	.....	2,708	.....	.....	49	
Marshall Islands	.....	288	.....	.....	5	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	576	.....	.....	11	
New Caledonia	.....	6,856	.....	.....	123	
Philippine Islands	.....	3,650	.....	.....	70	
South Sea Islands	.....	4,048	.....	.....	74	
Tahiti	.....	112	.....	.....	3	
Vermicelli.	.....	84,172	84,172	.....	1,603	1,603
(See Macaroni & Vermicelli.)						
Vinegar.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	172	760	932	13	66	79
Queensland	561	1,106	1,667	57	96	153
South Australia	268	157	425	20	26	46
Western Australia ...	510	170	680	37	12	49
Tasmania	.....	34	34	.....	4	4
New Zealand	.....	3,105	3,105	.....	259	259
Fiji	582	530	1,112	33	65	98
New Guinea	.....	76	76	.....	11	11
Norfolk Island	10	16	26	1	2	3
Kaiser Wilhelm's Land ...	66	.....	66	3	.....	3
Marshall Islands	.....	8	8	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	95	14	109	5	2	7
New Caledonia	60	8	68	4	1	5
South Sea Islands	408	164	572	21	22	43
	2,732	6,148	8,880	194	567	761
Watches and Clocks.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	142	.....	.....	1,407	
Queensland	.....	102	.....	.....	1,551	
South Australia	.....	31	.....	.....	1,926	
Western Australia ...	.....	14	.....	.....	175	
Tasmania	.....	108	.....	.....	376	
New Zealand	.....	32	.....	.....	423	
United Kingdom	.....	1	.....	.....	100	
Fiji	.....	23	.....	.....	109	
Hong Kong	.....	1	.....	.....	40	
New Guinea	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	13	.....	.....	145	
South Sea Islands	.....	9	.....	.....	33	
	.....	477	477	.....	6,288	6,288

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Watchmakers' Tools and Materials.		pkg.	pkg.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Queensland	.....	10	.....	.....	222	
Fiji	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
United States	.....	1	.....	.....	100	
	.....	12	12	.....	325	325
Wax.						
Beeswax.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.	lb.		
Victoria	448	.....	448	17	.....	17
Queensland	.....	1,456	1,456	.....	70	70
South Australia	21	.....	21	1	.....	1
New Zealand	3,808	.....	3,808	186	.....	186
United Kingdom	26,308	.....	26,308	1,274	.....	1,274
Fiji	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
Germany	2,336	.....	2,336	100	.....	100
South Sea Islands	56	.....	56	2	.....	2
	33,033	1,456	34,489	1,582	70	1,652
Paraffine.						
Australasia—		lb.	lb.			
Victoria	.....	8,400	.....	.....	78	
Queensland	.....	129	.....	.....	1	
Tasmania	.....	1,648	.....	.....	19	
New Zealand	.....	288	.....	.....	2	
	.....	10,465	10,465	.....	100	100
Whalebone.						
		cwt.	cwt.			
United Kingdom	.....	11	11	.....	255	255
Whiting and Chalk.						
Australasia—		cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	.....	223	.....	.....	32	
Queensland	.....	417	.....	.....	57	
South Australia	.....	9	.....	.....	2	
Western Australia ...	.....	270	.....	.....	35	
Tasmania	.....	629	.....	.....	84	
New Zealand	.....	674	.....	.....	90	
Fiji	.....	58	.....	.....	7	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	9	.....	.....	1	
New Caledonia	.....	22	.....	.....	3	
South Sea Islands	.....	30	.....	.....	4	
	.....	2,341	2,341	.....	315	315

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Wines.						
Sparkling.		gal.	gal.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	1,000	.....	.....	1,974	
Queensland	.....	411	.....	.....	864	
South Australia	.....	180	.....	.....	374	
Western Australia ...	.....	264	.....	.....	505	
Tasmania	.....	330	.....	.....	693	
New Zealand	.....	402	.....	.....	853	
United Kingdom	.....	314	.....	.....	591	
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	40	.....	.....	90	
Fiji	.....	108	.....	.....	238	
Hong Kong...	.....	32	.....	.....	73	
New Guinea	.....	4	.....	.....	10	
Straits Settlements ...	.....	14	.....	.....	20	
Belgium	.....	2	.....	.....	5	
France	.....	274	.....	.....	357	
New Caledonia	.....	6	.....	.....	14	
Philippine Islands	.....	6	.....	.....	15	
South Sea Islands	.....	94	.....	.....	170	
United States	.....	122	.....	.....	272	
	.....	3,603	3,603	.....	7,118	7,118
Other.						
Australasia—	gal.	gal.	gal.			
Victoria	3,745	2,181	5,926	803	1,075	1,878
Queensland	4,535	6,641	11,176	2,118	2,459	4,577
South Australia	20	420	440	12	146	158
Western Australia ...	745	1,435	2,180	226	524	750
Tasmania...	534	1,546	2,080	177	663	840
New Zealand	4,469	2,327	6,796	1,885	816	2,701
United Kingdom	3,992	614	4,606	788	224	1,012
Borneo (British)	120	.....	120	25	.....	25
Canadian Dominion ...	.....	107	107	.....	73	73
Ceylon	332	.....	332	70	.....	70
Fiji	1,197	336	1,533	308	179	487
Hong Kong	18	118	136	9	67	76
India	526	4	530	122	2	124
New Guinea	789	28	817	140	14	154
Straits Settlements ...	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Chili	.....	4	4	.....	2	2
China	20	.....	20	10	.....	10
France	.....	6	6	.....	6	6
Germany	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Hawaiian Islands	.....	59	59	.....	29	29
Italy	8	.....	8	4	.....	4
Japan	169	.....	169	44	.....	44
Marshall Islands	90	29	119	22	15	37
Netherlands	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	200	100	300	50	50	100
New Caledonia	10	19	29	4	6	10
Peru	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
Philippine Islands... ...	12	6	18	4	4	8
South Sea Islands	1,511	177	1,688	262	98	360
Tahiti	.....	2	2	.....	1	1
United States	.....	163	163	.....	115	115
	23,042	16,330	39,372	7,083	6,572	13,655

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Wool.*						
Greasy.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.	£	£	£
Victoria	40,035,108	2,512,684	42,547,792	1,142,597	74,650	1,217,247
Queensland	53,740	.....	53,740	1,789	.....	1,789
South Australia... ...	7,082,732	48,598	7,131,330	163,268	1,032	164,300
New Zealand	3,330	.....	3,330	99	.....	99
United Kingdom	83,038,734	6,850,068	89,888,802	2,519,341	218,260	2,737,601
Canadian Dominion ...	368	.....	368	12	.....	12
Austria	5,158	.....	5,158	143	.....	143
Belgium	15,481,024	1,935,616	17,416,640	472,403	59,020	531,423
France	29,519,361	7,398,627	36,917,988	874,020	218,680	1,092,700
Germany	25,043,188	5,012,635	30,055,823	743,866	149,372	893,238
Italy	3,192,390	358,030	3,550,420	94,904	10,840	105,744
Japan	250,437	51,426	301,863	7,322	1,638	8,960
United States	1,959,722	979,510	2,939,232	63,398	32,060	95,458
	205,665,292	25,147,194	230,812,486	6,083,162	765,552	6,848,714
Scoured and Washed.						
Australasia—	lb.	lb.	lb.			
Victoria	3,323,723	396,608	3,720,331	160,850	21,345	182,195
Queensland	27,000	.....	27,000	1,350	.....	1,350
South Australia... ...	2,007,858	45,402	2,053,260	69,847	1,932	71,779
United Kingdom	23,948,945	3,821,260	27,770,205	1,264,905	212,690	1,477,595
Canadian Dominion ...	1,710	.....	1,710	100	... .	100
India	61,746	.....	61,746	3,410	.....	3,410
Austria	32,615	.....	32,615	1,659	.....	1,659
Belgium	3,731,013	533,610	4,264,623	192,343	27,250	219,593
France	6,456,918	1,283,242	7,740,160	345,859	64,870	410,729
Germany	2,983,616	451,268	3,434,884	163,032	23,574	186,606
Italy	351,489	44,212	395,701	17,874	2,315	20,189
Japan	474,987	158,698	633,685	24,896	8,720	33,616
	43,401,620	6,734,300	50,135,920	2,246,125	362,696	2,608,821
Total Wool—Greasy, Scoured, and Washed	249,066,912	31,881,494	280,948,406	8,329,287	1,128,248	9,457,535
Woollen Manufactures. (See also Blankets.) (Not otherwise enumerated.)						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	417	417	.....	14,522	14,522
Queensland	8	567	575	165	20,414	20,579
South Australia	.....	139	139	.....	6,091	6,091
Western Australia ...	.....	101	101	.....	4,366	4,366
Tasmania	.....	190	190	.....	5,573	5,573
New Zealand	.....	95	95	.....	1,954	1,954
United Kingdom	.....	22	22	.....	920	920
Fiji	.....	17	17	.....	188	188
New Guinea	.....	1	1	.....	5	5
France	1	.....	1	34	.....	34
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	15	15
Hawaiian Islands	.....	24	24	.....	1,031	1,031
South Sea Islands	.....	5	5	.....	37	37
	9	1,579	1,588	199	55,116	55,315

* The export of Wool during the Calendar Year does not represent the clip of the Wool Season; the outward trade during the year January to December includes portions of the clips of two Wool Seasons, the commercial wool year ending on the 30th June. Shearing generally takes place between the months of May and November.

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Woolpacks.		No.	No.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	2,865	.....	.....	199	
Queensland	.....	140,926	.....	.....	10,051	
Western Australia ...	.....	1,000	.....	.....	70	
Tasmania...	.....	2,750	.....	.....	193	
New Zealand	.....	6,050	.....	.....	434	
Fiji	.....	175	.....	.....	13	
New Caledonia	.....	150	.....	.....	11	
South Sea Islands	.....	50	.....	.....	4	
	.....	153,966	153,966	.....	10,975	10,975
Yellow Metal.						
Sheets.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	6	.....	.....	81	
Queensland	.....	211	.....	.....	2,895	
South Australia	.....	11	.....	.....	125	
Western Australia ...	.....	3	.....	.....	40	
Tasmania	.....	19	.....	.....	255	
New Zealand	.....	47	.....	.....	647	
Fiji	.....	34	.....	.....	344	
New Guinea	.....	6	.....	.....	65	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	8	.....	.....	84	
New Caledonia	.....	53	.....	.....	595	
South Sea Islands	.....	13	.....	.....	140	
	.....	411	411	.....	5,271	5,271
Nails.						
Australasia—		pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
Queensland	.....	65	.....	.....	312	
Western Australia ...	.....	2	.....	.....	6	
Tasmania	.....	22	.....	.....	90	
New Zealand	.....	28	.....	.....	151	
Fiji	.....	24	.....	.....	87	
New Guinea	.....	3	.....	.....	8	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	1	.....	.....	3	
New Caledonia	.....	17	.....	.....	52	
South Sea Islands	.....	17	.....	.....	54	
	.....	180	180	.....	766	766
Zinc.						
Perforated or Manufactured.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	150	24	174	286	47	333
South Australia	2	6	8	4	9	13
Western Australia ...	71	19	90	136	41	177
Fiji	.....	6	6	.....	15	15
New Caledonia	.....	2	2	.....	6	6
	223	57	280	426	118	544

No. 14.—Exports from New South Wales during 1898—*continued.*

Article and Countries to which Exported.	Quantity.			Value.		
	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.	Domestic Produce or Manufacture.	Other Produce or Manufacture.	Total.
Zinc—*continued.*						
Plain Sheet.		cwt.	cwt.	£	£	£
Australasia—						
Victoria	.....	27	.....	.....	36	
Queensland	.....	218	.....	.....	247	
Western Australia ...	.....	16	.....	.....	18	
New Zealand	.....	15	.....	.....	17	
Fiji	.....	35	.....	.....	42	
Neu Pommern (New Britain).	.....	3	.....	.....	4	
New Caledonia	.....	41	.....	.....	48	
South Sea Islands	.....	13	.....	.....	15	
		368	368	.....	427	427
Spelter—Dross and Ashes.						
Australasia—	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.			
Victoria	2,232	11	2,243	370	14	384
Queensland	17	66	83	13	88	101
South Australia	758,940	.....	758,940	19,631	.....	19,631
Western Australia ...	359	6	365	407	6	413
United Kingdom	17,278	.....	17,278	8,520	.....	8,520
	778,826	83	778,909	28,941	108	29,049
Other Articles not classified.						
Australasia—	pkg.	pkg.	pkg.			
Victoria	413	990	1,403	18	5,299	5,317
Queensland	587	48	635	33	336	369
South Australia... ...	6	82	88	16	297	313
Western Australia ...	1	2	3	4	60	64
New Zealand	632	.....	632	29	.....	29
United Kingdom	176	.....	176	2,872	.....	2,872
Ceylon	4	.....	4	35	.....	35
Fiji	1	.....	1	6	.....	6
India	4	.....	4	15	.....	15
New Guinea	1	.....	1	1	.....	1
Germany	.....	1	1	.....	10	10
Italy	1	.....	1	5	.....	5
	1,826	1,123	2,949	3,034	6,002	9,036
Total Value of Exports of Merchandise				15,976,320	4,707,200	20,683,520
	£	£	£			
Total Value of Exports of Coin (Gold, Silver, and Bronze)	1,355,582	5,204,430	6,560,012	1,750,747	5,213,850	6,964,597
Total Value of Exports of Gold Bullion	395,165	9,420	404,585			
Total Value of all Exports—(Merchandise, Coin, and Gold Bullion) ... . £				17,727,067	9,921,050	27,648,117

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898.

(Included in Return of General Imports, Table No. 13.)

Article.	From—			Total.
	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	
	£	£	£	£
Acids—				
Acetic	80	.....	175	255
Sulphuric	160	.....	170	330
Tartaric	189	.....	465	654
Other	157	.....	306	463
Aerated and Mineral Waters	887	132	238	1,257
Agricultural Implements—				
Ploughs	17,450	20	109	17,579
Plough Materials	5,429	.....	141	5,570
Reapers and Binders	7,524	40	298	7,862
Other	10,924	8	424	11,356
Ale and Beer—				
In wood	6,487	231	1,486	8,204
In bottle	6,446	28	9,031	15,505
Alkalies—				
Bicarbonate of Soda	147	4	291	442
Caustic Soda	121	.....	861	982
Silicate of Soda	3	.....	126	129
Soda Ash	.....	.....	383	383
Soda Crystals	249	.....	1,478	1,727
Alum	7	.....	93	100
Animals (Live)—				
Horses	60,129	21,179	2,017	83,325
Cattle	23,600	602,264	1,998	627,862
Sheep	23,533	161,590	5,606	190,729
Pigs	1,430	2,385	509	4,324
Dogs	101	89	1	191
Mules	.....	264	.....	264
Other	43	3,266	2	3,311
Apparel (Wearing)	21,989	349	29,288	51,626
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—				
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	710	76	172	958
Gun-caps	.....	.....	4	4
Shot	161	.....	148	309
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	739	.....	376	1,115
Powder (sporting)	282	.....	103	385
Powder (blasting)	25	.....	2,900	2,925
Fuse	4	.....	1,952	1,956
Dynamite and Lithofracteur	32	10	25,252	25,294
Other Explosives	8	11	833	852
Arrowroot	79	2	17	98
Asbestos	3	.....	.....	3
Bags and Sacks (other than Paper)—				
Bran	3,066	.....	.....	3,066
Calico (plain)	796	.....	15	811
Corn Sacks	17,182	.....	31	17,213
Gunny and Ore	.....	.....	5,602	5,602
Other	457	.....	.....	457
Baskets and Basket-ware	102	.....	254	356
Bedsteads	643	.....	851	1,494
Bee-keepers' Materials	2	1	.....	3
Belting (Leather and other)	204	.....	350	554
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof	12,910	99	9,857	22,866
Billiard Tables and Materials	320	.....	49	369
Birds	95	29	28	152

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From—			Total.
	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	
	£	£	£	£
Biscuits	917	6	374	1,297
Blacking and Boot Polish	185	.....	397	582
Blankets	1,283	.....	1,364	2,647
Blue	266	.....	417	683
Boats	11	.....	.....	11
Bones	14	.....	.....	14
Boots and Shoes	13,395	105	12,058	25,558
Boot Uppers	.....	.....	22	22
Bottles (Empty)	643	.....	1,165	1,808
Brassware	80	.....	1,429	1,509
Bread and Dough	1,046	.....	.....	1,046
Bricks—				
Building	227	.....	52	279
Fire	44	.....	495	539
Brushware and Brooms	1,218	13	1,444	2,675
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated)	112	.....	.....	112
Butter	3,650	33	29,031	32,714
Candles	1,902	32	10,256	12,190
Canes, Willows, and Rattans	.....	.....	11	11
Canvas	850	.....	1,560	2,410
Carpeting and Druggeting	714	13	248	975
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—				
Carriages	2,092	10	1,657	3,759
Carts and Waggons	2,984	.....	662	3,646
Carriage Makers' Materials, exclusive of Tools	2,113	1	1,622	3,736
Cement	885	55	1,628	2,568
Charcoal	450	.....	.....	450
Cheese	1,279	13	2,268	3,560
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	1,130	.....	1,246	2,376
Chicory—				
Raw	3	.....	.....	3
Prepared	24	.....	120	144
Chinaware and Porcelain	106	1	859	966
Chinese Goods (Fancy Goods)	5	.....	.....	5
Coal	146	.....	61	207
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	820	10	1,514	2,344
Coffee—				
Raw	118	.....	267	385
Prepared	1,204	.....	959	2,163
Coin—				
Gold	3,058,900	.....	54,000	3,112,900
Silver	7,015	.....	3,150	10,165
Coke	146	.....	12,201	12,347
Confectionery	1,587	4	976	2,567
Copper—				
Ingots	.....	.....	200	200
Rod and Bar	1	.....	110	111
Sheet	13	.....	34	47
Wire	6	.....	18	24
Ore	400	172	.....	572
Copra	225	.....	24	249
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope)	3,694	.....	1,608	5,302
Cordials (not containing spirit)	399	1	421	821
Corks and Bungs	244	.....	405	649
Cotton—				
Waste	44	.....	561	605

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Cream	.....	.....	17	17
Cream of Tartar	515	.....	504	1,019
Cutlery	507	1	1,654	2,162
Dentists' Tools and Materials	170	.....	.....	170
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated)	45,560	124	29,787	75,471
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated.)	3,025	23	6,359	9,407
Dyes and Dye Ware	6	.....	12	18
Earthenware (See also Chinaware and Porcelain)—				
Crockeryware	2,486	3	1,994	4,483
Drain-pipes	208	.....	42	250
Other	1,026	.....	872	1,898
Eggs	78	1	12,966	13,045
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	3,628	59	3,674	7,361
Farinaceous and Milk Foods	128	.....	313	441
Felt	45	.....	15	60
Fibre	3	.....	.....	3
Fireclay	2	.....	91	93
Firewood	1,548	.....	10	1,558
Fireworks	1	.....	.....	1
Fish—				
Fresh and Frozen	262	300	1,300	1,862
Dried and Preserved	3,863	21	5,678	9,562
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	874	.....	3,179	4,053
Fruit—				
Boiled or in Pulp	10	.....	.....	10
Bottled	.....	.....	120	120
Fresh—				
Bananas	171	108	2,249	2,528
Pineapples	34	44	109	187
Other	4,194	1,938	17,878	24,010
Dried—				
Currants and Raisins	4,311	10	4,204	8,525
Dates	218	.....	652	870
Other Dried and Candied	358	.....	960	1,318
Edible Nuts—				
Cocoanuts	5	42	29	76
Other	60	.....	604	664
Fruit Salts	26	.....	197	223
Furniture and Upholstery—				
Furniture	9,995	4	6,063	16,062
Upholstery	87	.....	.....	87
Furs	47	.....	6	53
Gas Fittings	29	.....	962	991
Gasoline	72	.....	3	75
Gelatine and Isinglass	78	.....	168	246
Ginger (Dried and Green)	94	.....	117	211
Glass—				
Looking	27	.....	48	75
Plate	55	.....	181	236
Window	509	.....	526	1,035
Glassware	1,416	12	1,650	3,078
Gloves	469	2	1,265	1,736

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Glucose—				
Liquid and Syrup	.....	.....	37	37
Solid	.....	.....	6	6
Glue and Size	42	.....	39	81
Glycerine	1	.....	36	37
Gold—				
Bars and Dust	.....	150,750	.....	150,750
Quartz	2	.....	.....	2
Gold Leaf	.....	.....	9	9
Grain, Pulse, &c.—				
Barley	444	.....	21	465
„ (prepared or pearl)	117	.....	149	266
Beans	4	.....	8	12
Bran	939	.....	7,723	8,662
Flour	10,053	208	39,751	50,012
Groats (patent)	30	.....	42	72
Maize	209	613	120	942
Maizena and Cornflour	527	.....	492	1,019
Oatmeal	1,161	.....	1,586	2,747
Oats	12,731	4	1,875	14,610
Peas (dried and split)	141	.....	244	385
Pollard	555	.....	451	1,006
Rice	3,257	210	1,845	5,312
„ (ground)	5	.....	91	96
Wheat	1,212	458	2,304	3,974
Grease	148	.....	743	891
Grindery	36	.....	180	216
Gum	5	.....	1	6
Hair	93	22	26	141
Hardware and Ironmongery	14,865	116	8,571	23,552
Hats and Caps	1,251	60	4,602	5,913
Hay and Chaff	15,310	60	28,843	44,213
Hollow-ware	336	.....	667	1,003
Honey	57	16	909	982
Hops	1,150	.....	1,512	2,662
Ice	65	2	301	368
India-rubber Goods—				
Packing	3	.....	1,222	1,225
Piping	121	.....	682	803
Other	173	2	4,169	4,344
Instruments—				
Optical	19	24	2	45
Surgical	314	7	30	351
Other Scientific	190	28	806	1,024
Instruments (Musical)—				
Harmoniums and Organs	106	.....	493	599
Pianofortes	2,222	75	2,376	4,673
Other	451	17	701	1,169
Iron and Steel—				
Angle, Bar, and Rod	2,863	.....	5,372	8,235
Hoop	143	.....	105	248
Plate and Sheet	56	.....	3,195	3,251
Pipes (cast)	573	.....	2,737	3,310
„ (wrought)	852	.....	4,512	5,364
Other castings	2,159	.....	1,493	3,652
„ wrought	170	.....	2,070	2,240
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws	1,084	.....	2,336	3,420

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
Iron and Steel— *continued.*	£	£	£	£
Chains	262	.....	128	390
Girders	9	.....	19	28
Nails	1,205	.....	1,739	2,944
Rivets	7	.....	151	158
Tanks	1,346	.....	1,098	2,444
Scrap and Old	.....	.....	333	333
Wire (not galvanised)	10,420	193	3,502	14,115
Wire Rope	1,021	.....	841	1,862
Galvanised Hoop	79	.....	43	122
,, Manufactures	1,566	.....	1,510	3,076
,, Sheets and Bars	10,324	30	10,247	20,601
,, Wire—Barbed	995	73	114	1,182
,, ,, Telegraphic	10	.....	.....	10
,, ,, Other	166	.....	241	407
,, ,, Netting	3,332	.....	1,524	4,856
Pig	.....	.....	694	694
Jams and Jellies	3,703	18	5,006	8,727
Jewellery and Precious Stones	2,915	1,696	4,938	9,549
Kapok	203	.....	439	642
Lampware	336	.....	729	1,065
Lard	2	.....	205	207
Lead—				
Pig	.....	.....	41	41
Sheet and Roll	245	.....	147	392
Pipes	6	.....	47	53
Leather	1,782	13	2,225	4,020
Lime	370	115	56	541
Limejuice (in bulk)	140	.....	139	279
,, (in bottle)	51	.....	37	88
Linseed	38	.....	60	98
Macaroni and Vermicelli	99	.....	94	193
Machinery—				
Agricultural	17,265	1	150	17,416
Electrical	.....	.....	306	306
Engines—Portable	1,209	410	915	2,534
,, Steam	1,099	.....	80	1,179
,, Boilers for	311	.....	4,670	4,981
Weighing Machines	94	.....	312	406
Other Machinery	12,474	231	43,461	56,166
Malt	1,718	71	6,062	7,851
Manures—				
Bone-dust	25	.....	.....	25
Guano	5	.....	9	14
Other	181	.....	1	182
Marble (exclusive of Statuary and Monuments)—				
Wrought Mantel-pieces	12	.....	.....	12
,, Other	124	.....	38	162
Unwrought	79	.....	.....	79
Matches and Vestas—				
Wax	1,767	.....	1,766	3,533
Wooden	66	.....	583	649
Mats and Matting	219	2	184	405

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Mattresses	534	.....	556	1,090
Meat—				
Bacon and Ham	1,471	12	2,878	4,361
Extract of Beef	13	.....	192	205
Fresh	482	3	823	1,308
Game	5	.....	.....	5
Preserved	711	9	1,343	2,063
Milk (fresh)	795	.....	1,356	2,151
„ (condensed and preserved)	834	1	8,977	9,812
Millinery	828	38	658	1,524
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated)	113	.....	.....	113
Molasses	1,723	7	1,020	2,750
Mustard	654	.....	895	1,549
Naphtha	.....	.....	3	3
Oakum	10	.....	24	34
Oars	11	.....	13	24
Oilcake	14	.....	.....	14
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	1,424	.....	1,152	2,576
Oils (in bulk)—				
Castor	842	.....	2,664	3,506
China	55	9	6	70
Cocoanut	.....	.....	89	89
Colza	.....	.....	96	96
Kerosene	4,966	120	4,747	9,833
Linseed	837	28	523	1,388
Olive	105	.....	6	111
Other	1,281	.....	3,642	4,923
Oils (in bottle)—				
Castor	111	.....	101	212
Salad	189	.....	300	489
Other	229	.....	581	810
Onions	1,117	13	1,980	3,110
Opium	543	.....	1	544
Oysters (fresh)	25	35	676	736
Paints and Colours—				
Paints—Mixed for Use	1,241	.....	816	2,057
„ Dry	221	.....	164	385
Kalsomine	15	.....	17	32
Other	384	16	902	1,302
Painter's Materials	115	.....	44	159
Paper, Books, &c.—				
Bags—Plain	367	.....	633	1,000
„ Printed	19	.....	40	59
Brown and Wrapping	317	.....	535	852
Circulars and Advertising Matter	403	25	362	790
Printing and News-paper	154	424	1,824	2,402
Waste Paper	.....	.....	37	37
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes	103	.....	374	477
Books and Periodicals	971	11	1,207	2,189
Paperhangings	635	.....	1,167	1,802
Pepper	412	.....	584	996

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From—			Total.
	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	
	£	£	£	£
Perambulators	270	.....	501	771
Personal Effects	4,856	442	3,709	9,007
Photographic Materials	607	52	470	1,129
Pickles and Sauces	1,878	4	4,751	6,633
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs	657	35	1,220	1,912
Picture Frames and Mouldings	36	.....	293	329
Pitch and Tar	133	.....	216	349
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees	997	10	249	1,256
Plaster and Plaster of Paris	32	.....	31	63
Plate and Plated Ware—				
Silver	75	1	388	464
Other	593	10	969	1,572
Playing Cards	8	.....	50	58
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.	188	.....	467	655
Potatoes	9,850	33	18,739	28,622
Poultry (Live)	241	28	1,588	1,857
Powders—				
Baking, &c.	1,811	.....	1,847	3,658
Preserves	493	11	780	1,284
Printers' Materials	237	.....	423	660
Putty	29	.....	46	75
Quicksilver	11	18	.....	29
Railway and Tramway Plant—				
Rails	9	.....	895	904
Other Plant	.....	.....	1,287	1,287
Resin	22	.....	204	226
Rugs	342	.....	316	658
Saddler's Ware	1,042	.....	1,304	2,346
Saddles and Harness	3,788	74	1,745	5,607
Safes and Doors (Iron and Steel)	66	.....	200	266
Sago	334	7	317	658
Salt Cake	.....	.....	904	904
Salt—				
In Bottle (Table)	14	.....	4	18
In Bags	3,368	335	7,620	11,323
Rock	956	103	11	1,070
Saltpetre	21	.....	93	114
Samples (Travellers')	11,977	70	.....	12,047
Sausage Skins	206	.....	694	900
Seeds—				
Garden	170	2	9	181
Other	994	56	531	1,581
Sewing Machines	910	85	1,086	2,081
Sheepwash	169	.....	21	190
Silks	1,002	5	1,619	2,626
Silver—Ore	.....	26	.....	26
Skins and Hides—				
Cattle	1,148	28	.....	1,176
Horse	.....	70	.....	70
Kangaroo	57	407	.....	464
Other Marsupial	275	1,355	.....	1,630

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From—			Total.
	Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	
	£	£	£	£
Skins and Hides—*continued.*				
Sheep (with wool)	1,780	146	.....	1,926
All other	3	.....	.....	3
Slates—				
Roofing	156	.....	13	169
Slabs	35	.....	8	43
Soap—				
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented	258	.....	525	783
Common	2,526	44	1,024	3,594
Specimens of Natural History	.....	12	.....	12
Spices	404	.....	268	672
Spirits—				
Brandy	2,066	11	3,837	5,914
Geneva and Schnapps	1,459	14	953	2,426
Gin	260	.....	450	710
Liqueurs	53	.....	77	130
Rum	322	21	405	748
Whisky	8,806	76	7,791	16,673
Other (Intoxicants)	134	.....	71	205
Bitters	108	.....	189	297
Essences (Flavouring)	206	.....	233	439
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters	103	.....	245	348
Sarsaparilla	67	1	354	422
Tinctures	42	.....	917	959
Methylated	34	.....	37	71
All other	64	.....	10	74
Starch and Starch Powders	881	15	955	1,851
Stationery (sundries)	3,498	2	2,916	6,416
Statuary and Monuments	581	11	206	798
Stones—				
Building—Wrought	112	.....	.....	112
,, Unwrought	37	.....	.....	37
Other—Wrought	84	.....	52	136
,, Unwrought	.....	110	.....	110
Grindstones	56	.....	127	183
Granite—Unwrought	9	.....	.....	9
Kerbing	2	.....	.....	2
Straw	30	.....	117	147
Sugar—				
Raw	34,483	3,296	23,529	61,308
Refined	68	25	125	218
Sulphur	23	.....	600	623
Tallow	151	8	1	160
Tapioca and Semolina	151	5	337	493
Tarpaulins and Tents	518	2	645	1,165
Tea	12,186	406	12,282	24,874
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	103	.....	1,085	1,188
Tiles—Other	91	.....	.....	91
Timber—				
Rough	7,104	331	97,839	105,274
Dressed	4,440	.....	7,169	11,609
Doors	509	.....	419	928
Houses	300	.....	.....	300
Laths	84	.....	70	154
Palings	200	.....	26	226
Piles	24	.....	.....	24

No. 15.—Imports Overland, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	From— Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
Timber—*continued.*				
Sashes	780	.....	76	856
Shooks and Staves	585	.....	95	680
Shutters	3	.....	.....	3
Tin—				
Ingots	148	.....	112	260
Ore	.....	2,496	.....	2,496
Tin Plates	38	.....	10	48
Tinware	1,539	1	1,387	2,927
Tobacco—				
Manufactured	8,800	.....	6,897	15,697
Cigars	1,253	.....	1,853	3,106
Cigarettes	230	.....	1,297	1,527
Snuff	2	.....	19	21
Tobacco Pipes and Tobacconists' Ware	385	.....	1,314	1,699
Tools of various Trades—not otherwise enumerated	3,055	7	4,888	7,950
Toys	200	4	1,042	1,246
Turnery and Woodenware	1,306	2	999	2,307
Turpentine	236	3	264	503
Type-writing Machines	40	.....	54	94
Varnish—				
With Spirit	65	.....	41	106
Without Spirit	396	.....	437	833
Vegetables—				
Fresh	1,196	531	10,490	12,217
Preserved	92	.....	1,020	1,112
Vinegar	891	2	631	1,524
Watches and Clocks	1,052	528	2,964	4,544
Wax—Beeswax	5	3	1	9
Whiting and Chalk	259	7	284	550
Wines—				
Sparkling	413	.....	673	1,086
Other	504	14	1,959	2,477
Wool—				
Greasy	1,064	33,480	.....	34,544
Scoured and Washed	.....	8,312	.....	8,312
Woollen Manufactures—not otherwise enumerated	509	.....	8,360	8,869
Woolpacks	7,597	.....	2,218	9,815
Yeast	9	.....	.....	9
Zinc—				
Perforated or Manufactured	12	.....	4	16
Plain Sheet	87	.....	131	218
Spelter	.....	.....	21	21
Other articles not classified	636	.....	61	697
Total Imports, Merchandise (Overland) £	704,454	853,957	845,975	2,404,386
Total Imports, Specie and Gold Bullion (Overland) £	3,065,915	150,750	57,150	3,273,815
Total Imports (Merchandise, Specie, and Gold Bullion), Overland £	3,770,369	1,004,707	903,125	5,678,201

No. 16.—Exports Overland, 1898.

(Included in Return of General Exports, Table No. 14.)

Article.	To Victoria.			To Queensland.			To South Australia.			Total.		
	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other	Total.	Domestic.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Aerated and Mineral Waters	48	..	48	..	..	..	....	..	....	48	..	48
Agricultural Implements—												
Ploughs	64	205	269	..	..	..	....	..	....	64	205	269
Reapers and Binders	....	1,052	1,052	..	62	62	....	..	....	....	1,114	1,114
Other	724	1,063	1,787	64	22	86	2	..	2	790	1,085	1,875
Ale and Beer—												
In wood	....	2	2	98	..	98	1	..	1	99	2	101
In bottle	51	7	58	..	80	80	1	..	1	52	87	139
Alkalies—												
Caustic Soda	....	11	11	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	13	13
Silicate of Soda	....	4	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	4	4
Soda Crystals	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Animals (Live)—												
Horses	102,925	140	103,065	1,867	..	1,867	890	..	890	105,682	140	105,822
Cattle	140,674	4,509	145,183	16,349	..	16,349	1,714	31,377	33,091	158,737	35,886	194,623
Sheep	300,884	746	301,630	60,736	..	60,736	71,278	9,853	81,131	432,898	10,599	443,497
Pigs	5,542	3	5,545	126	..	126	35	..	35	5,703	3	5,706
Dogs	....	..	....	178	..	178	....	..	....	178	..	178
Mules	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	10	10	....	10	10
Other	10	3,000	3,010	..	..	..	1	..	1	11	3,000	3,011
Apparel (wearing)	289	2	291	146	192	338	....	265	265	435	459	894
Arms, Ammunition and Explosives—												
Guns, Rifles and Pistols	....	25	25	..	23	23	....	6	6	....	54	54
Shot	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	....	6	6	..	20	20	....	..	....	....	26	26
Powder (Sporting)	....	15	15	..	7	7	....	..	....	....	22	22
Arrowroot	....	..	....	2	..	2	....	..	....	2	..	2
Art, Works of	....	1,500	1,500	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1,500	1,500
Bags and Sacks—												
Bran	....	89	89	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	89	89
Cornsacks	....	185	185	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	190	190
Other	....	228	228	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	228	228
Bark (Non-medicinal)—												
Wattle	....	..	....	499	..	499	..	..	....	499	..	499
Baskets and Basket-ware	1	..	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	1	..	1
Bedsteads	....	11	11	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	11	11
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.	....	1,214	1,214	..	550	550	....	48	48	....	1,812	1,812
Billiard Tables and Materials	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	5	5	....	5	5
Birds	6	..	6	64	..	64	....	..	....	70	..	70
Biscuits	1	..	1	3	..	3	....	..	....	4	..	4
Blankets	....	1	1	..	32	32	....	..	....	....	33	33
Blue	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
Boats	1	..	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	1	..	1
Bones	315	..	315	..	..	..	151	..	151	466	..	466
Boots and Shoes	17	17	34	37	119	156	17	272	289	71	408	479
Bottles (Empty)	....	16	16	..	..	..	....	42	42	....	58	58
Brassware	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	11	11	....	14	14
Bread and Dough	2,334	..	2,334	..	..	..	....	..	....	2,334	..	2,334
Bricks—Building	134	..	134	..	..	..	....	..	....	134	..	134
Brushware and Brooms	10	1	11	..	21	21	....	11	11	10	33	43
Butter	1,111	..	1,111	83	..	83	....	..	....	1,194	..	1,194
Candles	....	..	....	..	50	50	....	..	....	....	50	50
Canvas	....	7	7	..	..	..	....	6	6	....	13	13
Carpeting and Druggeting	....	14	14	..	11	11	....	..	....	....	25	25
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—												
Carriages	181	..	181	..	..	..	....	112	112	181	112	293
Carts and Waggons	1,285	57	1,342	..	..	..	....	100	100	1,285	157	1,442
Carriage Makers' Materials (exclusive of Tools)	56	17	73	26	48	74	....	..	....	82	65	147
Cement	....	55	55	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	55	55
Charcoal	6	..	6	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	..	6
Cheese	2	..	2	2	..	2	....	..	....	4	..	4
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	44	..	44	..	..	..	....	104	104	44	104	148
Chinaware and Porcelain	....	16	16	..	21	21	....	..	....	....	37	37
Cider and Perry	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	....	..	....	..	7	7	....	..	....	....	7	7
Coffee—Prepared	....	2	2	..	38	38	....	..	....	....	40	40

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	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Coin—												
Gold	7,659	..	7,659	230,000	..	230,000	....	..	....	237,659	..	237,659
Silver	....	2,418	2,418	..	1,600	1,600	....	..	....	....	4,018	4,018
Bronze	....	..	....	..	100	100	....	..	....	....	100	100
Coke	2	..	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	2	..	2
Confectionery	16	..	16	7	..	7	....	..	....	23	..	23
Copper-ore	....	..	....	..	..	..	781	..	781	781	..	781
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope)	24	48	72	..	49	49	....	..	....	24	97	121
Corks and Bungs	....	10	10	..	..	..	....	21	21	....	31	31
Cream	1,534	..	1,534	..	..	..	....	..	....	1,534	..	1,534
Cutlery	....	2	2	..	57	57	....	246	246	....	305	305
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated)	17	248	265	45	662	707	....	88	88	62	998	1,060
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated)	21	78	99	7	163	170	....	20	20	28	261	289
Dyes and Dye Ware	3	..	3	..	..	..	....	..	....	3	..	3
Earthenware—Crockeryware	....	5	5	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	11	11
Other	....	7	7	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	7	7
Eggs	88	..	88	2	..	2	....	..	....	90	..	90
Exhibits	....	..	....	..	..	..	717	..	717	717	..	717
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	3	71	74	52	425	477	....	260	260	55	756	811
Firewood	357	..	357	50	..	50	....	..	....	407	..	407
Fish—												
Fresh and Frozen	1,710	..	1,710	3	..	3	916	..	916	2,629	..	2,629
Dried and Preserved	2	1	3	..	20	20	....	..	....	2	21	23
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Fruit—												
Bottled	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	6	6
Fresh—												
Bananas	....	144	144	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	144	144
Other	14,916	..	14,916	3,376	1,005	4,381	1	..	1	18,293	1,005	19,298
Dried—												
Currants and Raisins	....	28	28	..	515	515	....	..	....	....	543	543
Dates	....	..	....	..	10	10	....	..	....	....	10	10
Other Dried & Candied	....	1	1	..	181	181	....	10	10	....	192	192
Furniture & Upholstery—												
Furniture	1,440	57	1,497	61	..	61	114	168	282	1,615	225	1,840
Furs	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	90	90	....	90	90
Glassware	....	10	10	..	7	7	....	18	18	....	35	35
Gloves	....	7	7	..	4	4	....	..	....	....	11	11
Gold—												
Bars and Dust	18,045	..	18,045	..	..	..	....	..	....	18,045	..	18,045
Quartz	596	..	596	..	..	..	....	..	....	596	..	596
Grain, Pulse, &c.—												
Barley	2	..	2	2	..	2	....	..	....	4	..	4
,, Prepared or Pearl	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Bran	2,413	..	2,413	2	1	3	....	..	....	2,415	1	2,416
Flour	18,564	..	18,564	3,420	192	3,612	....	48	48	21,984	240	22,224
Maize	....	..	....	36	..	36	....	..	....	36	..	36
Maizena and Cornflour	....	1	1	..	7	7	....	..	....	....	8	8
Oatmeal	6	..	6	..	2	2	....	..	....	6	2	8
Oats	....	..	....	72	4	76	2	..	2	74	4	78
Peas (Dried and Split)	....	..	....	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	5	5
Pollard	1,171	..	1,171	6	2	8	....	..	....	1,177	2	1,179
Rice	....	3	3	..	69	69	....	..	....	....	72	72
Wheat	120,615	..	120,615	306	..	306	....	..	....	120,921	..	120,921
Gum	11	..	11	..	..	..	....	..	....	11	..	11
Hair	385	..	385	..	..	..	16	..	16	401	..	401
Hardware & Ironmongery	237	71	308	35	430	465	....	72	72	272	573	845
Hats and Caps	1	5	6	..	41	41	....	12	12	1	58	59
Hay and Chaff	1,207	..	1,207	182	..	188	19	..	19	1,414	..	1,414
Honey	2	..	2	4	8	12	....	..	....	6	8	14
Hops	....	10	10	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	16	16
Horns	14	..	14	..	..	..	77	..	77	91	..	91
Ice	82	..	82	..	..	..	....	..	....	82	..	82
India-rubber Goods	....	5	5	..	6	6	....	293	293	....	304	304
Instruments—												
Optical	....	..	....	..	110	110	....	..	....	....	110	110
Surgical	....	..	....	..	66	66	....	..	....	....	66	66
Other Scientific	....	32	32	..	97	97	....	25	25	....	154	154

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	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Instruments (Musical)—												
Harmoniums and Organs	....	27	27	..	..	..	....	15	15	....	42	42
Pianofortes	...	495	495	..	..	..	....	252	252	....	747	747
Other	....	155	155	..	15	15	....	25	25	....	195	195
Iron and Steel—												
Angle, Bar, and Rod	....	..	....	..	32	32	....	..	....	....	32	32
Pipes (cast)	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	115	115	....	115	115
Other Castings	52	..	52	..	..	..	1	..	1	53	..	53
Wrought	....	..	....	..	14	14	....	..	....	....	14	14
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, and Screws	....	..	....	..	12	12	....	..	....	....	12	12
Chains	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Nails	....	2	2	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	5	5
Rivets	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Tanks	....	10	10	..	18	18	....	25	25	....	53	53
Scrap and old	....	150	150	..	..	..	....	74	74	....	224	224
Wire (not Galvanised)	....	86	86	..	1,269	1,269	....	..	....	....	1,355	1,355
Wire Rope	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	7	7	....	7	7
Galvanised, manufactures	....	..	....	..	2	2	9	..	9	9	2	11
Galvanised, Sheets and Bars	18	94	112	..	52	52	....	..	..	18	146	164
Galvanised Wire (barbed)	....	25	25	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	25	25
Galvanised Wire Netting	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	16	16	....	16	16
Jams and Jellies	7	..	7	..	280	280	....	..	....	7	280	287
Jewellery and Precious Stones	....	40	40	..	764	764	138	3,986	4,124	138	4,790	4,928
Lampware	....	16	16	..	9	9	....	..	....	....	25	25
Leather	98	..	98	10	31	41	....	..	....	108	31	139
Lime	203	..	203	..	..	..	....	..	....	203	..	203
Macaroni and Vermicelli	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
Machinery—												
Agricultural	697	390	1,087	..	10	10	....	..	....	697	400	1,097
Electrical	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	10	10	....	16	16
Engines—												
Portable	....	1,109	1,109	..	500	500	....	..	....	....	1,609	1,609
Steam	....	55	55	..	..	..	....	630	630	....	685	685
Boilers	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	240	240	....	240	240
Other Machinery	2,325	1,324	3,649	4	1,094	1,098	....	5,283	5,283	2,329	7,701	10,030
Malt	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	114	114	....	114	114
Manure—Bone-dust	3,003	..	3,003	..	..	..	209	..	209	3,212	..	3,212
Matches and Vestas—												
Wax	....	..	....	..	44	44	....	..	....	....	44	44
Mats and Matting	....	..	....	4	2	6	....	6	6	4	8	12
Mattresses	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	1	1	....	1	1
Meat—												
Bacon and Ham	9	..	9	14	..	14	....	..	....	23	..	23
Extract of Beef	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	3	3	....	5	5
Fresh	512	..	512	..	..	..	....	..	....	512	..	512
Frozen	29,336	..	29,336	..	..	..	....	..	....	29,336	..	29,336
Game	14	..	14	..	..	..	....	..	....	14	..	14
Preserved	898	..	898	..	..	..	....	125	125	898	125	1,023
Rabbits	....	..	....	..	..	..	15	..	15	15	..	15
Milk—												
Fresh	786	..	786	..	..	..	....	..	....	786	..	786
Condensed and Preserved	....	2	2	..	20	20	....	..	....	....	22	22
Millinery	....	..	....	8	19	27	....	..	....	8	19	27
Minerals (not otherwise enumerated)	117	10	127	..	..	..	....	..	....	117	10	127
Molasses	4	..	4	8	34	42	....	..	....	12	34	46
Mustard	....	..	....	..	9	9	....	..	....	....	9	9
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	....	..	....	..	73	73	....	..	....	....	73	73
Oils (in bulk)—												
Black	....	..	....	..	20	20	....	..	....	....	20	20
Castor	....	..	....	..	2	2	....	..	....	....	2	2
Kerosene	....	91	91	..	16	16	....	13	13	....	120	120
Linseed	....	2	2	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	7	7
Other	....	16	16	..	5	5	....	10	10	....	31	31
Oils (in bottle)—												
Salad	....	..	....	..	9	9	....	..	....	....	9	9
Other	....	..	....	..	7	7	....	..	....	....	7	7
Onions	8	..	8	18	..	18	....	4	4	26	4	30

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	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Paints and Colours—												
Paints—Mixed for use	1	12	13	..	..	..	....	13	13	1	25	26
Dry	....	2	2	..	8	8	....	..	....	....	10	10
Other	....	..	....	..	11	11	....	..	....	....	11	11
Painters' Materials	....	..	....	..	8	8	....	..	....	....	8	8
Paper, Books, &c.—												
Brown and Wrapping	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Circulars and Advertising Matter	90	..	90	85	2	87	....	..	....	175	2	177
Printing and Newspaper	....	1	1	..	2,000	2,000	....	..	....	....	2,001	2,001
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	6	6
Books and Periodicals	....	35	35	2,001	42	2,043	....	145	145	2,001	222	2,223
Paperhangings	....	5	5	..	..	..	....	8	8	....	13	13
Pepper	....	1	1	..	10	10	....	..	....	....	11	11
Perambulators	2	5	7	..	..	..	....	..	....	2	5	7
Personal Effects	2,340	..	2,340	1,014	70	1,084	116	1,720	1,836	3,470	1,790	5,260
Photographic Materials	....	..	....	..	306	306	....	33	33	....	339	339
Pickles and Sauces	....	18	18	..	84	84	....	..	....	....	102	102
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs	....	8	8	83	..	83	....	23	23	83	31	114
Pitch and Tar	4	..	4	..	3	3	....	..	....	4	3	7
Plants, Shrubs and Trees	151	..	151	46	27	73	....	..	....	197	27	224
Plaster and Plaster of Paris	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
Plate and Plated Ware—												
Silver	....	140	140	14	13	27	....	64	64	14	217	231
Other	....	..	....	16	29	45	....	..	....	16	29	45
Potatoes	690	..	690	4,683	..	4,683	....	10	10	5,373	10	5,383
Poultry (Live)	380	..	380	133	..	133	....	..	....	513	..	513
Powders—Baking, &c.	....	..	....	..	52	52	....	..	....	....	52	52
Preserves	....	..	....	11	23	34	....	..	....	11	23	34
Printer's Materials	....	40	40	3	31	34	....	..	....	3	71	74
Railway and Tramway Plant—												
Locomotive Boilers and Engines	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	400	400	....	400	400
Rails	....	..	....	..	13	13	....	..	....	....	13	13
Other Plant	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	73	73	....	73	73
Resin	....	9	9	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	9	9
Rugs	1	..	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	1	..	1
Saddlers' Ware	....	..	....	2	35	37	....	..	....	2	35	37
Saddles and Harness	535	..	535	119	..	119	....	21	21	654	21	675
Safes and Doors (Iron and Steel)	....	..	....	..	..	..	....	8	8	....	8	8
Sago	....	..	....	..	7	7	....	..	..	....	7	7
Salt—In bags	....	28	28	..	41	41	....	..	....	....	69	69
Samples (Travellers')	....	25,224	25,224	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	25,224	25,224
Sausage Skins	133	11	144	..	..	..	....	..	....	133	11	144
Seeds—												
Garden	50	..	50	91	33	124	8	..	8	149	33	182
Other	....	..	....	14	8	22	....	..	....	14	8	22
Sewing Machines	....	188	188	..	130	130	....	158	158	....	476	476
Sheepwash	....	..	....	26	21	47	....	..	....	26	21	47
Silks	....	8	8	..	86	86	....	..	....	....	94	94
Silver—												
Concentrates	....	..	....	..	..	..	950,587	..	950,587	950,587	..	950,587
Crude	....	..	....	..	..	..	350,327	..	350,327	350,327	..	350,327
Lead	....	..	....	..	..	..	109,591	..	109,591	109,591	..	109,591
Slimes	....	..	....	..	..	..	21,971	..	21,971	21,971	..	21,971
Skins and Hides—												
Cattle	6,037	..	6,037	39	..	39	5,662	..	5,662	11,738	..	11,738
Kangaroo	1,354	..	1,354	52	..	52	704	..	704	2,110	..	2,110
Other Marsupial	2,987	..	2,987	..	..	..	482	..	482	3,469	..	3,469
Rabbit	401	..	401	..	..	..	452	..	452	853	..	853
Sheep (with wool)	44,332	..	44,332	3	..	3	14,953	..	14,953	59,288	..	59,288
,, (without wool)	1,086	..	1,086	..	..	..	1,670	..	1,670	2,756	..	2,756
All other	1,059	..	1,059	..	..	..	41	..	41	1,100	..	1,100
Soap—												
Toilet, Fancy, & Scented	....	1	1	..	14	14	....	..	....	....	15	15
Common	....	..	....	19	9	28	....	..	....	19	9	28
Spices	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Spirits—												
Brandy	....	8	8	..	101	101	....	..	....	....	109	109
Geneva and Schnapps	....	5	5	..	39	39	....	..	....	....	44	44
Gin	....	7	7	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	10	10
Rum	....	..	....	..	56	56	....	..	....	....	56	56
Whisky	....	107	107	..	582	582	....	..	....	....	689	689
Other (Intoxicants)	....	..	....	..	29	29	....	..	....	....	29	29

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Spirits—*continued.*												
Essences (Flavouring)	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Perfumes and Perfumed Waters	....	1	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	1	1
Tinctures	....	..	....	..	5	5	....	..	....	....	5	5
Starch and Starch Powders	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	6	6
Stationery (Sundries)	....	37	37	2	10	12	....	30	30	2	77	79
Stones—												
Building (unwrought)	6	34	40	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	34	40
Other (wrought)	4	..	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	4	..	4
Grindstones	....	..	....	..	6	6	....	..	....	....	6	6
Granite (wrought)	6	..	6	..	..	..	....	..	....	6	..	6
Straw	....	..	....	..	1	1	....	..	....	....	1	1
Sugar—Raw	100	24	124	..	1,431	1,431	....	..	....	100	1,455	1,555
Tallow	11,961	..	11,961	..	..	..	2,998	..	2,998	14,959	..	14,959
Tapioca and Semolina	....	..	....	..	3	3	....	..	....	....	3	3
Tarpaulins and Tents	163	..	163	3	36	39	....	..	....	166	36	202
Tea	....	322	322	..	326	326	....	..	....	....	648	648
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	....	..	....	..	8	8	....	18	18	....	26	26
Timber—												
Rough	2,727	3	2,730	1,146	2	1,148	....	..	....	3,873	5	3,878
Dressed	548	..	548	..	..	..	....	..	....	548	..	548
Doors	5	..	5	..	7	7	....	..	....	5	7	12
Laths	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	2	2
Palings	1	..	1	..	..	..	....	..	....	1	..	1
Sashes	4	..	4	..	..	..	....	..	....	4	..	4
Shooks and Staves	344	..	344	..	..	..	....	..	....	344	..	344
Tin—crude	....	..	....	..	..	..	35	..	35	35	..	35
Tinware	2	..	2	3	17	20	....	..	....	5	17	22
Tobacco—												
Manufactured	....	130	130	..	564	564	....	..	....	....	694	694
Cigars	....	1	1	..	9	9	....	..	....	....	10	10
Tobacco Pipes and Tobacconists' Ware	....	2	2	..	28	28	....	362	362	....	392	392
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated)	29	20	49	..	265	265	....	112	112	29	397	26
Toys	....	..	....	..	18	18	....	..	....	....	18	18
Turnery and Woodenware	232	..	232	5	1	6	....	3	3	237	4	241
Type-writing Machines	....	..	....	..	83	83	....	..	....	....	83	83
Varnish—without spirit.	....	2	2	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	2	2
Vegetables—												
Fresh	37	..	37	9	..	9	....	..	....	46	..	46
Preserved	....	..	....	..	10	10	....	..	....	....	10	10
Vinegar	....	..	....	4	8	12	....	..	....	4	8	12
Watches and Clocks	....	6	6	..	10	10	....	1,688	1,688	....	1,704	1,704
Wax—Beeswax	17	..	17	..	..	..	....	..	....	17	..	17
Wines—(other)	797	..	797	7	42	49	....	39	39	804	81	885
Wool—												
Greasy	892,777	..	892,777	1,767	..	1,767	163,268	1,032	164,300	1,057,812	1,032	1,058,844
Scoured and Washed	115,329	..	115,329	1,350	..	1,350	69,847	1,932	71,779	186,526	1,932	188,458
Woollen Manufactures not otherwise enumerated	....	14	14	..	28	28	....	..	....	....	42	42
Woolpacks	....	62	62	..	378	378	....	..	....	....	440	440
Zinc—												
Plain Sheet	....	11	11	..	..	..	....	..	....	....	11	11
Concentrates	....	..	....	..	..	..	19,151	..	19,151	19,151	..	19,151
Other Articles, not classified	....	..	....	3	..	3	16	..	16	19	..	19
Total Exports, Merchandise (Overland) £	1,846,963	45,698	1,892,661	100,773	17,105	117,878	1,788,984	62,439	1,851,423	3,736,720	125,242	3,861,962
Total Exports, Specie and Gold Bullion (Overland) £	25,704	2,418	28,122	230,000	1,700	231,700	....	..	....	255,704	4,118	259,822
Total Exports, Merchandise, Specie, and Gold Bullion (Overland) £	1,872,667	48,116	1,920,783	330,773	18,805	349,578	1,788,984	62,439	1,851,423	3,992,424	129,360	4,121,784

No. 17.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales *via* Victoria and South Australia, 1898.

(Not included in Returns of General Imports and Exports.)

Reintroduction Certificates.—Goods forwarded from coastal ports (Sydney and Newcastle), or from inland stations in the Riverina District or at Broken Hill for reintroduction into New South Wales, *via* Victoria or South Australia, must be covered by a "Reintroduction Certificate" issued by the Customs authorities, in order to be exempt from payment of import duties upon readmission into the Colony. The list below includes a large number of "Free" goods (N.S.W.) which have been reintroduced under Certificate, as, owing to the dissimilarity of the Tariffs, import duty would have been charged by other colonies, unless the goods were protected by Certificate.

Certificates are granted for goods to be reintroduced within one month from the date of issue, after which time the goods are subject to full import duty. The general Imports returns given in Table No. 13 and Exports returns Table No. 14 do not include the trade under Reintroduction Certificates.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
			AT BROKEN HILL AND RIVERINA.		
		£			£
Acids—Tartaric	62 lb.	4	Gelatine and Isinglass	4 lb.	2
Ale and Beer, in Wood	34,360 gal.	2,746	Glassware	69 pkg.	261
,, in Bottle	7,582 ,,	1,322	Glucose—Liquid and Syrup	12 cwt.	10
Alkali—Bicarbonate of Soda	112 lb.	1	Grain, Pulse, &c.—		
Apparel—Wearing	727 pkg.	25,151	Barley (Prepared or Pearl)	3 pkg.	2
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—			Bran	28,493 bshl.	931
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	25 ,,	53	Flour	171 centals	67
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	8 ,,	73	Maize	1,769 bshl.	237
Shot	2 cwt.	2	Maizena and Cornflour	7,860 lb.	89
Bags (Gunny, and Ore)	750 doz.	63	Oatmeal	205 cwt.	203
Baskets and Basket-ware	3 pkg.	16	Oats	929 bshl.	116
Bedsteads	15 ,,	120	Peas (Dried and Split)	2 pkg.	2
Bicycles and Tricycles	51 ,,	1,258	Pollard	16 bshl.	1
Billiard Tables—Materials	9 ,,	220	Rice	317 cwt.	218
Biscuits	99,346 lb.	3,022	Wheat	24 bshl.	4
Blankets	3 pkg.	33	Grease	61 cwt.	30
Boots and Shoes	567 ,,	15,934	Grindery	18 pkg.	214
Brassware	2 ,,	10	Hardware and Ironmongery	279 ,,	896
Brushware and Brooms	24 ,,	125	Hats and Caps	2 ,,	25
Butter	57,142 lb.	3,039	Honey	14,166 lb.	176
			Hops	1,348 ,,	66
Candles	34,955 ,,	682	India-rubber Goods	5 pkg.	111
Canvas	4 pkg.	9	Instruments—		
Carpeting	1 ,,	1	Optical	4 ,,	150
Carriages (complete), Carts, &c.—			Other Scientific	1 ,,	55
Carriages	10 No.	243	Instruments (Musical)—		
Carriage Makers' Materials	35 pkg.	97	Harmoniums and Organs	1 No.	20
Cement	260 brls.	127	Pianofortes	9 ,,	303
Cheese	57,497 lb.	1,266	Other	2 pkg.	2
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	127 pkg.	228	Iron and Steel—		
Chicory, prepared	78 lb.	3	Angle, Bar and Rod	189 cwt.	228
Chinaware and Porcelain	55 pkg.	398	Pipes	164 ,,	250
Coal	92,889 tons	37,156	Other Wrought	72 ,,	63
Cocoa (Prepared) and Chocolate	3,624 lb.	203	Nails	90 ,,	71
Coffee (Prepared)	1,778 ,,	90	Wire Rope	40 ,,	90
Coke	1,175 tons	1,762	Galvanised—Manufactures	1 ,,	2
Confectionery	146,167 lb.	3,590	,, Sheets and Bars	123 ,,	90
Cordage and Rope	12 cwt.	33	,, Wire	8 ,,	24
Cordials—not containing Spirit	189doz.bott.	88	Jams and Jellies	506,696 lb.	7,049
Cream of Tartar	112 lb.	4	Jewellery	5 pkg.	297
Cutlery	19 pkg.	489	Lampware	4 ,,	8
Drapery(not otherwise enumerated)	67 ,,	1,464	Lard	11,477 lb.	218
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated)	338 ,,	1,555	Leather	11 pkg.	84
Dyes and Dye Ware	2 ,,	2	Lime juice (in bulk)	887 gal.	106
			,, (in bottle)	24 ,,	5
Earthenware—Crockeryware	27 ,,	165	Linseed	1 cwt.	1
Eggs	1,260 doz.	66	Machinery—		
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	134 pkg.	1,913	Agricultural	4 pkg.	5
Farinaceous and Milk Foods	48 lb.	2	Other	444 ,,	2,716
Fish—Dried and Preserved	2,642 ,,	63	Malt	56 bshl.	13
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	10 pkg.	47	Matches—Wax	15 pkg.	25
Fruit—Fresh	3,281 ,,	1,450	Mats and Matting	2 ,,	6
Dried—Currants and Raisins	3,950 lb.	83	Mattresses	11 ,,	19
Dates	125 ,,	1	Meat—Bacon and Ham	199,085 lb.	5,032
Other Dried & Candied	14,918 ,,	323	Preserved	5,282 ,,	159
Edible Nuts—Cocoanuts	500 No.	3	Milk—Condensed and Preserved	10,754 ,,	217
Other	2,268 lb.	48	Molasses	45 cwt.	49
Fruit Salts	18 ,,	3	Mustard	240 lb.	9
Furniture and Upholstery—			Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated)	96 pkg.	171
Furniture	257 pkg.	1,795	Oils (in Bulk)—		
Furs	2 ,,	150	Castor	48 gal.	2
			Kerosene	320 ,,	10
			Other	1,154 ,,	146

No. 17.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales *via* Victoria and South Australia, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
At Broken Hill and Riverina—*continued.*					
		£			£
Oils (in Bottle)—			Spirits—*continued*—		
Castor	18doz.bott.	3	Essences (flavouring)	224 gal.	382
Salad	127 ,,	15	Perfumes and Perfumed Waters	49 ,,	209
Other	53 ,,	28	Sarsaparilla	45 ,,	53
Paints and Colours—			Tinctures, Fluid Extracts, &c.	30 ,,	87
Paints—Mixed for use	2 cwt.	5	Methylated	141 ,,	16
,, Dry	2 ,,	2	All other	38 ,,	95
Paper, Books, &c.—			Starch and Starch Powders	624 lb.	8
Bags (plain)	458 ,,	426	Stationery	102 pkg.	635
Brown and Wrapping	68 ,,	65	Sugar—		
Circulars and Advertising Matter	9 pkg.	81	Raw	729 cwt.	628
Printing and News-paper	49 ,,	52	Refined	10 ,,	23
Books and Periodicals	49 ,,	716	Tapioca and Semolina	448 lb.	3
Paperhangings	3 ,,	11	Tarpaulins and Tents	5 pkg.	41
Pepper	1,802 lb.	48	Tea	19,303 lb.	851
Personal Effects	236 pkg.	497	Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials	174 pkg.	657
Pickles and Sauces	736 doz. bot.	164	Timber—		
Pitch and Tar	2 brls.	4	Dressed	168 sup. ft.	3
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees	1 pkg.	2	Doors	9 No.	8
Plate and Plated Ware—Silver	10 ,,	218	Rough	7,294 sup. ft.	55
,, Other	1 ,,	33	Sashes	3 No.	3
Playing Cards	18doz.pkts.	5	Tinware	2pkg.	9
Potatoes	8 cwt.	4	Tobacco—		
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c.	2 pkg.	4	Manufactured	42,458 lb.	7,411
Powders—Baking	11,179 lb.	484	Cigars	1,501 ,,	914
Preserves	5,497 ,,	93	Cigarettes	3,839 ,,	1,776
Printers' Materials	53 pkg.	165	Tobacco Pipes	21 pkg.	464
Saddler's Ware	19 ,,	229	Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated)	26 ,,	87
Saddles and Harness	9 ,,	49	Turnery and Woodenware	7 ,,	10
Sago	199 lb.	2	Turpentine	16 gal.	2
Seeds	6 pkg.	14			
Sewing Machines	1 ,,	9	Varnish—Without Spirit	38 ,,	28
Slates—Roofing	770 No.	16	Vegetables—		
Soap—			Fresh	4 pkg.	11
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented	621 lb.	83	Preserved	240 lb.	9
Common	1,003 cwt.	1,464	Vinegar	248 gal.	37
Spices	60 lb.	3	Watches and Clocks	23 pkg.	186
Spirits—			Wines—		
Brandy	273 gal.	369	Sparkling	4 gal.	6
Geneva and Schnapps	175 ,,	192	Other	6,010 ,,	2,323
Gin	2 ,,	2	Other Articles not Classified	820 pkg.	1,256
Rum	27 ,,	38			
Whisky	749 ,,	857	Total Value	..... £	155,052
All other (Intoxicants)	63 ,,	119			
Bitters	96 ,,	45			
At Sydney.					
		£			£
Ale and Beer (in bottle)	204 gal.	46	Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	10 pkg.	92
Confectionery	25 lb.	1	Fruit—Currants and Raisins	43,680 lb.	656
			Total Value	..... £	795

No. 18.—Goods Reintroduced into New South Wales, 1893–98.

[*Via* Victoria and South Australia.]

Year.	At Sydney and Newcastle.	At Riverina and Broken Hill.	Total.
	£	£	£
1893	34,812	203,454	238,266
1894	62,528	223,927	286,455
1895	66,303	184,647	250,950
1896	....	.....	154,769
1897	2,685	151,345	154,030
1898	795	155,052	155,847

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1895-98.

Article.		Quantities.				Value.			
		1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
						£	£	£	£
Acids	gal.	12,222	25,472	24,436	20,847	2,035	4,685	4,542	3,425
	lbs.	301,680	320,185	482,191	532,292	12,803	15,794	19,278	16,079
	pkg.	2,167	2,991	3,143	2,287	5,421	7,127	9,848	5,932
Aerated Waters, Cordials, &c.	dz.bt.	18,428	32,164	37,314	37,388	4,473	8,043	9,758	8,483
Agricultural Implements	pkg.	6,978	10,713	15,633	22,209	35,124	70,975	96,574	124,863
Ale and Beer, in wood	gal.	963,516	843,676	902,343	811,558	88,888	84,331	87,059	75,338
,, in bottle	,,	803,689	938,170	1,063,074	876,343	145,232	176,333	203,983	174,538
Alkalies	lb.	8,771,468	9,724,530	9,963,316	9,445,864	26,013	31,744	34,217	31,192
Animals (Live)—									
Horses	No.	4,222	6,918	7,885	5,138	83,937	82,990	114,264	103,509
Cattle	,,	91,296	268,428	155,114	196,101	278,436	564,588	454,671	637,605
Sheep	,,	420,374	1,010,176	1,171,794	700,718	156,609	317,909	327,360	227,329
Apparel (wearing)	pkg.	32,421	37,276	41,847	34,798	832,043	910,666	961,236	900,218
Arms, Ammunition, Explosives, &c.—									
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	,,	472	844	715	1,007	7,634	13,111	12,998	35,181
Shot	cwt.	3,283	4,590	4,523	5,356	2,585	4,210	4,341	5,146
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	pkg.	2,167	5,326	12,284	7,081	11,095	19,417	28,174	36,149
Powder (blasting and sporting)	lb.	958,683	1,287,401	1,226,687	1,071,921	25,867	33,669	32,787	29,106
Dynamite and other blasting compounds	pkg.	349	2,283	4,687	424	2,217	10,386	11,387	4,275
	lb.	455,800	800,238	929,800	1,009,296	36,843	48,553	63,762	74,372
Bags and Sacks	pkg.	7,045	824	1,364	2,623	4,473	4,439	7,132	19,736
	doz.	514,300	628,541	665,274	777,476	71,613	99,094	107,355	138,134
Bark (Wattle and other non-medicinal)	cwt.	80,990	93,695	44,818	62,673	19,654	23,382	11,393	15,586
Baskets and Basket-ware	pkg.	600	765	973	1,064	2,869	3,326	5,068	5,523
Beche-de-mer and Fungus	,,	657	3,027	845	3,289	962	4,421	1,393	3,349
	cwt.	742	888	458	1,847	1,109	1,536	1,334	4,465
Bedsteads	pkg.	1,622	2,975	3,229	3,693	13,736	24,179	25,162	29,278
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts	,,	1,135	6,160	8,506	5,579	35,022	205,499	236,003	126,138
Billiard Tables and Materials	,,	121	186	226	199	1,431	2,586	2,941	3,357
Blacking and Boot Polish	,,	4,017	4,637	4,030	5,584	7,384	9,326	10,641	13,216
Blankets	,,	2,567	3,084	3,408	2,969	41,092	47,223	55,465	49,564
Blue	lb.	485,162	528,250	411,297	633,927	11,797	12,598	9,931	15,021
Boots and Shoes	pkg.	20,687	26,423	20,891	22,856	297,763	381,233	303,579	316,650
Bottles (empty)	,,	10,361	13,543	20,947	22,120	14,116	23,474	27,997	34,109
Brassware	,,	1,512	1,126	1,564	1,469	26,470	20,066	31,412	27,918
Brushware and Brooms	,,	2,684	3,639	3,611	3,228	22,189	27,307	29,357	30,790
Butter	lb.	2,199,261	2,114,126	2,884,287	1,367,760	92,846	85,606	120,885	65,228
Candles	,,	2,390,349	3,331,172	2,949,116	3,102,228	43,449	59,840	51,112	53,837
Canvas	pkg.	1,563	3,330	3,455	2,997	30,834	40,582	58,618	49,841
Carpeting and Druggeting	,,	1,272	2,007	2,254	2,043	23,611	28,957	40,458	39,439
Carriages (complete)	No.	262	252	277	306	5,341	6,572	9,140	9,090
Carts and Waggons	,,	276	403	406	267	2,627	5,308	7,061	4,280
Carriage Makers' Materials	pkg.	13,781	19,472	28,795	21,922	26,323	38,511	65,988	47,947
Cement	brls.	162,621	126,242	184,331	183,651	66,152	47,805	80,642	83,716
Cheese	lb.	265,511	1,214,506	821,223	2,122,112	6,352	16,811	17,819	42,762
Chrome Ore	cwt.	75,589	128,710	53,769	94,098	13,341	21,984	9,848	16,554
Cocoa (prepared) & Chocolate	lb.	553,842	667,196	787,742	1,040,814	37,098	43,310	49,038	61,730
Coffee (raw and prepared)	,,	967,759	678,871	803,272	785,395	34,308	25,413	29,383	26,259
Coin—									
Gold	boxes.	26	120	239	521	55,845	481,420	1,149,819	3,664,796
Silver	,,	87	46	124	292	21,894	9,800	26,326	57,202
Bronze	,,	150	256	231	400	1,500	2,575	2,312	4,000
Coke	tons.	42,526	43,134	32,451	4,000	26,832	135,107	102,396	12,347
Confectionery	lb.	478,893	651,724	727,184	885,096	16,091	20,196	23,022	28,074
Copper Ore	cwt.	7,475	6,202	27,571	19,934	4,124	2,595	18,488	8,049
Copra	,,	125,151	144,880	223,655	278,234	53,021	68,036	105,954	152,752
Cordage and Rope (exclusive of Wire Rope)	,,	10,904	18,282	22,333	26,862	23,842	42,212	51,243	56,592
Corks and Bungs	pkg.	2,184	2,625	1,946	2,046	14,415	18,840	14,698	14,797
Cream of Tartar	lb.	773,879	716,899	1,083,663	1,091,409	26,107	31,172	43,946	41,644
Cutlery	pkg.	1,519	1,561	1,836	1,815	33,722	39,392	46,095	47,180
Drapery (including Furs)	,,	56,383	63,124	53,407	65,808	1,858,628	1,972,058	1,605,039	1,736,655
Drugs, and Apothecaries' Ware	,,	23,721	24,826	30,209	25,596	138,572	166,696	200,336	176,250
Dyes and Dye Ware	,,	2,516	2,466	1,983	2,188	7,236	8,225	10,307	9,858

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1895-98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Earthenware, Chinaware, and Porcelain ..	pkg. 9,745	10,152	13,925	13,205	57,476	68,145	110,858	98,428
	No. 299	1,268	2,257	2,186	23	149	282	250
Eggs	doz. 623,290	392,628	285,439	321,439	18,216	15,941	13,227	14,333
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	pkg. 11,242	11,553	18,268	10,790	98,240	119,526	125,188	115,114
Farinaceous and Milk Foods..	lb. 161,668	477,703	617,011	778,649	9,112	11,641	13,651	17,522
Fish (fresh and preserved)	pkg. 7,778	5,685	5,205	7,249	5,997	5,002	3,597	6,627
	lb. 3,205,312	4,757,989	6,134,420	6,660,143	65,128	98,621	126,407	132,458
Flax and Hemp (exclusive of Phormium Tenax).. ..	pkg. 4,308	4,958	4,638	3,512	11,445	14,048	12,174	10,171
Floorcloth and Oilcloth ..	,, 7,960	7,154	9,432	9,280	58,115	55,038	76,115	76,143
Fruit—								
Fresh..	,, 908,103	1,317,722	1,397,335	1,105,942	158,530	253,770	238,106	200,301
Dried and Candied ..	lb. 8,826,414	10,323,770	10,620,079	8,316,724	72,153	89,545	121,058	99,192
Other (including Edible Nuts) ..	No. 180,696	351,719	365,857	431,871	549	1,095	1,293	1,541
	lb. 917,725	1,687,986	1,894,372	3,020,012	12,079	20,849	21,801	30,874
	doz. bot. 2,624	1,819	2,102	3,498	1,045	825	943	1,428
	pkg.	638	.....	.....	.....	1,188	.....	.....
Fruit Salts	lb. 13,268	35,470	38,715	27,538	2,048	5,543	6,386	4,622
Furniture (including Springs and Materials)	pkg. 11,918	18,673	22,497	28,501	35,081	62,296	72,852	92,270
Upholstery	,, 3,954	3,984	3,155	4,334	19,680	22,624	30,830	43,088
Gas-fittings	,, 1,895	1,728	2,543	963	13,848	13,701	17,882	15,342
Gelatine and Isinglass ..	lb. 88,308	158,276	128,102	183,169	6,321	9,187	10,076	13,082
Glass	pkg. 16,952	33,427	18,173	23,024	21,576	42,639	32,263	38,732
Glassware	,, 8,283	8,957	12,936	14,127	27,463	34,580	54,719	52,365
Gloves	,, 1,692	1,636	1,582	1,436	81,062	90,592	80,638	84,654
Gold—								
Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte	oz. 541,569	528,381	571,186	528,171	2,010,239	1,988,614	2,041,646	1,913,267
Grain, Pulse, &c.—								
Barley	bshl. 11,833	63,400	77,811	96,736	1,277	9,112	11,949	19,698
Bran and Pollard	,, 585,726	561,607	869,304	303,395	22,060	24,836	35,148	12,730
Maize..	,, 2,489	111,018	339,643	225,860	456	15,045	29,650	28,664
Oats	,, 816,045	988,880	829,303	915,456	73,987	105,956	93,740	101,800
Wheat	,, 359,152	2,502,478	909,935	523,762	58,357	559,205	190,483	87,556
Flour..	centals. 385,560	1,125,832	1,119,879	410,737	144,666	536,460	624,208	214,464
Oatmeal	cwt. 25,969	29,964	29,730	36,033	14,829	20,601	22,451	26,532
Rice	,, 121,805	130,516	146,823	146,769	64,254	67,972	73,846	94,467
Grindery..	pkg. 4,537	6,308	4,808	7,909	33,184	36,803	33,430	43,639
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware) ..	,, 69,872	73,741	78,988	78,104	201,404	261,190	302,495	282,560
Hats and Caps	,, 9,919	9,876	11,645	11,746	172,056	160,576	174,538	176,980
Hay and Chaff	cwt. 1,155,468	1,050,467	923,202	1,239,119	186,546	238,849	213,466	205,794
Hops	lb. 1,029,046	1,397,658	1,059,536	1,248,805	33,641	40,701	37,403	54,672
India-rubber Goods—(including Engine Packing) ..	pkg. 2,374	3,071	3,176	2,879	28,355	36,374	41,448	50,336
Instruments—Scientific (including Dentists' Tools and Materials)	,, 1,119	1,222	1,453	1,649	18,864	26,805	35,312	42,440
Instruments (Musical)—								
Pianos, Harmoniums, and Organs	No. 1,936	2,971	3,618	3,070	39,037	67,510	87,885	67,266
All other (including Materials)	pkg. 704	926	1,133	1,305	8,135	15,340	22,795	23,606
Iron and Steel—								
Pig Iron and Castings, other than pipes ..	cwt. 146,325	176,940	337,363	256,600	28,087	35,356	64,864	49,143
Pipes	,, 94,352	143,254	110,834	143,007	61,279	86,540	67,919	89,108
Manufactured Wrought-iron (including Wire Rope)	,, 365,792	395,710	441,450	471,256	153,014	191,905	232,355	244,374
	pkg. 118	236	292	393	1,478	4,253	5,135	8,307
	No. 6,492	7,186	7,158	8,941	13,193	13,370	14,235	19,021
Wire (Black and Galvanised)	cwt. 263,564	317,890	368,994	328,624	97,622	138,928	178,053	138,949
Nails	,, 44,492	59,377	43,332	46,042	25,704	33,422	27,094	28,507
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	,, 224,802	277,126	281,296	261,762	160,932	211,402	215,264	198,057
,, Manufactures..	,, 3,750	2,554	3,093	3,004	4,672	3,453	4,404	4,109
,, Wire Netting..	,, 8,820	21,001	30,301	10,611	8,177	21,331	29,427	9,987
Jams and Jellies	lb. 418,116	1,431,317	1,269,556	1,148,797	7,255	24,463	21,752	19,158
Jewellery and Precious Stones	pkg. 2,255	1,490	2,230	2,278	71,203	105,858	133,383	157,726

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Kapok .. .. pkg.	5,404	10,331	9,819	11,801	9,678	18,936	19,760	20,096
Lampware .. .. .. ,,	3,960	4,767	5,740	4,737	16,829	22,255	27,743	20,019
Lead .. .. cwt.	94,519	151,741	109,823	47,799	45,329	76,488	61,965	27,899
Leather .. .. pkg.	3,147	3,548	3,184	3,535	75,681	81,502	75,143	98,348
Machinery .. .. .. ,,	29,201	44,903	58,915	55,720	227,354	477,154	517,948	598,708
Weighing Machines .. ,,	354	555	499	465	1,901	2,743	2,240	2,998
Malt .. .. bshl.	341,799	354,330	393,409	448,172	86,871	89,667	106,249	124,534
Marble and Marble Mantelpieces (exclusive of Statuary and Monuments) .. pkg.	9,784	10,706	12,800	16,318	9,047	8,639	12,128	15,969
Matches and Vestas .. .. ,,	41,213	36,605	37,404	37,757	56,045	50,613	55,939	56,262
Mats and Matting .. .. ,,	3,348	4,567	5,200	3,356	7,073	9,756	11,879	9,315
Meat—								
Bacon and Ham .. .. lb.	566,730	1,059,102	1,664,576	1,442,535	20,903	33,362	49,166	37,857
Extract of Beef .. .. ,,	6,841	214,379	71,216	281,666	2,249	32,581	15,230	41,543
Preserved .. .. .. ,,	731,203	5,316,284	1,441,423	2,204,565	12,310	78,580	30,183	39,639
All other kinds .. { cwt.	4,175	5,187	2,849	5,905	5,010	5,934	3,283	5,680
All other kinds .. { pkg.	99	169	413	74	106	331	229	151
All other kinds .. { No.	.....	103	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....
Milk—Condensed and Preserved .. .. .. lb.	2,669,685	2,806,654	3,077,637	3,628,542	59,454	59,997	63,429	71,058
Millinery .. .. .. pkg.	1,017	1,752	1,942	2,325	21,655	37,231	50,605	60,206
Molasses .. .. cwt.	4,028	6,700	11,600	7,441	2,958	5,895	8,246	6,169
Mustard .. .. lb.	404,188	436,116	436,502	309,733	21,902	23,528	22,380	15,722
Oils (in bulk and bottle)—								
Castor .. .. { gal.	292,522	224,390	191,780	292,933	23,358	18,887	19,585	34,543
Castor .. .. { doz. bot.	10,422	18,085	17,886	14,530	1,509	2,330	2,438	1,874
China .. .. .. gal.	46,745	52,952	81,214	75,181	4,279	5,110	8,359	7,562
Kerosene .. .. .. ,,	2,569,672	2,520,044	2,913,419	3,625,882	79,225	87,675	98,455	112,738
Linseed .. .. .. ,,	268,977	380,058	381,998	300,838	27,506	37,868	35,467	27,764
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. pkg.	10,655	11,211	16,526	15,422	14,703	22,553	30,770	27,372
Onions .. .. cwt.	123,019	108,557	115,965	106,508	20,709	38,783	38,918	42,679
Opium .. .. lb.	19,545	20,456	18,694	16,690	31,909	32,063	30,821	28,156
Oysters (Fresh) .. .. pkg.	7,345	5,629	2,767	7,110	6,286	6,123	3,103	5,322
Paints and Colours (Dry and in Oil) .. .. .. cwt.	56,352	71,920	67,777	79,341	65,728	80,001	81,547	97,676
Paper, Books, &c.—								
Books and Periodicals .. pkg.	9,258	9,913	11,498	10,819	123,321	138,904	145,838	151,323
Printing and News-paper .. ,,	25,450	26,292	36,189	35,170	119,341	117,142	155,316	153,996
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes ,,	5,260	3,985	4,979	4,264	32,403	34,727	40,381	34,520
All other .. .. { cwt.	49,830	50,941	61,473	37,850	59,331	44,926	48,542	35,966
All other .. .. { pkg.	4	16,422	3,729	4,140	4	19,816	20,106	21,216
Paper-hangings .. .. ,,	2,306	3,073	3,199	3,303	11,747	16,596	16,415	17,633
Pepper .. .. lb.	341,381	302,095	286,341	293,237	5,099	4,767	5,608	8,060
Photographic Materials .. pkg.	1,557	2,105	2,591	2,895	15,756	22,479	24,810	29,537
Pickles and Sauces .. doz. bot.	145,427	174,734	172,040	154,048	44,345	52,826	47,489	46,777
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs .. .. .. pkg.	1,022	938	1,056	917	8,926	11,385	21,739	24,482
Picture Frames and Mouldings ,,	465	815	780	741	6,467	13,360	11,860	11,725
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees .. ,,	2,672	1,977	1,856	1,860	4,840	4,882	4,158	5,850
Plate and Plated Ware .. ,,	1,557	1,981	2,491	3,118	41,657	69,138	81,431	92,473
Portmanteaus, Travelling Bags, &c. .. .. .. ,,	1,167	1,037	1,377	1,163	7,571	7,418	8,801	8,401
Potatoes .. .. cwt.	1,003,507	1,055,588	1,181,507	646,888	114,989	190,304	191,968	216,333
Preserves .. .. .. lb.	544,407	691,734	1,123,588	1,316,667	11,153	13,637	17,375	17,577
Printers' Materials .. .. pkg.	2,122	11,044	3,426	4,269	16,062	16,812	21,719	26,213
Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails) { cwt.	102,520	390,620	219,800	205,560	21,729	63,704	63,451	53,377
Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails) { pkg.	20,032	18,183	23,340	47,397	41,571	83,335	89,544	114,462
Saddlers' Ware .. .. .. ,,	2,686	2,226	3,555	3,277	32,800	24,632	39,000	40,666
Saddles and Harness .. .. ,,	1,412	1,981	2,459	2,044	19,411	24,590	26,157	24,238
Salt (rock and other) .. { cwt.	743,460	650,785	815,662	780,285	58,865	49,477	59,068	55,267
Salt (rock and other) .. { pkg.	1,688	2,571	1,328	1,776	614	1,013	622	792
Sausage Skins, &c. .. .. ,,	2,414	3,230	2,472	2,156	7,871	9,936	8,265	8,380

No. 19.—Principal Articles Imported, 1895-98,—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Seeds .. .. pkg.	10,697	12,462	9,734	11,772	21,283	25,928	20,363	23,219
Sewing Machines .. .. ,,	7,057	10,478	10,713	9,616	23,777	28,420	28,939	29,892
Ship-chandlery .. .. .. ,,	1,054	1,184	1,024	2,172	6,516	8,491	9,061	15,686
Silks .. .. ,,	2,615	1,812	1,699	1,605	91,243	95,123	97,871	100,420
Silver Ore .. .. .. cwt.	18,154	296,724	25,360	18,973	12,255	134,554	7,736	7,525
,, contained in Matte .. oz.	16,184	127,268	61,987	.....	2,022	15,849	7,100	.....
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle .. .. No.	312,793	299,515	320,716	365,690	150,653	182,335	193,316	224,673
Sheep .. .. pkg.	12,213	13,421	12,979	8,715	84,036	96,789	92,327	65,478
Other .. .. .. { No.	5,767	8,596	2,938	2,213	4,461	5,858	1,330	741
Other .. .. .. { pkg.	3,235	3,719	3,388	3,822	41,367	40,217	34,746	46,911
Slates (Roofing and Slabs) .. No.	956,599	2,223,283	1,911,080	1,897,353	7,608	20,454	17,513	20,534
Soap—								
Toilet, Fancy, and Scented lb.	165,023	310,275	405,950	584,261	12,178	23,485	29,346	28,723
Common .. .. .. cwt.	16,560	30,196	30,318	51,019	22,013	42,083	39,796	61,498
Spices .. .. lb.	282,857	337,504	270,786	224,991	7,641	8,580	6,864	6,178
Spirits—								
Brandy .. .. .. gal.	148,920	157,629	173,901	206,205	68,910	84,218	88,396	103,049
Geneva, Gin, and Schnapps ,,	183,973	199,883	181,520	187,425	48,620	50,474	49,025	51,285
Whisky .. .. ,,	514,262	494,351	514,355	612,931	180,523	179,447	191,951	231,993
Rum .. .. ,,	161,418	198,548	216,602	161,368	22,125	26,695	29,204	21,091
Liqueurs .. .. ,,	6,984	7,873	13,397	8,483	3,171	4,016	6,029	4,048
Starch and Starch Powders .. lb.	1,918,824	2,984,057	3,153,141	3,457,842	21,999	30,236	31,761	37,310
Stationery (Sundries) .. .. pkg.	14,658	20,370	20,630	20,898	93,795	125,497	143,596	145,136
Statuary and Monuments .. ,,	698	439	172	344	2,469	2,894	2,078	2,939
Stones (Building, &c.) { tons	63,068	31,241	10,628	9,649	11,555	4,777	1,440	1,314
Stones (Building, &c.) { pkg.	817	5,859	1,243	1,652	1,210	2,081	2,373	3,015
Stones (Building, &c.) { No.	6,739	6,001	1,600	6,757	13,948	1,327	1,600	1,718
Straw .. .. cwt.	33,902	93,074	94,080	61,794	3,532	12,463	11,606	6,432
Sugar (Raw and Refined) .. ,,	728,505	769,861	800,363	1,226,066	485,044	531,794	546,776	769,367
Sulphur .. .. ,,	34,023	26,193	45,018	36,326	6,560	4,447	6,791	5,793
Tallow .. .. ,,	333,927	184,097	133,954	208,561	300,783	163,803	108,393	173,100
Tapioca and Semolina .. lb.	1,908,288	2,524,256	2,208,511	3,817,019	7,977	9,404	8,209	10,780
Tea .. .. ,,	12,591,422	10,074,903	12,192,603	12,085,965	361,699	288,184	345,609	344,693
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials .. .. pkg.	1,928	2,953	5,676	5,781	29,341	39,369	76,858	67,061
Timber—								
Rough .. .. sup. ft.	49,232,055	52,658,742	67,265,849	62,949,099	239,541	268,364	328,753	302,488
Dressed .. .. .. ,,	5,458,823	6,619,688	8,723,450	10,448,236	35,986	47,959	65,567	65,216
Doors .. .. No.	15,277	33,511	36,999	46,036	7,224	14,428	15,715	19,556
Laths, Palings, and Shingles .. .. .. ,,	7,262,113	5,561,246	6,075,852	7,470,489	6,432	4,179	5,648	6,765
Tin—Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	18,641	17,918	13,641	9,425	54,540	53,101	41,027	32,249
Ore .. .. ,,	29,399	21,125	13,023	10,914	54,196	33,977	20,902	18,533
Tin Plates .. .. .. pkg.	113,505	118,733	62,566	112,678	74,574	70,669	40,070	74,612
Tinware .. .. ,,	2,649	2,383	3,980	3,182	10,124	8,873	11,126	10,179
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured .. .. lb.	597,184	1,034,250	942,141	1,315,498	21,130	30,501	28,436	41,021
Manufactured .. .. ,,	1,243,220	1,530,224	1,618,325	1,459,486	82,988	102,448	108,680	105,045
Cigars .. .. .. ,,	259,598	306,270	353,912	298,763	59,522	69,958	92,289	77,476
Cigarettes .. .. .. ,,	106,216	101,037	149,126	173,873	28,975	28,816	41,869	49,234
Tobacco Pipes .. .. .. pkg.	2,511	1,447	1,754	1,502	17,784	24,476	31,997	25,928
Toys .. .. ,,	3,804	3,274	4,944	5,598	39,128	32,551	50,091	53,407
Turnery and Woodenware .. ,,	29,817	14,385	40,435	39,142	9,554	9,172	16,282	12,926
Turpentine .. .. .. gal.	119,449	98,297	105,405	140,145	11,013	8,889	9,245	14,814
Type-writing Machines .. pkg.	474	1,196	1,057	709	9,417	17,046	16,504	10,713
Varnish .. .. gal.	41,793	55,493	49,724	65,386	17,446	22,637	21,152	27,701
Vegetables—								
Fresh .. .. pkg.	65,622	63,944	88,283	47,844	19,435	29,285	37,770	27,163
Preserved .. .. .. lb.	184,323	465,809	479,067	456,031	3,324	7,763	7,055	6,891
Vinegar .. .. gal.	93,669	124,514	120,255	181,293	9,922	13,343	11,545	20,075
Watches and Clocks .. .. pkg.	2,178	3,161	3,789	3,792	34,060	41,981	56,633	60,700
Wines, Sparkling .. .. gal.	13,113	17,703	17,265	16,580	24,745	34,333	34,013	33,100
,, Other .. .. .. ,,	71,345	76,763	80,151	80,021	23,655	26,838	28,510	26,568
Wool—Greasy .. .. .. lb.	26,082,516	28,314,891	22,368,414	25,150,623	685,866	786,565	647,742	750,983
Scoured and Washed .. ,,	5,464,585	6,185,960	4,920,789	6,740,541	282,482	300,392	244,889	337,905
Woolpacks .. .. .. No.	1,066,226	1,072,812	986,074	984,944	72,827	71,327	63,964	63,593
Yellow Metal .. .. .. pkg.	2,116	2,134	1,402	2,204	16,105	18,579	13,858	20,450
Zinc .. .. cwt.	19,970	34,138	37,437	31,429	16,398	30,323	36,165	33,246

No. 20.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported, 1895–98.

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Acids .. .. cwt.	4,861	1,895	961	467	3,886	1,008	636	278
Acids .. .. pkg.	772	218	250	131	1,122	437	475	309
Aerated and mineral waters .. .. doz. bot.	7,895	11,724	10,597	10,311	1,141	1,615	1,581	1,489
Agricultural Implements pkg.	265	477	268	264	846	2,118	1,246	1,482
Ale and Beer (in wood) .. gal.	2,651	2,409	1,851	2,616	148	164	114	184
,, (in bottle) .. ,,	434	466	628	6,609	63	91	96	937
Alkalies .. .. .. cwt.	480	302	605	803	92	54	113	150
Alunite .. .. .. ,,	16,640	27,440	14,490	58,820	3,328	4,116	2,172	8,823
Animals (Live)—								
Horses .. .. .. No.	5,186	8,138	8,701	7,809	94,075	123,448	162,409	168,288
Cattle .. .. .. ,,	37,897	29,448	45,409	48,678	117,437	152,128	184,014	259,665
Sheep .. .. .. ,,	966,031	726,400	998,464	1,280,964	284,477	242,283	381,387	478,856
Pigs .. .. .. ,,	832	1,997	6,361	11,494	790	2,311	9,675	15,121
Other .. .. .. ,,	180	84	161	176	623	311	366	473
Antimony .. .. .. cwt.	9,408	2,655	3,382	1,647	7,251	1,834	3,612	916
Apparel (wearing) .. pkg.	236	336	314	505	3,287	4,056	2,958	3,180
Asphalt and Bitumen .. cwt.	1,441	2,021	1,379	3,045	271	895	599	1,494
Bags and Sacks .. .. pkg.	.....	1	174	208	.....	6	113	113
Bark—Wattle and other non-medicinal .. cwt.	6,571	4,000	8,057	6,050	1,604	893	2,370	1,360
Bedsteads .. .. .. pkg.	18	10	46	95	49	17	191	266
Belting (Leather).. .. ,,	123	135	178	208	2,796	3,260	5,345	5,496
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof .. ,,	.....	.....	2	1	.....	.....	14	15
Biscuits .. .. .. lb.	259,309	512,361	733,808	654,934	3,828	7,536	11,606	10,938
Bismuth .. .. .. cwt.	.....	820	62	587	.....	490	800	4,615
Blue .. .. lb.	6,760	3,090	3,360	1,350	169	70	71	30
Boats .. .. .. No.	69	83	67	101	1,762	1,980	2,292	3,358
Bones .. .. .. cwt.	76,454	63,233	85,390	60,514	13,808	12,126	16,059	10,665
Boots and Shoes .. .. pkg.	529	653	647	645	7,366	14,630	15,590	12,049
Bottles (Empty) .. .. ,,	1,358	3,300	4,374	5,724	1,465	4,599	4,764	7,594
Brassware .. .. .. ,,	29	17	32	48	298	97	175	368
Bread and Dough .. lb.	.....	.....	1,945,642	449,740	.....	.....	11,585	2,334
Brushware and Brooms.. pkg.	1,967	1,551	1,084	1,831	1,167	920	816	1,385
Brushmakers' materials.. ,,	286	534	303	228	729	1,568	376	651
Building materials (not otherwise enumerated) ,,	471	657	855	1,615	1,077	1,471	4,877	7,218
Butter .. .. .. lb.	2,028,349	2,565,806	6,526,673	8,949,588	57,575	102,502	258,725	376,421
Candles .. .. .. ,,	14,275	24,774	9,218	6,750	264	506	166	122
Carriages (complete) .. No.	120	310	191	159	3,441	5,659	4,438	3,195
Carriage Makers' Materials pkg.	24,364	13,877	39,384	41,251	2,852	4,318	3,991	7,193
Carts and waggons .. No.	97	221	166	168	1,054	2,882	1,921	2,321
Cement .. .. .. brls.	2	17	142	12	1	11	78	7
Cheese .. .. .. lb.	158,096	141,777	549,730	320,759	2,798	2,620	10,394	7,188
Chemical products (not otherwise enumerated.. pkg.	412	302	367	764	579	631	806	1,408
Chrome Ore .. .. .. cwt.	84,589	77,035	67,591	42,218	13,048	11,280	10,269	6,301
Coal .. .. tons	2,166,230	2,474,907	2,696,623	2,791,796	773,954	900,264	952,054	962,668
Cobalt Ore .. .. .. cwt.	110	.....	.....	2,337	26	.....	.....	560
Cocoa, prepared .. .. lb.	.....	623	5,090	8,197	.....	45	320	535
Coffee ,, ... ,,	8,764	13,305	10,791	9,191	419	624	501	436
Coin—								
Gold .. .. ..boxes	.....	279	268	272	644,476	1,416,456	1,322,682	1,355,582
Coke .. .. .. tons	8,807	5,434	31,714	30,791	8,525	4,523	27,045	25,066
Confectionery .. .. lb.	8,726	17,766	15,251	19,006	227	445	370	487
Copper—								
Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	52,603	79,247	81,706	104,037	112,866	180,908	192,976	257,143
Other .. .. ,,	20,080	.....	.....	.....	21,230	.....	.....	.....
Other .. .. pkg.	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
Ore .. .. .. cwt.	1,080	297	3,325	3,569	346	75	851	839
Contained in Matte .. ,,	3,260	9,813	53,417	9,042	6,424	19,328	106,853	22,905
Cordage and Rope .. ,,	3,109	3,012	2,908	9,607	6,552	6,461	5,792	19,683
Corks and Bungs.. .. pkg.	11	9	6	6	41	11	8	8
Cream .. .. .. gal.	.....	.....	.....	9,620	.....	.....	.....	1,546
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated) .. pkg.	23	113	113	147	325	1,729	1,374	2,708
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated) .. ,,	1,169	1,607	2,029	3,240	5,911	8,083	10,745	17,678

No. 20.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Earthenware and China-ware . . pkg.	15	166	201	152	42	1,120	844	415
Earthenware and China-ware . . No.	.....	716	1,005	234	.....	12	40	8
Eggs . . . . doz.	1,516	101,329	198,308	264,720	93	3,331	6,450	9,643
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated) . . pkg.	54	44	51	98	349	244	386	1,180
Fish—Fresh and Preserved . . ,,	9,061	4,794	1,911	2,066	11,473	5,694	1,276	3,088
Fish—Fresh and Preserved . . lb.	462	144	452	122	9	3	16	4
Fruit—								
Fresh . . . . pkg.	371,610	499,020	467,638	590,602	68,723	99,999	89,834	132,240
Furniture . . . . ,,	1,686	2,391	3,302	5,173	5,338	6,475	10,327	14,011
Upholstery . . . . ,,	112	119	109	219	292	237	323	655
Furs . . . . . ,,	38	33	64	46	1,245	1,371	2,947	1,961
Glassware . . . . ,,	97	88	19	197	454	285	38	411
Glue-pieces and Sinews . . cwt.	6,901	12,833	13,947	18,443	2,539	4,452	5,538	7,979
Glycerine . . . . pkg.	958	828	398	414	2,513	3,800	2,690	3,019
Gold—								
Bars and Dust and contained in Matte . . oz.	116,637	82,707	104,319	104,413	419,082	283,093	403,258	395,165
Quartz and Concentrates . . . . pkg.	20,721	22,690	26,478	17,603	189,057	97,685	56,195	45,482
Grain, Pulse, &c.—								
Barley . . . . bshl.	5,411	4,383	5,261	275	566	564	733	39
Bran . . . . ,,	31,303	575,374	787,732	595,720	740	19,647	30,407	19,405
Flour . . . . cntls.	28,493	361,162	551,624	348,732	12,540	196,335	335,414	176,862
Maize . . . . bshl.	42,044	51,607	93,084	171,128	5,453	5,352	10,885	24,091
Maizena and Cornflour lb.	43,274	45,074	64,072	81,598	601	623	750	1,011
Oatmeal . . . . cwt.	668	1,320	4,749	4,126	635	1,380	4,388	3,636
Oats . . . . bshl.	4,297	12,942	39,625	7,350	527	1,548	4,756	919
Peas (dried and split) pkg.	359	378	434	312	157	297	273	238
Pollard . . . . bshl.	6,391	97,157	169,874	166,577	204	3,409	6,627	5,482
Sharps . . . . ,,	17,146	31,078	41,530	77,043	913	1,985	3,003	4,837
Wheat . . . . ,,	1,588	324,653	1,260,147	1,260,184	269	7,859	279,104	227,421
Grease . . . . cwt.	368	1,245	239	486	388	1,113	148	318
Grindery . . . . pkg.	244	204	132	360	2,950	3,018	1,783	5,741
Gum . . . . . ,,	3,678	2,682	1,924	992	3,387	2,317	1,991	1,120
Hair . . . . . lb.	82,449	171,234	146,353	142,047	4,630	8,339	6,618	6,972
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware) . . pkg.	264	520	799	2,836	1,214	2,207	2,543	8,585
Hats and Caps . . . . ,,	31	.....	2	28	267	.....	1	273
Hay and Chaff . . . . cwt.	9,401	60,152	93,064	64,457	1,723	10,972	16,397	9,444
Honey . . . . lb.	12,008	24,437	17,662	163,477	141	314	200	1,645
Horns—								
Sheep . . . . cwt.	73	226	50	130	11	32	14	58
Other . . . . No.	612,437	755,439	530,270	303,076	5,746	7,752	5,017	3,474
India-rubber Goods . . pkg.	7	4	3	1	43	22	20	5
Instruments (Musical)—								
Pianofortes, Harmoniums, and Organs . . No.	1	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	.....
All other . . . . pkg.	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	17	.....
Instruments—								
Optical, surgical, and other scientific . . ,,	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	67
Iron and Steel—								
Pig Iron and Castings other than Pipes . . cwt.	1,366	447	1,344	663	1,619	468	1,137	554
Pipes (wrought & cast) ,,	2,877	19,368	61,760	2,589	862	10,274	31,543	961
Manufactured Wrought Iron ,,	1,008	7,291	13,031	11,223	449	3,616	6,090	5,500
Manufactured Wrought Iron No.	.....	2	10	1	.....	11	19	2
Manufactured Wrought Iron pkg.	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	22	.....	.....
Galvanised Sheets and Bars . . . . cwt.	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	18
Galvanised Manufactures . . . . ,,	518	643	458	523	645	901	633	745
Wire Netting . . . . ,,	36,972	50,870	94,206	46,898	33,739	50,490	102,382	49,366
Jams and Jellies . . . . lb.	35,111	41,915	74,912	89,217	606	700	1,079	1,290
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings . . . . pkg.	140	121	103	152	1,667	1,310	1,500	1,556
Jewellery and Precious Stones . . . . ,,	1	4	42	141	100	248	3,057	11,753

No. 20.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported, 1895-98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Kerosene Shale .. .. tons	34,549	14,220	21,930	13,845	77,934	32,846	44,511	27,197
Lampware .. .. .. pkg.	5	10	11	19	26	33	76	152
Lard .. .. lb.	68,564	40,723	60,489	99,465	1,078	714	1,029	1,882
Lead—								
Pig .. .. .. cwt.	356	477	637	21,829	179	259	398	12,385
Sheet, Roll, and Pipe .. ,,	11,101	14,254	19,929	13,366	7,812	10,154	15,102	11,116
Contained in Matte .. ,,	40	.....	.....	12,540	18	.....	.....	6,897
Leather .. .. .. pkg.	12,678	15,165	12,709	14,283	279,281	324,989	292,220	323,358
Limejuice (in bulk) .. gal.	.....	.....	140	.....	.....	... ..	19	.....
Machinery .. .. .. pkg.	1,023	1,548	1,498	4,082	8,631	12,058	18,549	40,033
Manure—								
Bone-dust .. .. cwt.	197,769	134,862	170,934	232,160	32,656	21,708	28,804	45,037
Other kinds .. .. ,,	126,149	153,917	141,961	126,069	29,698	32,470	32,440	27,024
Marble — Wrought and Unwrought .. .. pkg.	1	4	17	16	5	21	69	80
Meat—								
Bacon and Ham .. lb.	88,029	196,592	1,037,343	1,613,234	1,828	4,560	28,755	45,143
Extract of .. .. ,,	121,693	145,394	190,517	200,149	12,184	25,360	28,337	29,413
Frozen .. { cwt.	608,441	642,566	504,372	540,114	380,651	343,680	275,647	331,046
Frozen .. { pkg.	571	10	3,876	5,952	698	13	6,457	8,769
Preserved .. .. lb.	22,384,285	16,351,936	10,903,611	13,930,801	302,828	218,292	147,165	227,288
All other kinds { cwt.	8,769	8,455	9,188	8,634	7,635	8,041	8,850	7,684
All other kinds { pkg.	.....	513	.....	.....	.....	839	.....	.....
Metal (old) .. .. .. cwt.	.....	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	39
Milk (condensed, concentrated, and preserved). lb.	2,848	7,696	13,370	29,334	58	156	248	550
Millinery .. .. .. pkg.	2	5	9	9	4	12	18	14
Molasses .. .. .. cwt.	14,735	52,002	48,118	46,094	4,203	9,488	8,463	8,792
Mustard .. .. .. lb.	.....	83	.....	144	.....	5	.....	5
Oars .. .. No.	63	73	151	8	41	39	61	7
Oilcake .. .. .. cwt.	72	.....	7,190	34,449	20	.....	1,756	8,670
Oils (in bulk and bottle)—								
Eucalyptus .. .. pkg.	36	135	153	195	198	546	1,066	1,304
Kerosene .. .. gal.	....	80	.... .	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Other kinds .. { cwt.	.. .	....	57,243	92,523	.....	.....	57,349	108,712
Other kinds .. { gal.	69,534	48,766	60,611	107,326	3,318	1,660	2,151	4,633
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated) .. pkg.	626	1,073	2,166	1,846	1,019	1,852	1,993	2,974
Onions .. .. .. cwt.	829	1,475	5,366	10,928	171	637	1,939	4,164
Ores (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. ,,	1,143	190	612	1,184	2,229	312	565	1,904
Oysters (Fresh) .. .. pkg.	2,968	2,730	2,686	6,013	3,895	3,266	3,669	7,939
Paints and Colours (dry and in oil) .. .. cwt.	188	239	274	321	254	343	371	417
Paper, Books, &c.—								
Bags (plain & printed) ,,	29	138	113	79	40	151	148	71
Books and Periodicals pkg.	332	336	2,569	1,860	5,542	7,303	10,158	8,976
Brown and Wrapping cwt.	18	121	75	2,343	24	122	68	1,385
Circulars and Advertising Matter .. lb.	35,244	38,776	48,948	75,545	1,367	1,430	1,689	2,852
Writing, Note, Fancy, and Envelopes .. pkg.	1	1	.....	1	3	3	.....	3
Personal Effects .. .. ,,	1,205	1,825	1,742	3,105	4,537	6,902	7,490	11,386
Photographic Materials .. ,,	110	300	311	634	661	2,066	2,436	4,672
Pickles and Sauces doz. bot.	191	1,275	3,275	7,112	48	330	756	1,379
Picture Frames & Mouldings .. .. .. pkg.	29	29	30	30	212	265	154	117
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs .. .. ,,	136	376	165	252	1,457	2,972	1,341	4,214
Plants, Shrubs, & Trees .. ,,	1,407	1,422	1,127	1,255	5,912	4,141	5,138	5,575
Plate and Plated Ware—								
Silver .. .. .. ,,	2	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....
Other .. .. .. ,,	.....	1	3	10	.....	5	84	43
Potatoes .. .. .. cwt.	11,030	34,923	72,419	150,128	1,699	6,525	8,293	43,724
Poultry (live) .. .. pkg.	618	832	809	1,256	1,094	784	1,144	1,243
Powder (baking, &c.) .. lb.	4,929	33,336	22,804	19,810	208	1,832	1,035	1,090
Preserves .. .. .. ,,	744	1,558	3,455	8,847	15	27	50	146
Printers' Materials .. pkg.		175	186	281	770	1,032	1,05	1,815

No. 20.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported, 1895-98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Rags .. .. pkg.	6,561	5,632	6,072	3,887	7,696	5,973	6,974	6,828
Railway and Tramway Plant (incl. Rails) cwt.	561	254	50	.....	177	92	20	.....
Railway and Tramway Plant (incl. Rails) pkg.	17	127	71	164	136	237	280	1,780
Saddles and Harness .. pkg.	227	256	460	381	2,112	2,586	2,360	2,118
Samples (Travellers') .. ,,	.....	12	177	100	.....	33	1,810	419
Sausage Skins, &c. .. ,,	232	277	591	721	557	946	3,142	3,363
Seeds .. .. .. ,,	1,796	2,624	2,652	4,088	4,823	7,522	6,387	7,710
Sheep-wash & Sheep-dip ,,	660	398	90	29	650	361	98	48
Ship-chandlery .. .. ,,	118	95	85	185	894	698	660	1,302
Silver—								
Ingots, and contained in Matte .. .. oz.	705,887	202,789	150,005	533,059	87,290	26,518	16,711	59,278
Lead .. .. .. cwt.	593,747	391,464	362,107	202,173	959,736	794,610	645,477	321,136
Ore .. .. .. ,,	3,803,859	5,347,261	5,418,263	7,769,204	601,077	964,323	1,036,051	1,323,641
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle .. .. .. No.	218,277	100,189	197,725	145,661	129,219	49,858	129,439	101,261
Sheep .. .. .. pkg.	44,840	22,172	24,804	22,326	282,132	164,678	179,405	220,259
Kangaroo .. .. ,,	1,211	906	1,125	1,040	9,055	9,842	9,779	11,513
Other .. .. ,,	9,928	7,497	8,557	6,515	190,989	114,825	147,125	151,816
Other .. .. No.	393	878	2,723	1,761	109	271	916	647
Soap .. .. .. lb.	645,937	1,004,192	828,554	829,098	3,890	5,486	4,654	4,869
Soap Stock .. .. .. cwt.	11,168	9,153	6,175	3,755	9,823	7,129	3,790	2,385
Spirits—								
Essences (flavouring) .. gal.	8	3	28	144	15	8	33	147
Perfumes .. .. ,,	33	.....	11	115	82	.....	4	117
Rum & Spirit distilled in the Colony .. ,,	57,389	18,602	24,397	32,490	5,228	1,858	2,494	3,007
Tinctures, &c. .. .. ,,	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4
Starch & Starch Powders lb.	2,400	8,092	4,192	1,792	30	86	44	20
Stationery (Sundries) .. pkg.	428	418	420	730	2,316	1,982	1,947	3,382
Statuary and Monuments ,,	60	56	73	50	1,179	428	646	461
Sugar (Raw and Refined) cwt.	13	105	175	662	11	77	135	348
Tallow .. .. .. ,,	794,920	404,054	485,102	331,842	773,105	353,566	400,121	310,697
Tanning Material .. .. pkg.	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	14
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials ,,	.....	5	42	28	.....	29	403	354
Tiles .. .. ,,	.....	1,230	26	826	.....	75	75	119
Timber—								
Doors .. .. .. No.	64	74	132	15	42	38	72	10
Dressed .. .. sup. ft.	30,022	39,052	176,707	85,371	255	376	1,144	749
Rough .. .. ,,	9,397,231	9,020,141	10,378,626	12,793,684	41,427	42,341	50,930	68,375
Shooks and Staves .. pkg.	1,153	5,453	8,004	16,595	470	1,752	1,490	3,203
Tin—								
Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	43,991	34,204	22,813	17,877	136,080	99,212	70,128	60,565
Ore .. .. .. ,,	1,544	1,939	282	24	2,543	2,905	560	35
Tinware .. .. .. pkg.	68	75	129	345	165	201	724	1,700
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured .. lb.	.....	.....	558	1,008	.....	.....	11	16
Manufactured .. .. ,,	.....	861	60	.....	.....	101	6	.....
Cigarettes .. .. ,,	.....	.....	63	45	.....	.....	23	15
Tobacco Pipes .. .. pkg.	.....	24	11	12	.....	460	181	163
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. ,,	28	16	26	39	136	102	114	213
Toys .. .. ,,	6	11	10	22	4	18	41	70
Turnery and Woodenware ,,	653	633	683	708	602	1,193	576	982
Varnish .. .. .. gal.	8	71	.....	77	3	20	.....	17
Vegetables, Fresh .. .. pkg.	9,406	11,156	13,823	20,151	2,649	3,059	4,175	6,330
Wax, Beeswax .. .. lb.	45,457	42,278	27,466	33,033	2,154	2,121	1,341	1,582
Wines .. .. .. gal.	21,557	24,177	23,936	23,042	5,806	6,010	6,198	7,083
Wool—								
Greasy .. .. .. lb.	245,813,022	223,590,890	213,194,462	205,665,292	6,832,219	6,505,607	5,993,028	6,083,162
Scoured and Washed .. ,,	51,635,082	48,442,372	45,319,818	43,401,620	2,126,471	2,270,922	2,030,865	2,246,125
Woollen Manufactures (not otherwise enumerated) pkg.	10	9	.....	9	369	132	.....	199
Zinc- Spelter, Dross, and Ashes .. .. .. cwt.	9,929	16,596	576,836	778,826	3,766	6,877	23,688	28,941

No. 21.—Principal Articles Re-Exported, 1895–98.

Article.		Quantities.				Value.			
		1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
						£	£	£	£
Acids	gal.	1,868	2,955	6,917	2,385	343	652	1,351	770
	cwt.	.....	88	62	10	.....	99	63	10
	lb.	7,325	18,286	16,360	18,924	376	1,122	969	1,052
	pkg.	523	213	265	497	1,105	621	1,005	1,764
Aerated & Mineral Waters	doz. bot.	710	507	1,320	575	228	144	326	189
Agricultural Implements	pkg	553	730	1,007	1,976	2,556	5,442	5,628	8,882
Ale and Beer (in wood)	gal.	10,291	4,418	10,989	7,878	826	368	934	699
,, (in bottle)	,,	129,351	108,954	109,708	87,449	24,613	20,657	20,543	16,743
Alkalies	cwt.	7,146	8,956	6,543	11,739	2,868	3,603	2,673	4,662
Animals (Live)—									
Horses	No.	33	74	118	71	3,385	3,635	6,660	4,895
Cattle	,,	3,658	16,272	14,194	7,932	14,532	70,569	71,697	37,764
Sheep	,,	33,742	18,178	23,831	30,916	14,677	16,669	29,967	30,149
Pigs	,,	.....	.....	31	2	.....	.....	16	3
Other	,,	.....	3	30	68	.....	18	274	3,580
Apparel (wearing)	pkg.	2,086	1,439	1,168	1,433	40,827	30,328	25,228	26,211
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—									
Cartridges and Cartridge Cases	,,	114	148	159	411	607	648	660	1,530
Dynamite and other explosives	,, lb.	57 8,467	66 108,295	346 154,994	15 52,870	653 675	770 7,324	3,407 9,433	157 3,110
Fuse	pkg.	118	149	151	225	936	949	882	1,395
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	,,	159	146	159	254	2,304	1,811	1,325	7,924
Powder (blasting and sporting)	lb.	20,063	67,896	74,314	71,110	830	1,644	1,927	2,426
Asphalt and Bitumen	cwt.	168	3,468	673	473	76	453	232	204
Bags and Sacks	doz. pkg.	199,636 1,996	216,922 1,282	263,950 284	269,419 1,560	33,320 1,864	36,253 2,534	45,050 551	46,178 1,828
Bark—Wattle and other non-medicinal	cwt.	41,080	39,696	3,067	10,650	12,252	10,485	745	1,945
Bêche-de-mer and Fungus	,, pkg.	461 511	609 3,126	450 753	951 2,707	1,057 594	1,706 4,939	1,486 1,038	3,042 3,578
Bedsteads	,,	264	1,250	766	1,706	1,133	6,902	2,076	3,546
Belting (leather)	,,	50	95	71	93	551	1,327	930	1,432
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts	,,	179	1,522	2,018	2,225	2,602	25,108	41,417	42,908
Biscuits	lb.	1,409	1,945	18,488	16,337	38	51	231	210
Bismuth	cwt.	12	62	4	38	42	180	30	140
Blankets	pkg.	157	53	74	96	1,957	531	861	1,090
Blue	lb.	74,468	76,145	98,714	79,924	2,033	1,911	2,301	2,006
Boats	No.	3	6	1	7	20	163	20	366
Bones	cwt.	15,405	17,264	18,835	13,087	3,185	3,686	4,550	2,992
Boots and Shoes	pkg.	1,816	2,635	1,920	1,607	27,641	39,618	27,131	21,750
Bottles (Empty)	,,	26,399	40,358	25,855	37,039	8,587	13,519	9,092	12,170
Brassware	,,	112	147	279	246	660	1,282	1,945	2,098
Brushware and Brooms	,,	372	614	316	527	1,355	1,814	1,289	2,492
Brushmakers' Materials	,,	85	355	364	441	210	710	794	1,708
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated)	,,	58	179	2,852	652	57	486	1,525	1,648
Butter	lb.	119,301	141,282	129,088	177,593	5,324	5,933	5,371	8,609
Candles	,,	429,341	236,451	412,102	262,040	8,908	4,603	7,302	5,078
Canvas	pkg.	285	352	248	246	3,965	4,119	2,807	2,391
Carpeting and Druggeting	,,	81	95	161	129	987	848	1,371	1,215
Carriages (complete)	No.	51	62	39	31	1,114	1,569	1,508	943
Carriage Maker's Materials	pkg.	1,215	2,474	3,246	3,156	1,608	4,949	3,708	3,145
Carts and Waggons	No.	8	24	45	12	126	337	548	157
Cement	brls.	10,277	33,970	15,130	16,789	4,654	14,919	7,759	9,077
Cheese	lb.	42,625	123,023	89,154	130,828	1,008	2,465	1,684	2,772
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	pkg.	4,957	6,677	4,816	10,375	12,507	15,798	14,205	27,939
Chrome Ore	cwt.	75,869	109,278	49,711	94,090	15,059	17,753	9,995	18,254
Cobalt Ore	,,	4,520	5,590	1,430	1,281	1,427	1,950	500	330
Cocoa (Raw and Prepared)	lb.	85,688	85,843	71,517	119,246	6,062	5,374	5,136	7,330
Coffee (Raw and Prepared)	,,	156,730	180,400	150,461	229,431	6,495	6,921	5,134	7,997
Coin—									
Gold	boxes	.....	664	804	1,289	2,066,084	2,186,530	3,023,965	5,173,478
Silver	,,	27	66	80	152	7,666	13,290	19,909	29,872
Bronze	,,	65	94	65	106	615	957	658	1,080
Confectionery	lb.	9,321	17,518	30,072	35,167	358	597	1,201	1,205
Copper—									
Ingots	cwt.	4,800	.....	.....	.....	11,080	.....	.....	.....
Other	,, pkg.	1,295 171	 169	 163	 326	1,955 674	 597	 1,154	 2,590
Contained in Matte	cwt.	559	1,905	1,260	20	1,118	4,191	3,035	48
Copra	,,	122,413	131,816	85,764	118,163	60,381	66,198	43,799	68,002
Cordage and Rope	,,	2,121	2,052	2,035	3,398	4,568	5,506	4,492	9,419

No. 21.—Principal Articles Re-Exported, 1895-98—*continued.*

Article.		Quantities.				Value.			
		1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
						£	£	£	£
Corks and Bungs	pkg.	313	475	443	584	2,112	3,320	3,150	4,764
Cream of Tartar	lb.	90,213	98,850	104,958	161,851	3,791	4,681	4,803	6,716
Cutlery	pkg.	205	146	220	393	3,056	1,863	3,306	5,164
Dentists' Tools and Materials	,,	38	57	57	93	548	1,016	988	1,606
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated)	,,	5,777	10,428	8,723	10,957	100,173	198,333	153,961	193,960
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated)	,,	3,083	3,870	4,942	6,632	12,742	18,619	25,926	33,451
Dyes and Dye Ware	,,	623	1,237	605	864	3,136	4,968	3,618	4,774
Earthenware and Chinaware	,,	1,096	1,291	1,510	2,063	5,654	7,194	8,952	11,633
	No.	.....	106	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....
Eggs	doz.	178	.....	2,806	.....	6	.....	98	.....
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	pkg.	2,463	1,829	5,710	7,459	17,611	15,428	46,280	52,073
Fish—Fresh and Preserved	,,	1,053	57	9	140	3,622	133	34	211
	lb.	626,612	732,361	682,369	1,269,986	13,030	14,751	13,512	25,963
Flax and Hemp (including Phormium Tenax)	pkg.	177	491	140	421	632	1,533	533	2,638
Fruit—									
Fresh	,,	57,963	129,363	26,702	58,585	12,504	29,692	20,675	16,970
Dried and Candied	lb.	916,133	1,098,930	1,164,004	1,223,223	10,733	12,691	15,924	16,612
Fruit Salts	,,	2,972	1,404	3,262	7,134	548	194	627	1,353
Furniture	pkg.	3,183	3,787	2,744	3,854	11,328	14,227	10,764	14,044
Upholstery	,,	201	324	366	470	731	1,262	2,172	1,644
Furs	,,	10	16	1	5	361	541	2	205
Gelatine and Isinglass	lb.	10,291	13,483	31,146	20,065	663	1,016	2,324	2,152
Glassware	pkg.	822	903	812	1,518	2,762	3,515	3,226	5,853
Gloves	,,	116	31	104	185	5,381	880	3,758	3,409
Glucose (liquid and solid)	cwt.	784	1,849	2,989	2,430	557	1,101	1,679	1,452
Glue-pieces and Sinews	,,	2,100	1,850	4,248	8,000	514	605	1,240	3,250
Glycerine	pkg.	14	41	48	190	78	152	179	585
Gold—									
Bars and Dust and contained in Matte	oz.	4,175	110	1,602	2,530	15,915	411	5,480	9,420
Quartz and Concentrates	pkg.	123	.....	55	.....	312	.....	213	.....
Grain, Pulse, &c.—									
Barley	bshl.	1,282	14,603	27,036	62,834	161	1,977	4,432	10,452
Bran	,,	35,041	16,895	28,935	95,965	1,187	603	1,125	3,059
Flour	cntls.	9,564	94,877	131,091	185,029	3,710	46,852	77,382	96,187
Maize	bshl.	252	10,781	14,140	44,849	27	1,222	1,809	6,297
Maizena and Cornflour	lb.	27,182	28,253	22,419	30,244	454	451	309	416
Oatmeal	cwt.	395	1,353	623	544	315	1,114	598	547
Oats	bshl.	24,271	98,625	95,235	43,592	2,734	11,239	11,674	5,148
Peas (dried and split)	pkg.	1,457	2,168	1,682	2,934	794	1,516	1,158	2,099
Pollard	bshl.	3,098	4,250	7,536	2,479	119	150	274	91
Rice	cwt.	24,332	23,800	20,776	26,111	11,326	11,705	11,041	15,395
Sharps	bshl.	1,000	1,423	.....	7,798	45	88	.....	508
Wheat	,,	291	263,902	119,786	78,776	42	48,620	26,198	14,528
Grease	cwt.	398	602	1,104	2,154	744	1,067	1,488	3,009
Grindery	pkg.	790	1,087	1,173	1,832	5,560	9,338	11,832	19,231
Gum	,,	257	493	82	174	822	1,532	312	1,041
Hair	lb.	100,420	96,096	125,232	133,932	4,076	4,066	6,180	6,657
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	pkg.	7,066	10,293	11,592	26,376	30,771	48,564	51,788	123,260
Hats and Caps	,,	717	534	396	505	9,768	8,003	5,114	6,430
Hay and Chaff	cwt.	6,184	20,855	9,437	3,655	1,114	4,798	2,085	701
Honey	lb.	496	.....	2,632	526	16	.....	34	12
Hops	,,	191,270	337,479	235,509	398,367	7,232	13,532	10,720	19,712
Horns	No.	540,118	521,500	606,500	720,720	5,500	5,972	6,466	8,535
India-rubber Goods	pkg.	488	1,069	1,018	1,263	5,023	7,240	7,774	12,548
Instruments (Musical)—									
Pianofortes, Harmoniums, and Organs	No.	488	770	647	690	10,768	18,321	17,577	18,103
All other	pkg.	204	144	178	257	2,861	1,897	2,352	3,500
Instruments (optical, surgical, and other scientific)	,,	181	175	228	340	2,861	2,611	3,194	4,156
Iron and Steel—									
Pig Iron and Castings other than Pipes	cwt.	4,655	30,291	24,399	24,823	1,212	6,275	5,216	5,658
Pipes (wrought and cast)	,,	23,010	35,345	38,244	41,493	16,466	24,529	24,828	29,305
Manufactured Wrought Iron	,,	44,212	56,364	58,395	93,383	23,875	30,750	36,230	48,174
	No.	1,060	1,724	843	818	2,176	3,583	1,806	1,709
	pkg.	73	127	110	90	1,371	2,838	2,732	2,178
Wire (black and galvanised)	cwt.	55,845	34,056	34,365	55,126	23,867	18,612	16,236	25,002
Galvanised Sheets and Bars	,,	48,867	70,795	41,634	48,626	37,440	54,604	32,472	37,621
,, Manufactures	,,	431	796	261	120	548	752	310	175
,, Wire Netting	,,	1,529	1,932	1,059	2,024	1,486	2,009	1,159	2,252
,, Wire Rope	,,	1,212	2,262	1,966	2,163	2,464	4,705	4,481	5,084

No. 21.—Principal Articles Re-Exported, 1895-98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Jams and Jellies .. .. lb.	111,886	137,979	102,173	123,588	2,007	2,291	1,804	2,101
Jewellers' and Mint Sweepings pkg.	1	4	.....	.....	20	45	.....	.....
Jewellery and Precious Stones ,,	490	74	911	1,518	20,138	4,074	46,865	54,422
Kapok .. .. ,,	1,112	2,360	2,320	2,463	2,371	5,010	5,017	5,798
Lampware .. .. .. ,,	587	784	713	815	2,800	4,334	4,955	6,981
Lard .. .. lb.	14,404	34,418	6,198	33,213	261	580	108	584
Lead—								
Contained in Matte .. cwt.	160	.....	.....	.....	72	.....	.....	.....
Pig .. .. ,,	53,519	61,526	40,711	44,461	26,101	33,226	23,481	25,857
Sheet, Roll, and Pipe .. ,,	249	508	593	564	177	353	443	473
Leather .. .. pkg.	516	495	446	581	15,427	13,972	11,959	17,042
Limejuice (in bulk and bottle) gal.	4,496	2,780	2,081	8,977	559	410	267	1,254
Machinery .. .. .. pkg.	7,370	9,160	11,181	15,892	87,419	98,949	124,490	172,452
Malt .. .. bshl.	888	17,539	15,246	10,056	281	4,994	4,252	3,290
Manure—								
Bone-dust .. .. .. cwt.	.....	6,000	18,651	6,716	.....	1,050	2,838	1,377
Other kinds .. .. .. ,,	6,261	15,217	10,947	12,437	1,428	5,363	3,339	2,076
Marble (wrought and unwrought) .. .. .. pkg.	613	1,007	844	2,242	1,059	1,945	1,751	3,720
Matches .. .. ,,	1,822	2,621	3,669	2,252	3,706	5,115	6,417	4,903
Meat—								
Bacon and Ham .. .. lb.	61,313	46,345	48,356	49,837	2,403	1,582	1,718	1,669
Extract of .. .. .. ,,	707	32,784	48,021	157,821	116	4,651	8,537	25,448
Frozen .. .. .. pkg.	1	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Preserved .. .. .. lb.	758,739	3,140,469	3,018,092	3,145,452	11,325	43,988	38,879	43,506
All other kinds .. { cwt.	489	2,086	838	1,616	406	1,805	788	1,491
All other kinds .. { pkg.	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....
Metal (old) .. .. .. cwt.	2,856	4,825	2,851	2,673	3,658	6,402	3,842	3,740
Milk (condensed, concentrated, and preserved) .. lb.	373,352	270,159	164,263	167,737	7,812	5,703	3,452	3,370
Millinery .. .. .. pkg.	220	178	300	407	6,277	4,380	5,593	5,029
Molasses .. .. cwt.	49	216	98	204	76	210	106	211
Mustard .. .. lb.	53,124	46,724	35,723	67,467	2,844	2,350	1,994	3,808
Nickel Ore .. .. .. cwt.	6,753	.....	4,000	15,460	1,835	.....	980	1,960
Oars .. .. No.	1,505	3,561	2,125	4,687	342	697	482	1,126
Oils (in bulk and bottle)—								
Castor .. .. { gal.	63,310	67,174	58,862	78,769	5,676	7,009	8,315	10,360
Castor .. .. { doz. bot.	1,329	348	484	963	249	70	97	173
Kerosene .. .. .. gal.	381,072	413,063	354,536	528,384	13,447	16,207	13,890	17,596
Other kinds .. { gal.	110,597	134,629	121,811	184,625	11,709	14,730	13,616	20,000
Other kinds .. { cwt.	149	521	391	94	198	673	519	125
Other kinds .. { doz. bot.	4,113	3,609	3,111	4,697	1,240	1,085	695	1,079
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. pkg.	2,243	6,628	4,663	8,694	4,255	11,975	8,977	16,103
Onions .. .. cwt.	5,258	10,846	13,516	25,010	999	4,963	5,196	12,841
Opium .. .. lb.	2,097	944	1,689	2,191	3,491	1,661	2,807	3,333
Ores (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. .. cwt.	.....	60	.....	40	.....	18	.....	30
Oysters (Fresh) .. .. .. pkg.	126	409	111	111	122	389	91	97
Paints and Colours (dry and in oil) .. .. cwt.	6,618	6,123	4,440	6,305	8,767	7,940	5,558	8,268
Paper, Books, &c.—								
Bags (plain and printed) .. ,,	587	1,072	1,281	2,579	801	1,423	1,782	3,813
Books and Periodicals .. pkg.	2,174	2,505	2,294	3,854	25,246	29,959	20,832	29,053
Brown and Wrapping .. cwt.	2,614	2,463	7,392	9,507	2,527	2,535	7,186	9,634
Circulars and Advertising Matter .. .. .. lb.	80,324	52,122	29,634	53,901	2,593	1,828	1,105	1,838
Printing and News-paper .. pkg.	995	1,667	1,603	4,016	5,801	10,408	9,699	24,609
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper, and Envelopes .. ,,	362	403	465	755	2,161	3,144	3,751	5,942
Pearlshell .. .. .. cwt.	509	1,211	2,369	1,713	1,846	4,673	7,674	5,365
Personal Effects .. .. pkg.	3,524	3,847	3,419	4,113	11,589	14,226	13,276	16,435
Photographic Materials .. ,,	530	461	737	876	4,237	3,659	5,652	7,168
Pickles and Sauces .. doz. bot.	13,469	14,188	17,052	26,325	4,884	5,445	6,072	9,341
Picture Frames and Mouldings pkg.	91	221	200	266	540	2,131	2,138	2,455
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs .. .. .. ,,	200	185	198	190	2,704	5,693	4,789	3,766
Plants, Shrubs, and Trees .. ,,	50	182	80	153	120	440	209	562
Plate and Plated Ware—								
Silver .. .. ,,	28	30	33	51	2,915	3,912	1,626	2,423
Other .. .. ,,	310	401	421	688	9,311	13,088	15,294	20,994
Potatoes .. .. cwt.	44,886	233,240	122,259	103,847	5,489	42,189	20,006	38,770
Powders (baking, &c.) .. lb.	2,764	8,489	5,828	14,147	134	444	287	687
Preserves .. .. .. ,,	179,500	321,580	299,261	445,424	3,157	5,812	4,410	4,944
Printers' Materials .. .. pkg.	442	781	687	1,613	3,814	5,419	4,578	8,620
Quicksilver .. .. .. bott.	271	189	158	225	2,014	1,510	1,247	1,811
Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails) { cwt.	8,335	22,476	19,445	16,240	2,041	6,598	5,578	4,732
Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails) { pkg.	419	857	1,290	4,436	2,837	3,704	4,897	18,722
Resin .. .. brls.	434	513	689	4,193	523	580	657	4,300
Saddles and Harness .. .. pkg.	242	271	224	311	2,681	3,047	2,328	2,975

No. 21.—Principal Articles Re-Exported, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Salt, in bags .. .. .. cwt.	78,499	55,518	93,547	101,700	9,207	6,488	11,676	12,089
Samples (Travellers') .. .. pkg.	2,217	3,545	3,418	4,680	15,999	31,006	33,097	47,997
Sausage Skins, Bladders, &c. ,,	277	543	371	279	939	1,690	1,910	1,141
Seeds .. .. ,,	889	1,559	2,192	2,590	3,705	5,228	6,238	7,301
Sewing Machines .. .. ,,	5,189	5,681	3,041	3,895	11,581	14,594	8,296	11,109
Sheepwash and Sheep Dip .. ,,	216	260	643	445	395	534	970	1,065
Ship-chandlery .. .. .. ,,	706	1,283	951	2,190	2,907	3,686	3,822	8,831
Silks .. .. ,,	167	112	185	245	7,273	5,000	6,186	7,831
Silver—								
Ingots, and contained in Matte .. .. .. oz.	33,760	130,418	60,058	16,084	4,372	16,249	6,639	1,900
Lead .. .. cwt.	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	257	.....	.....
Ore .. .. ,,	18,150	253,604	11,017	27,200	12,720	125,262	5,054	13,350
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle .. .. .. No.	263,538	243,150	270,200	299,781	183,352	165,960	179,240	236,787
Sheep .. .. pkg.	7,080	11,452	12,646	8,487	92,300	90,535	91,327	77,805
Kangaroo .. .. .. ,,	658	598	658	680	31,500	23,415	25,120	28,560
Other .. .. .. { No.	3,150	8,482	1,800	2,200	1,060	6,264	650	875
Other .. .. .. { pkg.	162	680	503	351	4,750	12,750	9,583	11,010
Soap .. .. lb.	374,304	341,820	708,060	1,052,291	5,341	5,816	10,673	15,306
Soap Stock .. .. .. cwt.	.....	515	.....	.....	.....	417	.....	.....
Spirits—								
Brandy .. .. .. gal.	18,273	26,501	20,327	23,435	9,584	13,937	13,512	17,205
Essences (flavouring) .. ,,	1,173	1,542	992	1,153	1,063	1,469	1,661	1,980
Gin, Geneva, and Schnapps ,,	19,251	20,871	28,370	21,663	6,096	7,061	7,863	6,194
Perfumes .. .. .. ,,	401	710	598	731	962	2,155	1,793	2,486
Rum .. .. ,,	15,231	16,713	20,054	20,606	2,731	2,773	3,215	2,993
Tinctures .. .. .. ,,	2,266	3,144	3,397	4,405	4,063	4,568	5,414	7,280
Whisky .. .. .. ,,	44,494	56,229	64,150	65,137	17,876	22,237	25,825	27,453
Starch and Starch Powders .. lb.	153,118	130,268	168,550	149,848	1,860	1,569	1,991	1,800
Stationery (Sundries) .. .. pkg.	1,331	2,272	2,125	2,623	7,650	15,054	14,320	16,585
Statuary and Monuments .. ,,	171	266	190	271	639	1,405	1,367	1,978
Sugar (Raw and Refined) .. cwt.	103,613	91,882	106,615	344,934	78,832	72,889	80,126	217,774
Tallow .. .. ,,	332,325	179,650	130,850	205,732	329,040	156,100	104,106	185,221
Tanning Material .. .. pkg.	452	1,394	1,582	1,704	513	1,356	1,604	1,837
Tea .. .. lb.	2,123,886	2,296,202	2,598,405	2,643,035	77,737	75,833	83,405	89,610
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Materials .. .. pkg.	452	783	1,241	1,585	5,402	8,464	17,532	18,856
Tiles .. .. ,,	171	5,796	10,098	9,871	292	715	1,725	1,571
Timber—								
Doors .. .. .. No.	4,634	12,325	9,494	5,621	2,283	5,624	4,158	2,391
Dressed .. .. sup. ft.	149,413	214,206	351,414	160,995	1,134	1,574	2,247	1,201
Rough .. .. ,,	1,918,472	2,522,685	2,657,895	3,007,257	9,383	13,705	15,165	18,736
Shooks and Staves .. .. pkg.	11,496	13,799	9,223	20,991	4,424	4,932	4,349	10,049
Tin—								
Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	18,620	17,880	13,350	9,361	58,002	53,507	41,141	35,820
Ore .. .. ,,	32	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	.....	.....
Tin Plates .. .. .. pkg.	24,633	23,120	22,870	16,480	17,489	15,820	15,641	11,008
Tinware .. .. ,,	167	224	273	1,006	517	791	1,103	3,798
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured .. .. lb.	49,348	45,020	67,920	65,631	2,078	2,001	3,032	3,157
Manufactured .. .. ,,	433,778	536,393	594,943	541,943	25,298	30,263	34,937	32,031
Cigars .. .. .. ,,	86,429	131,838	100,339	119,048	17,435	25,508	23,295	26,035
Cigarettes .. .. .. ,,	28,520	42,724	46,997	76,261	8,512	12,658	14,008	24,289
Tobacco Pipes .. .. .. pkg.	808	564	574	744	2,182	3,030	2,883	3,648
Tools of various trades (not otherwise enumerated) .. ,,	1,936	4,171	2,681	3,174	6,632	10,178	8,046	10,090
Tortoise-shell .. .. .. lb.	2,131	2,270	2,070	2,113	1,221	1,547	1,392	1,436
Toys .. .. pkg.	240	209	153	418	995	1,338	915	2,166
Turnery and Woodenware .. ,,	1,960	2,285	1,275	2,407	2,434	3,561	2,493	4,114
Turpentine .. .. .. gal.	7,510	7,402	8,889	26,264	815	758	948	3,086
Type-writing Machines .. pkg.	272	582	505	451	4,485	10,958	8,979	8,614
Type-writers' Materials .. ,,	64	190	178	160	338	1,829	2,252	1,682
Varnish .. .. gal.	8,267	5,700	7,938	6,419	3,561	2,327	2,910	2,909
Vegetables—Fresh .. .. pkg.	567	1,803	1,991	3,000	170	317	681	1,104
Preserved and Dried .. lb.	65,508	49,509	54,026	84,172	1,386	1,009	972	1,603
Watches and Clocks .. .. pkg.	482	312	345	477	11,994	4,008	4,348	6,288
Wax—Beeswax .. .. lb.	1,700	168	1,038	1,456	68	9	45	70
Wines (sparkling) .. .. gal.	2,481	3,175	3,050	3,603	5,128	6,504	6,270	7,118
(other) .. .. .. ,,	16,080	16,779	16,427	16,330	6,822	6,365	6,684	6,572
Wool—								
Greasy .. .. .. lb.	26,081,029	28,574,370	22,365,280	25,147,194	725,954	811,335	650,212	765,552
Scoured and Washed .. ,,	6,463,542	6,216,726	4,918,165	6,734,300	291,400	309,468	246,180	362,696
Woollen Manufactures (not otherwise enumerated) .. pkg.	2,147	1,029	1,107	1,579	51,555	34,335	40,991	55,116
Woolpacks .. .. .. No.	144,300	163,845	167,046	153,966	9,701	12,037	11,681	10,975
Yellow Metal (sheets) .. .. pkg.	384	360	250	411	3,783	4,409	2,597	5,271
Zinc (spelter, dross, and ashes) cwt.	302	22	43	83	303	26	52	108

No. 22.—Principal Articles Exported, New South Wales and Other Produce, 1895–98.

Article.		Quantities.				Value.			
		1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
						£	£	£	£
Acids	gal.	1,868	2,955	6,917	2,385	343	652	1,351	770
	cwt.	4,861	1,983	1,023	477	3,886	1,107	699	288
	lb.	7,325	18,286	16,360	18,924	376	1,122	969	1,052
	pkg.	1,295	431	515	628	2,227	1,058	1,480	2,073
Aerated and Mineral Waters	doz. bot.	8,605	12,231	11,917	10,886	1,369	1,759	1,907	1,678
Agricultural Implements	pkg.	818	1,207	1,275	2,240	3,402	7,560	6,874	10,364
Ale and Beer (in wood)	gal.	12,942	6,827	12,840	10,494	974	532	1,048	883
,, (in bottle)	,,	129,785	109,420	110,336	94,058	24,676	20,748	20,639	17,680
Alkalies	cwt.	7,626	9,258	7,148	12,542	2,960	3,657	2,786	4,812
Alunite	,,	16,640	27,440	14,490	58,820	3,328	4,116	2,172	8,823
Animals (Live)—									
Horses	No.	5,219	8,212	8,819	7,880	97,460	127,083	169,069	173,183
Cattle	,,	41,555	45,720	59,603	56,610	131,969	222,697	255,711	297,429
Sheep	,,	999,773	744,578	1,022,295	1,311,880	299,154	258,952	411,354	509,005
Pigs	,,	832	1,997	6,392	11,496	790	2,311	9,691	15,124
Other	,,	180	87	191	244	623	329	640	4,053
Antimony	cwt.	9,408	2,655	3,382	1,647	7,251	1,834	3,612	916
Apparel (wearing)	pkg.	2,322	1,775	1,482	1,938	44,114	34,384	28,186	29,391
Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives—									
Cartridges and cartridge cases	,,	114	148	159	411	607	648	660	1,530
Dynamite and other explosives	pkg.	57	66	346	15	653	770	3,407	157
	lb.	8,467	108,295	154,994	52,870	675	7,324	9,433	3,110
Fuse	pkg.	118	149	151	225	936	949	882	1,395
Guns, Rifles, and Pistols	,,	159	146	159	254	2,304	1,811	1,325	7,924
Powder (blasting and sporting)	lb.	20,063	67,896	74,314	71,110	830	1,644	1,927	2,426
Asphalt and Bitumen	cwt.	1,609	5,489	2,052	3,518	347	1,348	831	1,698
Bags and Sacks	doz.	199,636	216,922	263,959	269,419	33,320	36,253	45,050	46,178
	pkg.	1,996	1,283	458	1,768	1,864	2,540	664	1,941
Bark—Wattle and other non-medicinal	cwt.	47,651	43,696	11,124	16,700	13,856	11,378	3,115	3,305
Bêche-de-mer and Fungus	,,	461	609	459	951	1,057	1,706	1,486	3,042
	pkg.	511	3,126	753	2,707	594	4,939	1,038	3,578
Bedsteads	,,	282	1,260	812	1,801	1,182	6,919	2,267	3,812
Belting (leather)	,,	173	230	249	301	3,347	4,587	6,275	6,928
Bicycles, Tricycles, and parts thereof	,,	179	1,522	2,020	2,226	2,602	25,108	41,431	42,923
Biscuits	lb.	260,718	514,306	752,296	671,271	3,866	7,587	11,837	11,148
Bismuth	cwt.	12	882	66	625	42	670	830	4,755
Blankets	pkg.	157	53	74	96	1,957	531	861	1,090
Blue	lb.	81,228	79,235	102,074	81,274	2,202	1,981	2,372	2,036
Boats	No.	72	89	68	108	1,782	2,143	2,312	3,724
Bones	cwt.	91,859	83,497	104,225	73,601	16,993	15,812	20,609	13,657
Boots and Shoes	pkg.	2,345	3,288	2,567	2,252	35,007	54,248	42,721	33,799
Bottles (Empty)	,,	27,757	43,658	30,229	42,763	10,052	18,118	13,356	19,764
Brassware	,,	131	164	311	294	958	1,379	2,120	2,466
Bread and Dough	lb.	.....	.....	1,945,642	449,740	.....	.....	11,585	2,334
Brushware and Brooms	pkg.	2,339	2,165	1,400	2,358	2,522	2,734	2,105	3,877
Brushmakers' Materials	,,	371	889	667	669	939	2,278	1,170	2,359
Building Materials (not otherwise enumerated)	,,	529	836	3,707	2,267	1,134	1,957	6,402	8,866
Butter	lb.	2,147,650	2,707,088	6,655,761	9,127,181	62,899	108,435	264,096	385,030
Candles	,,	443,616	261,225	421,320	268,790	9,172	5,109	7,468	5,200
Canvas	pkg.	285	352	248	246	3,965	4,119	2,807	2,891
Carpeting and Druggeting	,,	81	95	161	129	987	848	1,371	1,215
Carriages (complete)	No.	171	372	230	190	4,575	7,222	5,946	4,138
Carriage Makers' Materials	pkg.	25,579	16,351	42,630	44,407	4,460	9,267	7,699	10,338
Carts and Waggons	No.	105	245	211	180	1,180	3,219	2,469	2,478
Cement	brls	10,279	33,987	15,272	16,801	4,655	14,930	7,837	9,084
Cheese	lb.	200,721	264,800	638,884	451,587	3,806	5,085	12,078	9,960
Chemical Products (not otherwise enumerated)	pkg.	5,369	6,979	5,783	11,139	13,086	16,429	15 011	29,347
Chrome Ore	cwt.	160,458	186,313	117,302	136,308	28,107	29,033	20,264	24,555
Coal	tons	2,166,230	2,474,907	2,696,623	2,791,796	773,954	900,264	952,054	962,668
Cobalt Ore	cwt.	4,630	5,590	1,430	3,618	1,453	1,950	560	890
Cocoa (raw and prepared)	lb.	85,688	86,466	76,607	127,443	6,062	5,419	5,456	7,865

No. 22.—Principal Articles Exported, New South Wales and Other Produce, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Coffee (raw and prepared) lb.	165,494	193,705	161,252	238,622	6,914	7,545	5,635	8,433
Coin—								
Gold .. .. boxes	675	943	1,072	1,561	2,710,560	3,602,986	4,346,647	6,529,060
Silver .. .. .. ,,	27	66	80	152	7,666	13,290	19,909	29,872
Bronze .. .. .. ,,	65	94	65	106	615	957	658	1,080
Coke .. .. .. tons	8,807	5,434	31,714	30,791	8,525	4,523	27,045	25,066
Confectionery .. .. lb.	18,047	35,284	45,323	54,173	585	1,042	1,571	1,692
Copper—								
Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	57,403	79,247	81,706	104,037	123,946	180,908	192,976	257,143
Other .. .. { ,,	21,375	.....	.....	.....	23,185	.....	.....	.....
Other .. .. { pkg.	171	170	163	326	674	600	1,154	2,590
Ore .. .. .. cwt.	1,080	297	3,325	3,569	346	75	851	839
Contained in Matte .. ,,	3,819	11,718	54,677	9,062	7,542	23,519	109,888	22,953
Copra .. .. .. ,,	122,413	131,816	85,764	118,163	60,381	66,198	43,799	68,002
Cordage and Rope .. ,,	5,230	5,064	4,943	13,005	11,120	11,967	10,284	29,102
Corks and Bungs .. .. pkg.	324	484	449	590	2,153	3,331	3,158	4,772
Cream .. .. .. gal.	.....	.....	.....	9,620	.....	.....	.....	1,546
Cream of Tartar .. .. lb.	90,213	98,850	104,958	161,851	3,791	4,681	4,803	6,716
Cutlery .. .. .. pkg.	205	146	220	393	3,056	1,863	3,306	5,164
Dentists' Tools and Materials .. .. ,,	38	57	57	93	548	1,016	988	1,606
Drapery (not otherwise enumerated) .. ,,	5,800	10,541	8,836	11,104	100,498	200,062	155,335	196,668
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware (not otherwise enumerated) .. ,,	4,252	5,477	6,971	9,872	18,653	26,702	36,671	51,129
Dyes and Dye ware .. ,,	623	1,237	605	864	3,136	4,968	3,618	4,774
Earthenware and China- { ,,	1,111	1,457	1,711	2,215	5,696	8,314	9,796	12,048
ware .. .. { No.	.....	822	1,005	234	.....	17	40	8
Eggs .. .. .. doz.	1,694	101,329	201,114	264,720	99	3,331	6,548	9,643
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated) .. pkg.	2,517	1,873	5,761	7,557	17,960	15,672	46,666	53,253
Fish—Fresh and Pre- { ,,	10,114	4,851	1,920	2,206	15,095	5,827	1,310	3,299
served .. { lb.	627,074	732,505	682,821	1,270,108	13,039	14,754	13,528	25,967
Flax and Hemp (including Phormium Tenax).. pkg.	177	491	140	421	632	1,533	533	2,638
Fruit—								
Fresh .. .. .. ,,	429,573	628,383	494,340	649,187	81,227	129,691	110,509	149,210
Dried and Candied .. lb.	916,133	1,098,930	1,164,004	1,223,223	10,733	12,691	15,924	16,612
Fruit Salts.. .. .. ,,	2,972	1,404	3,262	7,134	548	194	627	1,353
Furniture .. .. .. pkg.	4,869	6,178	6,046	9,027	16,666	20,702	21,091	28,055
Upholstery .. .. ,,	313	443	475	689	1,023	1,499	2,495	2,299
Furs.. .. .. .. ,,	48	49	65	51	1,606	1,912	2,949	2,166
Gelatine and Isinglass .. lb.	10,291	13,483	31,146	20,065	663	1,016	2,324	2,152
Glassware .. .. .. pkg.	919	991	831	1,715	3,216	3,800	3,264	6,264
Gloves .. .. .. ,,	116	31	104	185	5,381	880	3,758	3,409
Glucose (liquid and solid) cwt.	784	1,849	2,989	2,430	557	1,101	1,679	1,452
Glue-pieces and sinews .. ,,	9,001	14,683	18,195	26,443	3,053	5,057	6,778	11,229
Glycerine .. .. .. pkg.	972	869	446	604	2,591	3,952	2,869	3,604
Gold—								
Bars and Dust and contained in Matte .. .oz.	120,811	82,817	105,920	106,943	434,997	283,504	408,738	404,585
Quartz and Concentrates .. .. pkg.	20,844	22,690	26,533	17,603	189,369	97,685	56,408	45,482
Grain, Pulse, &c.—								
Barley .. .. bshls.	6,693	18,986	32,297	63,109	727	2,541	5,165	10,491
Bran .. .. .. ,,	66,344	592,269	816,667	691,685	1,927	20,250	31,532	22,464
Flour .. .. centals.	38,057	456,039	682,715	533,761	16,250	243,187	412,796	273,049
Maize .. .. bshls.	42,296	62,388	107,224	215,977	5,480	6,574	12,694	30,388
Maizena and Cornflour lb.	70,456	73,327	86,491	111,842	1,055	1,074	1,059	1,427
Oatmeal .. .. cwt.	1,063	2,673	5,372	4,670	950	2,494	4,986	4,183
Oats .. .. bushl.	28,568	111,567	134,860	50,942	3,261	12,787	16,430	6,067
Peas (dried and split). pkg.	1,816	2,546	2,116	8,246	951	1,813	1,431	2,337
Pollard .. .. bushl.	9,489	101,407	177,410	169,056	323	3,559	6,901	5,573
Rice .. .. .. cwt.	24,332	23,800	20,776	26,111	11,326	11,705	11,041	15,395
Sharps .. .. bushl.	18,146	32,501	41,530	84,841	958	2,073	3,003	5,345
Wheat .. .. .. ,,	1,879	588,555	1,379,933	1,338,960	311	116,479	305,302	241,949
Grease .. .. .. cwt.	766	1,847	1,343	2,640	1,132	2,180	1,636	3,327
Grindery .. .. .. pkg.	1,034	1,291	1,305	2,192	8,510	12,356	13,615	24,972
Gum .. .. .. ,,	3,935	3,175	2,006	1,166	4,209	3,849	2,303	2,161

No. 22.—Principal Articles Exported, New South Wales and Other Produce, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Hair .. .. .. lb.	182,869	267,330	271,585	275,979	8,706	12,405	12,798	13,629
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware) .. .. pkg.	7,330	10,813	12,391	29,212	31,985	59,771	54,331	131,845
Hats and Caps .. .. ,,	748	534	398	533	10,035	8,003	5,115	6,703
Hay and Chaff .. .. cwt.	15,585	81,007	102,501	63,112	2,837	15,770	18,482	10,145
Honey .. .. .. lb.	12,504	24,437	20,294	164,003	157	314	234	1,657
Hops .. .. .. ,,	191,270	337,479	235,509	398,367	7,232	13,532	10,720	19,712
Horns—								
Sheep .. .. .. cwt.	73	226	50	130	11	32	14	58
Other .. .. .. No.	1,152,555	1,276,939	1,136,770	1,023,796	11,246	13,724	11,483	12,009
India-rubber Goods .. pkg.	495	1,073	1,021	1,264	5,063	7,262	7,794	12,553
Instruments (Musical)—								
Pianofortes, Harmoniums, and Organs .. No.	489	770	647	690	10,893	18,321	17,577	18,103
Other .. .. .. pkg.	204	144	179	257	2,861	1,897	2,369	3,500
Instruments—Optical, Surgical, and other scientific .. .. ,,	181	175	228	342	2,861	2,611	3,194	4,223
Iron and Steel—								
Pig Iron and Castings other than Pipes .. cwt.	6,021	30,738	25,743	25,486	2,831	6,743	6,353	6,212
Pipes (wrought & cast) ,,	25,837	54,713	100,004	44,082	17,328	34,803	56,371	30,266
Manufactured wrought Iron ,,	45,220	63,655	71,426	104,606	24,324	34,363	42,320	53,674
Manufactured wrought Iron No.	1,060	1,726	853	819	2,176	3,594	1,825	1,711
Manufactured wrought Iron pkg.	73	128	110	90	1,371	2,860	2,732	2,178
Wire (black and galvanised) .. .. cwt.	55,845	34,056	34,365	55,126	23,867	18,612	16,236	25,002
Wire Rope .. .. ,,	1,212	2,262	1,966	2,163	2,464	4,705	4,481	5,084
Galvanised sheets and bars .. .. .. ,,	48,867	70,795	41,634	48,646	37,440	54,604	32,472	37,639
Galvanised Manufactures .. .. .. ,,	949	1,439	719	643	1,193	1,653	943	920
Galvanised Wire Netting .. .. .. ,,	38,501	52,802	95,265	48,922	35,225	52,499	103,541	51,618
Jams and Jellies .. .. lb.	146,997	179,894	177,085	212,895	2,613	2,991	2,883	3,391
Jewellers' and Mint sweepings .. .. pkg.	141	125	103	152	1,687	1,355	1,500	1,556
Jewellery and Precious Stones .. .. ,,	491	78	953	1,659	20,238	4,322	49,922	66,175
Kapok .. .. .. ,,	1,112	2,360	2,320	2,463	2,371	5,010	5,017	5,798
Kerosene Shale .. .. tons.	34,549	14,220	21,930	13,845	77,934	32,846	44,511	27,197
Lampware .. .. .. pkg.	592	794	724	834	2,826	4,367	5,031	7,133
Lard .. .. lb.	82,968	75,141	66,687	132,678	1,339	1,204	1,137	2,466
Lead—								
Contained in Matte .. cwt.	200	.....	.....	12,540	90	.....	.....	6,897
Pig .. .. .. ,,	53,875	62,003	41,348	66,290	26,280	33,485	23,879	38,242
Sheet, Roll, and Pipe .. ,,	11,350	14,762	20,522	13,930	7,989	10,507	15,545	11,589
Leather .. .. .. pkg.	13,194	15,660	13,155	14,864	294,708	338,961	304,179	340,400
Limejuice (in bulk and bottle) .. .. gal.	4,496	2,780	2,221	8,977	559	410	286	1,254
Machinery .. .. .. pkg.	8,393	10,708	12,679	19,974	96,050	111,007	143,039	212,485
Malt .. .. bushl.	888	17,539	15,246	10,056	281	4,994	4,252	3,290
Manure—								
Bone-dust .. .. cwt.	197,769	140,862	189,585	238,876	32,656	22,758	31,642	46,414
Other kinds .. .. ,,	132,410	169,134	152,908	138,506	31,126	37,833	35,779	29,100
Marble (wrought and unwrought) .. .. pkg.	614	1,011	861	2,258	1,064	1,966	1,820	3,800
Matches .. .. .. ,,	1,822	2,621	3,669	2,252	3,706	5,115	6,417	4,903
Meat—								
Bacon and Ham .. lb.	149,342	242,937	1,085,699	1,663,071	4,231	6,142	30,473	46,812
Extract of .. .. ,,	122,400	178,178	238,538	357,970	12,300	30,011	36,874	54,861
Frozen .. .. cwt.	608,441	642,566	504,372	540,114	380,651	243,680	275,647	331,046
Frozen .. .. pkg.	572	524	3,876	5,952	700	870	6,457	8,760
Preserved .. .. lb.	23,143,024	19,492,405	13,921,703	17,076,253	314,153	262,280	186,044	270,794
All other kinds .. cwt.	9,258	10,541	10,026	10,250	8,041	9,846	9,638	9,175
Metal (old) .. .. .. cwt.	2,856	4,825	2,851	2,719	3,658	6,402	3,842	3,779
Milk (condensed, concentrated & preserved) .. lb.	376,200	277,755	177,633	197,071	7,870	5,859	3,700	3,920

No. 22.—Principal Articles Exported, New South Wales and Other Produce, 1895–98—*continued.*

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Millinery .. .. .. pkg.	222	183	309	416	6,281	4,392	5,611	5,043
Molasses .. .. .. cwt.	14,784	52,218	48,216	46,298	4,279	9,698	8,569	9,003
Mustard .. .. .. lb.	53,124	46,807	35,723	67,611	2,844	2,355	1,994	3,813
Nickel Ore .. .. .. cwt.	6,753	.....	4,000	15,460	1,835	.....	980	1,960
Oars .. .. .. No.	1,568	3,634	2,276	4,695	383	736	543	1,133
Oilcake .. .. .. cwt.	72	.....	7,190	34,449	20	.....	1,756	8,670
Oils (in bulk and bottle)—								
Castor .. .. { gal.	63,310	67,174	58,862	78,769	5,676	7,009	8,315	10,360
Castor .. .. { doz. bot.	1,329	348	484	963	249	70	97	173
Eucalyptus .. .. pkg.	36	135	153	195	198	546	1,066	1,304
Kerosene .. .. gal.	381,072	413,143	354,536	528,384	13,447	16,211	13,890	17,596
Other kinds .. { gal.	180,131	183,395	182,422	291,951	15,027	16,393	15,767	24,633
Other kinds .. { cwt.	149	521	57,634	92,617	198	673	57,868	103,837
Other kinds .. { doz.	4,113	3,609	3,111	4,697	1,240	1,085	695	1,079
Oilmen's Stores (not otherwise enumerated) .. pkg.	2,869	7,711	6,829	10,540	5,274	13,827	10,970	19,077
Onions .. .. .. cwt.	6,087	12,321	18,882	35,938	1,170	5,600	7,135	17,005
Opium .. .. .. lb.	2,097	944	1,689	2,191	3,491	1,661	2,807	3,333
Ores (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. cwt.	1,143	250	612	1,224	2,229	330	565	1,934
Oysters (Fresh) .. .. pkg.	3,094	3,139	2,797	6,124	4,017	3,655	3,760	8,036
Paints and Colours (dry and in oil) .. .. cwt.	6,806	6,362	4,714	6,626	9,021	8,283	5,929	8,685
Paper, Books, &c.—								
Bags (plain & printed) ,,	616	1,210	1,394	2,658	841	1,574	1,930	3,884
Books and Periodicals. pkg.	2,506	2,841	4,863	5,714	30,788	37,262	30,990	38,029
Brown and Wrapping.. cwt.	2,632	2,584	7,467	11,850	2,551	2,657	7,254	11,019
Circulars and Advertising Matter .. lb.	115,568	90,898	78,582	129,446	3,960	3,258	2,794	4,690
Printing & Newspaper. pkg.	995	1,667	1,603	4,016	5,801	10,408	9,699	24,609
Writing, Note, Fancy Paper and Envelopes ,,	363	404	465	756	2,164	3,147	3,751	5,945
Pearlshell .. .. .. cwt.	509	1,211	2,369	1,713	1,846	4,673	7,674	5,365
Personal Effects .. .. pkg.	4,729	5,672	5,161	7,218	16,126	21,128	20,766	27,821
Photographic Materials.. ,,	640	761	1,048	1,510	4,898	5,725	8,088	11,840
Pickles and Sauces doz. bot.	13,660	15,463	20,327	33,437	4,932	5,775	6,828	10,720
Picture Frames & Mouldings .. .. .. pkg	120	250	230	296	752	2,396	2,292	2,572
Pictures, Paintings, and Photographs .. ,,	336	561	363	442	4,161	8,665	6,130	7,980
Plants, Shrubs, & Trees. ,,	1,457	1,604	1,207	1,408	6,032	4,581	5,347	6,137
Plate and Plated Ware—								
Silver .. .. .. ,,	30	30	33	51	3,015	3,912	1,626	2,423
Other .. .. .. ,,	310	402	424	698	9,311	13,093	15,378	21,037
Potatoes .. .. .. cwt.	55,916	268,163	194,678	253,975	7,188	48,714	28,299	82,494
Poultry (live) .. .. pkg.	618	832	809	1,256	1,094	784	1,144	1,243
Powder (Baking, &c.) .. lb.	7,693	41,825	28,632	33,957	342	2,276	1,322	1,777
Preserves ... . ,,	180,244	323,138	302,716	454,271	3,172	5,839	4,460	5,090
Printers' Materials .. pkg.	523	956	873	1,894	4,584	6,451	5,634	10,435
Quicksilver .. .. bott.	271	189	158	225	2,014	1,510	1,247	1,811
Rags .. .. .. pkg.	6,561	5,632	6,072	3,887	7,696	5,973	6,974	6,828
Railway and Tramway { cwt.	8,896	22,730	19,495	16,240	2,218	6,690	5,598	4,732
Railway and Tramway { pkg.	436	984	1,361	4,600	2,973	3,941	5,177	20,502
Resin .. .. .. brls.	434	513	689	4,193	523	580	657	4,300
Saddles and Harness .. pkg.	469	527	684	692	4,793	5,633	4,688	5,093
Salt (in bags) .. .. cwt.	78,409	55,518	93,547	101,700	9,207	6,488	11,676	12,089
Samples (Travellers') .. pkg.	2,217	3,557	3,595	4,780	15,999	31,039	34,907	48,416
Sausage Skins & Bladders ,,	509	820	962	1,000	1,496	2,636	5,052	4,504
Seeds .. .. .. ,,	2,685	4,183	4,844	6,678	8,528	12,750	12,625	15 011
Sewing Machines .. .. ,,	5,189	5,681	3,041	3,895	11,581	14,594	8,296	11,109
Sheepwash and Sheep Dip ,,	876	658	733	474	1,045	895	1,068	1,113
Ship chandlery .. .. ,,	824	1,378	1,036	2,375	3,801	4,384	4,482	10,133
Silks .. .. .. ,,	167	112	185	245	7,273	5,000	6,186	7,831
Silver—								
Ingots, and contained in Matte .. .. oz.	739,647	333,207	210,063	549,143	91,662	42,767	23,350	61,178
Lead .. .. .. cwt.	593,747	391,664	362,107	202,173	959,736	794,867	645,477	321,136
Ore .. .. .. ,,	3,822,009	5,600,865	5,429,250	7,796,404	613,797	1,089,585	1,041,105	1,336,991

No. 22. Principal Articles Exported, New South Wales and Other Produce, 1895–98—*continued*.

Article.	Quantities.				Value.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
					£	£	£	£
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle .. .. .. No.	481,815	343,339	467,925	445,442	312,571	215,818	308,679	338,048
Sheep .. .. .. pkg.	51,920	33,624	37,450	30,813	374,432	255,213	270,732	298,064
Kangaroo .. .. ,,	1,869	1,504	1,783	1,720	40,555	33,257	34,899	40,073
Other .. .. { ,,	10,090	8,177	9,060	6,866	195,739	127,575	156,708	162,826
Other .. .. { No.	3,543	9,360	4,523	3,961	1,169	6,535	1,566	1,522
Soap .. .. .. lb.	1,020,241	1,346,012	1,536,614	1,881,389	9,231	11,302	15,327	20,175
Soap Stock .. .. .. cwt.	11,168	9,668	6,175	3,755	9,823	7,546	3,790	2,385
Spirits—								
Brandy .. .. .. gal.	18,273	26,501	20,327	23,435	9,584	13,937	13,512	17,205
Essences (flavouring) .. ,,	1,181	1,545	1,020	1,297	1,078	1,477	1,694	2,127
Gin, Geneva, and Schnapps .. .. ,,	19,251	20,871	28,370	21,663	6,096	7,061	7,863	6,194
Perfumes .. .. ,,	434	710	699	849	1,044	2,155	1,797	2,603
Rum & Spirit distilled in the Colony .. ,,	72,620	35,315	44,451	53,096	7,959	4,631	5,709	6,000
Tinctures .. .. ,,	2,266	3,144	3,397	4,409	4,063	4,568	5,414	7,284
Whisky .. .. .. ,,	44,494	56,229	64,150	65,137	17,876	22,237	25,825	27,453
Starch & Starch Powders lb.	155,518	138,360	172,742	151,640	1,890	1,655	2,035	1,820
Stationery (Sundries) .. pkg.	1,759	2,690	2,545	3,353	9,966	17,036	16,267	19,967
Statuary and Monuments. ,,	231	322	263	321	1,818	1,833	2,013	2,439
Sugar (Raw and Refined). cwt.	103,626	91,987	106,790	345,596	78,843	72,966	80,261	218,122
Tallow .. .. .. ,,	1,127,245	583,704	615,952	537,574	1,102,145	509,666	504,227	495,918
Tanning Material .. .. pkg.	452	1,394	1,582	1,708	513	1,356	1,604	1,851
Tea .. .. lb.	2,123,886	2,206,202	2,598,405	2,643,035	77,737	75,833	83,405	89,610
Telegraphic, Telephonic, and Electric Material pkg.	452	788	1,283	1,613	5,402	8,493	17,935	19,210
Tiles .. .. ,,	171	7,026	10,124	10,697	292	790	1,800	1,690
Timber—								
Doors .. .. .. No.	4,698	12,399	9,626	5,636	2,325	5,662	4,230	2,401
Dressed .. .. sup. ft.	179,435	253,258	528,121	246,366	1,389	1,950	3,391	1,950
Rough .. .. .. ,,	11,315,703	11,542,826	13,036,521	15,800,941	50,810	56,046	66,095	87,111
Shooks and Staves .. pkg.	12,649	19,252	17,227	37,586	4,894	6,734	5,839	13,252
Tin—								
Ingots .. .. .. cwt.	62,611	52,084	36,163	27,238	194,082	152,719	111,289	96,385
Ore .. .. .. ,,	1,576	1,939	282	24	2,591	2,905	560	35
Tin Plates .. .. .. pkg.	24,633	23,120	22,870	16,480	17,489	15,820	15,641	11,008
Tinware .. .. .. ,,	235	299	402	1,351	682	992	1,827	5,498
Tobacco—								
Unmanufactured .. lb.	49,348	45,020	68,478	66,639	2,078	2,001	3,043	3,173
Manufactured .. .. ,,	433,778	537,254	595,003	541,943	25,298	30,364	34,943	32,031
Cigars .. .. .. ,,	86,429	131,838	100,339	119,048	17,435	25,508	23,295	26,035
Cigarettes .. .. ,,	28,520	42,724	47,060	76,306	8,512	12,658	14,031	24,304
Tobacco Pipes .. .. pkg.	808	588	585	756	2,182	3,490	3,064	3,811
Tools of various Trades (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. ,,	1,964	4,187	2,707	3,213	6,768	10,280	8,160	10,303
Tortoise-shell .. .. lb.	2,131	2,270	2,070	2,118	1,221	1,547	1,392	1,436
Toys .. .. .. pkg.	246	220	163	440	999	1,356	956	2,236
Turnery and Woodenware ,,	2,613	2,918	1,958	3,115	3,036	4,754	3,069	5,096
Turpentine .. .. gal.	7,510	7,402	8,889	26,264	815	758	948	3,086
Type-writing Machines .. pkg.	272	582	505	451	4,485	10,958	8,979	8,614
Type-writers' Materials .. ,,	64	190	178	160	338	1,829	2,252	1,682
Varnish .. .. .. gal.	8,275	5,771	7,938	6,496	3,564	2,347	2,910	2,926
Vegetables—								
Fresh .. .. .. pkg.	9,973	12,959	15,814	23,151	2,819	3,376	4,856	7,434
Preserved and Dried .. lb.	65,508	49,509	54,026	84,172	1,386	1,009	972	1,603
Watches and Clocks .. pkg.	482	312	345	477	11,994	4,008	4,348	6,288
Wax—Beeswax .. .. lb.	47,157	42,446	28,504	34,489	2,222	2,130	1,386	1,652
Wines (sparkling) .. gal.	2,481	3,175	3,050	3,603	5,128	6,504	6,270	7,118
(other) .. .. ,,	38,237	40,956	40,363	39,372	12,628	12,375	12,882	13,655
Wool—								
Greasy .. .. .. lb.	271,894,051	252,165,260	235,559,742	230,812,486	7,558,173	7,316,942	6,643,240	6,848,714
Scoured and Washed .. ,,	58,098,624	54,659,098	50,237,983	50,135,920	2,417,871	2,580,390	2,277,045	2,608,821
Woollen Manufactures (not otherwise enumerated) .. .. pkg.	2,157	1,038	1,107	1,588	51,924	34,467	40,991	55,315
Woolpacks .. .. .. No.	144,300	163,845	167,046	153,966	9,701	12,037	11,681	10,975
Yellow-metal (sheets) .. pkg.	384	360	250	411	3,783	4,409	2,597	5,271
Zinc—Spelter, Dross, and Ashes .. .. .. cwt.	10,231	16,618	576,879	778,909	4,069	6,903	23,740	29,049

No. 23.—Principal Articles Imported into Sydney during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	15,997 pkg.	72,472	Jewellery and Precious Stones	2,123 pkg.	147,394
Ale and Beer in wood	718,115 gal.	67,134	Leather	2,710 ,,	94,144
,, ,, in bottle	778,038 ,,	153,449	Machinery	45,602 ,,	500,238
Animals (Live)—			Malt	414,220 bush.	113,020
Horses	288 No.	19,915	Oil (Kerosene)	3,235,480 gal.	97,491
Cattle	186 ,,	9,665	Paints and Colours, dry and in oil	73,004 cwt.	90,576
Sheep	4,096 ,,	36,474	Paper, Books, &c.—		
Apparel (wearing)	27,877 pkg.	828,555	Books and Periodicals	10,120 pkg.	147,629
Bags and Sacks	615,812 doz.	112,253	Printing and News-paper	34,323 ,,	151,133
	592 pkg.	17,106	Plate and Plated Ware	2,865 ,,	89,494
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.	3,793 ,,	103,066	Potatoes	556,464 cwt.	178,174
Boots and Shoes	19,952 ,,	289,297	Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails)	9,910 tons.	50,987
Butter	602,568 lb.	28,511		44,340 pkg.	112,092
Cement	173,789 barrels	78,215	Silks	1,371 ,,	97,407
Coal	505 tons.	389	Skins and Hides—		
Coin—			Cattle	362,898 No.	223,497
Gold	129 boxes	551,896	Sheep	8,296 pkg.	63,552
Silver	235 ,,	47,037	All other	1,853 No.	671
Bronze	400 ,,	4,000		3,076 pkg.	44,809
Copra	278,234 cwt.	152,752	Spirits—		
Drapery (including Furs)	56,905 pkg.	1,615,206	Brandy	178,103 gal.	90,564
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	22,296 ,,	164,853	Geneva, Gin, and Schnapps	171,340 ,,	46,626
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	9,192 ,,	106,903	Whisky	556,186 ,,	208,275
Fish (fresh and preserved)	4,605 ,,	4,765	Rum	147,514 ,,	19,243
	6,044,377 lb.	118,439	Liqueurs	8,359 ,,	3,918
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	8,080 pkg.	69,454	Stationery (sundries)	18,882 pkg.	137,351
Fruit—			Sugar (Raw and Refined)	1,108,635 cwt.	672,147
Fresh	1,037,658 ,,	173,573	Tallow	204,442 ,,	169,663
Dried and Candied	7,034,138 lb.	82,004	Tea	11,556,458 lb.	319,819
Furniture	19,836 pkg.	75,253	Timber—		
Gold (Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte)	487,021 oz.	1,762,517	Rough	45,571,285 sup. ft.	194,039
Grain and Pulse—			Dressed	8,825,756 ,,	49,169
Barley	94,398 bush.	19,233	Doors	44,303 No.	18,474
Bran and Pollard	81,916 ,,	2,486	Laths, Palings, and Shingles	7,253,840 ,,	6,385
Maize	219,834 ,,	27,722	Shooks and Staves	40,292 pkg.	12,383
Oats	735,727 ,,	81,757	Tin (Ingots)	9,361 cwt.	31,989
Wheat	504,022 ,,	83,571	Tobacco—		
Flour	292,769 centals	151,764	Unmanufactured	1,315,498 lb.	41,021
Oatmeal	33,131 cwt.	23,605	Manufactured	1,277,231 ,,	88,977
Rice	141,178 ,,	89,144	Cigars	283,458 ,,	73,463
Grindery	7,818 pkg.	43,423	Cigarettes	170,060 ,,	47,707
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	64,733 ,,	252,347	Wool—		
Hats and Caps	10,906 ,,	169,468	Greasy	23,900,916 ,,	716,439
Hay and Chaff	911,069 cwt.	148,601	Scoured and Washed	6,566,279 ,,	329,593
Instruments, Musical—(Pianos, Harmoniums, and Organs).	2,907 No.	61,582	Other Articles (Value)	.....	4,979,999
Iron and Steel (Galvanised Wire Netting)	5,958 cwt.	5,131	Total Value of Imports	.....	£ 18,364,539

No. 24.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported from Sydney during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	160 pkg.	628	Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	77 pkg.	1,125
Ale and Beer—			Fish (fresh and preserved)	474 ,,	444
In wood	1,526 gal.	85		60 lb.	2
In bottle	6,381 ,,	885	Fruit (fresh)	534,564 pkg.	113,931
Animals (Live)—			Furniture	4,108 ,,	11,956
Horses	1,879 No.	38,145	Gold (Bars and Dust, and contained in Matte)	99,901 oz.	377,120
Cattle	2,028 ,,	16,147	Grain and Pulse—		
Sheep	44,386 ,,	19,402	Barley	254 bush.	34
Apparel (wearing)	239 pkg.	2,745	Bran and Pollard	636,161 ,,	20,739
Bags and Sacks	208 ,,	113	Maize	155,635 ,,	21,546
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.	1 ,,	15	Oats	6,381 ,,	780
Boots and Shoes	625 ,,	11,978	Wheat	538,231 ,,	105,506
Butter	8,919,014 lb.	375,202	Flour	301,317 centals	153,022
Cement	12 barrels	7	Oatmeal	4,121 cwt.	3,630
Coal	84,077 tons.	38,726	Grindery	360 pkg.	5,741
Coin (gold)	214 boxes	1,117,923	Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	2,701 ,,	8,313
Copper (ingots)	102,857 cwt.	254,303			
Drapery (including Furs)	175 pkg.	4,607			
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	2,984 ,,	17,450			

No. 24.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported from Sydney during 1898—*continued.*

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Hats and Caps	27 pkg.	272	Spirit Distilled in the Colony	32,490 gal.	3,007
Hay and Chaff	29,129 cwt.	4,140	Stationery (sundries)	728 pkg.	3,380
Iron and Steel—Galvanised Wire Netting	46,898 ,,	49,366	Sugar (Raw and Refined)	575 cwt.	248
Jewellery and Precious Stones	117 pkg.	11,615	Tallow	276,558 ,,	282,673
Leather	14,226 ,,	323,260	Timber—		
	142 lb.	10	Rough	7,337,631 sup. ft.	43,026
Machinery	3,867 pkg.	37,007	Dressed	31,073 ,,	201
Paints and Colours (dry and in oil)	320 cwt.	416	Doors	10 No.	5
Paper, Books, &c. (Books and Periodicals)	428 pkg.	6,975	Shooks and Staves	14,855 pkg.	2,846
Plate and Plated Ware	2 ,,	13	Tin (ingots)	17,877 cwt.	60,565
Potatoes	132,625 cwt.	37,985	Tobacco—		
Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails)	164 pkg.	1,780	Unmanufactured	1,008 lb.	16
Skins and Hides—			Cigarettes	45 ,,	15
Cattle	123,159 No.	89,201	Wool—		
Sheep	8,130 pkg.	158,085	Greasy	151,025,723 ,,	4,522,448
All other	4,435 ,,	155,797	Scoured and Washed	37,679,102 ,,	2,006,784
	1,761 No.	647	Other Articles (Value)	.....	1,328,108
			Total Value of Exports	..... £	11,852,141

No. 25.—Principal Articles Re-Exported from Sydney during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements	1,763 pkg.	6,478	Jewellery and Precious Stones	1,480 pkg.	49,632
Ale and Beer—			Leather	573 ,,	17,011
In Wood	7,860 gal.	697	Machinery	13,725 ,,	160,605
In Bottle	86,530 ,,	16,569	Malt	9,676 bshl.	3,176
Animals (live)—			Oil (kerosene)	523,314 gal.	17,372
Horses	53 No.	4,755	Paints and Colours (dry and in oil)	6,252 cwt.	8,199
Cattle	13 ,,	1,878	Paper, Books, &c.—		
Sheep	2,520 ,,	19,550	Books and Periodicals	2,321 pkg.	26,810
Apparel (wearing)	1,354 pkg.	25,734	Printing and News-paper	4,015 ,,	24,608
Bags and Sacks	257,518 doz.	44,622	Plate and Plated Ware	706 ,,	23,171
	1,537 pkg.	1,782	Potatoes	103,825 cwt.	38,760
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.	2,041 ,,	41,096	Railway and Tramway Plant (including Rails)	631 tons	4,099
Boots and Shoes	1,526 ,,	21,342		4,374 pkg.	18,249
Butter	177,593 lb.	8,609	Silks	222 ,,	7,737
Cement	15,830 barrels	8,632	Skins and Hides—		
Coin—			Cattle	299,781 No.	236,787
Gold	1,289 boxes	5,173,478	Sheep	8,487 pkg.	77,805
Silver	116 ,,	25,854	All other	1,031 ,,	39,570
Bronze	96 ,,	980		2,200 No.	875
Copra	117,538 cwt.	67,692	Spirits—		
Drapery (including Furs)	10,719 pkg.	193,077	Brandy	23,074 gal.	17,014
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	6,383 ,,	33,040	Gin, Geneva, and Schnapps	20,838 ,,	5,986
Fancy Goods (not otherwise enumerated)	7,214 ,,	51,317	Whisky	62,914 ,,	26,238
Fish (fresh and preserved)	140 ,,	211	Rum	20,017 ,,	2,865
	1,268,495 lb.	25,924	Liqueurs	1,129 ,,	1,166
Floorcloth and Oilcloth	121 pkg.	612	Stationery (sundries)	2,583 pkg.	16,504
Fruit—			Sugar (raw and refined)	342,439 cwt.	215,677
Fresh	54,692 ,,	15,821	Tallow	203,405 ,,	182,870
Dried and Candied	1,173,638 lb.	15,601	Tea	2,630,272 lb.	88,953
Furniture	3,717 pkg.	13,819	Timber—		
Gold Bars and Dust and contained in Matte	2,530 oz.	9,420	Rough	3,006,837 sup. ft.	18,731
Grain and Pulse—			Dressed	125,995 ,,	841
Barley	62,834 bush.	10,452	Doors	5,614 No.	2,384
Bran and Pollard	98,410 ,,	3,147	Laths, Palings, and Shingles	700,000 ,,	589
Maize	44,849 ,,	6,297	Shooks and Staves	20,991 pkg.	10,049
Oats	43,577 ,,	5,144	Tin (ingots)	9,361 cwt.	35,820
Wheat	78,776 ,,	14,528	Tobacco—		
Flour	184,391 centals	95,947	Unmanufactured	65,631 lb.	3,157
Oatmeal	543 cwt.	545	Manufactured	506,095 ,,	29,937
Rice	26,046 ,,	15,323	Cigars	112,923 ,,	24,788
Grindery	1,832 pkg.	19,231	Cigarettes	76,208 ,,	24,253
Hardware and Ironmongery (including Hollow-ware)	26,250 ,,	122,687	Wool—		
Hats and Caps	485 ,,	6,372	Greasy	25,098,596 ,,	764,520
Hay and Chaff	3,655 cwt.	701	Scoured and Washed	6,688,898 ,,	360,764
Instruments Musical—Pianos, Harmoniums, and Organs	653 No.	17,264	Other Articles (Value)	.....	1,042,397
Iron and Steel — Galvanised Wire Netting	2,008 cwt.	2,236	Total Value of Re-Exports	..... £	9,778,523

No. 26.—Principal Articles Imported into Newcastle during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Agricultural Implements ..	1,224 pkg.	10,024	Instruments (Musical)—Pianos,		
Ale and Beer—In bottle ..	27,399 gal.	5,584	Harmoniums, and Organs ..	12 No.	412
Animals (Live)—			Jewellery and Precious Stones	28 pkg.	783
Horses..	7 No.	269	Leather	21 ,,	184
Cattle	2 ,,	78	Machinery	1,455 ,,	15,888
Sheep	40 ,,	126	Malt	12,010 bshl.	3,663
Apparel (wearing)	706 pkg.	20,037	Oil—Kerosene	182,000 gal.	5,414
Bags and Sacks	1,632 ,,	1,362	Paints and Colours (dry and		
Bicycles, Tricycles, &c.. ..	17 ,,	206	in oil)	4,852 cwt.	4,658
Boots and Shoes..	138 ,,	1,795	Paper, Books, &c.—		
Butter	89,236 lb.	3,942	Books and Periodicals ..	83 pkg.	1,505
Cement	6,700 barrels	2,933	Printing and News-paper ..	108 ,,	461
Coal	1 ton.	1	Plate and Plated Ware.. ..	37 ,,	943
Drapery (including Furs) ..	1,343 pkg.	45,925	Potatoes	29,663 cwt.	9,419
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	373 ,,	1,990	Railway and Tramway Plant	274 tons.	1,486
Fancy Goods (not otherwise			(including Rails) ..	1,098 pkg.	1,083
enumerated)	53 ,,	850	Silks	14 ,,	387
Fish (fresh and preserved) ..	230,749 lb.	4,299	Spirits—		
Floorcloth and Oilcloth ..	329 pkg.	2,636	Brandy	17,191 gal.	6,571
Fruit—			Geneva, Gin, and Schnapps	9,432 ,,	1,523
Fresh	2 ,,	1	Whisky	19,832 ,,	7,044
Dried and Candied	526,671 lb.	6,475	Rum	9,898 ,,	1,100
Furniture..	317 pkg.	955	Stationery (sundries)	217 pkg.	1,369
Grain and Pulse—			Sugar (raw and refined) ..	47,321 cwt.	35,694
Bran and Pollard	14,929 bshl.	576	Tallow	3,910 ,,	3,277
Oats	43,504 ,,	5,317	Timber—Rough..	565,236 sup. ft.	3,175
Wheat	80 ,,	11	Dressed	697,708 ,,	4,438
Flour	23,710 centals	12,688	Doors	340 No.	154
Oatmeal	199 cwt.	180	Shooks and Staves	4,827 pkg.	771
Rice	22 ,,	11	Tobacco—Manufactured ..	6,075 lb.	371
Hardware and Ironmongery			Cigars	8,013 ,,	907
(including Hollow-ware) ..	3,014 pkg.	5,658	Other Articles—Value	.....	148,738
Hats and Caps	109 ,,	1,599			
Hay and Chaff	87,101 cwt.	12,581	Total Value of Imports ..	..... £	409,527

No. 27.—Principal Articles of New South Wales Produce and Manufacture Exported from Newcastle during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Animals (live)—			Flour	3,290 centals	1,8
Horses..	1,793 No.	24,461	Hay and Chaff	26,780 cwt.	3,890
Cattle	13,521 ,,	80,993	Potatoes	1,594 ,,	366
Sheep	48,438 ,,	24,854	Skins and Hides—		
Butter	600 lb.	25	Cattle	381 No.	322
Coal	2,485,394 tons.	846,128	Sheep	13 pkg.	130
Copper—Ingots	1,180 cwt.	2,840	Tallow	13,154 cwt.	13,065
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	163 pkg.	200	Timber—		
Fish (fresh and preserved) ..	25 ,,	15	Rough	835,705 sup. ft.	4,886
Fruit (fresh)	32 ,,	16	Shooks and Staves	18 pkg.	13
Furniture..	101 ,,	440	Wool—		
Grain and Pulse—			Greasy..	15,458,026 lb.	502,902
Barley	4 bshl.	1	Scoured and Washed ..	1,147,860 ,,	52,815
Bran and Pollard	13,668 ,,	556	Other Articles—Value	.....	205,194
Maize	15,326 ,,	2,509			
Oats	508 ,,	65			
Wheat	5,676 ,,	994	Total Value of Exports ..	..... £	1,769,53

No. 28.—Principal Articles Re-Exported from Newcastle during 1898.

Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.
		£			£
Ale and Beer—In bottle ..	622 gal.	87	Railway and Tramway Plant—		
Apparel (wearing)	6 pkg.	18	(including Rails)	125 tons	620
Bags and Sacks	8,855 doz.	1,095	Spirits—Brandy	168 gal.	82
Cement	900 barrels	390	Geneva, Gin, and Schnapps	729 ,,	154
Copra	625 cwt.	310	Whisky	1,057 ,,	526
Drugs and Apothecaries' Ware	12 pkg.	150	Rum	491 ,,	72
Fish (fresh and preserved) ..	960 lb.	18	Stationery (sundries)	1 pkg.	4
Fruit (dried and candied) ..	11,905 ,,	176	Sugar (raw and refined) ..	881 cwt.	641
Grain and Pulse—Rice.. ..	3 cwt.	2	Tallow	2,327 ,,	2,351
Instruments (Musical)—Pianos,			Tea	183 lb.	8
Harmoniums, and Organs..	2 No.	50	Timber—Dressed	35,000 sup. ft.	360
Machinery	6 pkg.	42	Tobacco—Manufactured ..	28,109 lb.	1,400
Oil—Kerosene	2,280 gal.	103	Cigars	6,106 ,,	1,237
Paints and Colours (dry and in			Cigarettes	53 ,,	36
oil)	30 cwt.	34	Other Articles—Value	.....	3,112
Paper, Books, &c.—Books and					
Periodicals	3 pkg.	21	Total Value of Re-Exports..	..... £	13,099

No. 29.—Importations Prohibited.

Cigars or Cigarettes imported in vessels under 40 tons register, or in outer packages containing less than thirty pounds net weight, or less than five thousand in number each, or containing any other goods.

Counterfeit coin or false money, purporting to be sterling coin of the realm, and not being of the established standard in weight or fineness.

Indecent or obscene books, paintings, drawings, cards, engravings, photographs, or other indecent or obscene productions or articles.

Infected cattle, sheep, or other animals, and hides, skins, horns, hoofs, or any other part of cattle or other animals which the Governor may, by proclamation, prohibit in order to prevent the spreading of any contagious disease.

Opium (except when made up in the form of drugs) imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and in packages each containing less than thirty pounds net weight, or containing any other goods.

Snuff or tobacco imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and in packages each containing less than twenty-five pounds net weight, or containing any other goods.

Spirits (not being perfumed or medicinal spirits) imported in vessels under 40 tons register, and (unless bottled) in casks or packages containing less than twelve gallons of liquid measurement, and not duly reported as being part of the cargo or stores of the importing ship.

Trees, vines, flowers, shrubs, vegetables and fruits can only be introduced into New South Wales subject to the supervision of the Department of Agriculture.

Murray River Trade.—The restrictions on vessels under 40 tons register do not extend to vessels on the River Murray, provided due notice is given to Customs' Officers.

Importation of Arms, Ammunition, &c.—The importation of arms, ammunition, gunpowder, or other explosives may be prohibited by proclamation or order of the Governor-in-Council, whenever deemed expedient.

No. 30.—Explosives, &c., within the meaning of the Gunpowder and Explosive Consolidation Act of 1876.

Explosives and Explosive Substances.—The importation, manufacture, removal, storage, keeping, and sale of Explosives is regulated by the Gunpowder and Explosive Consolidation Act of 1876 (40 Vic. No. 1), the administration of which, under the Colonial Treasurer, is intrusted to the Mercantile Explosives Department. The Public Magazines are also under the custody of the same Department.

Magazines, &c.—The Public Magazines are situated as follow:—

At Goat Island in the harbour of Port Jackson—Comprising several buildings, residence for Officer-in-charge, &c.
At Middle Harbour—One large and one small hulk, also a guardship with quarters for Officer-in-charge, warders, &c.
At Pittwater, Broken Bay—One small hulk, with quarters on shore for overseer and warders, &c.
At Newcastle—One large hulk.

The licenses issued to persons dealing in gunpowder, &c., at the end of 1898 were:—Ordinary (to keep not more than 25 lb.), 1,227; Special (to keep more than 500 lb.), 87. Certificates of Registration, 848, and Magazine Licenses, 2.

EXPLOSIVES.

Amberite, Nos. 1 and 2.	Cordite.	Nitrated Guncotton.	Van Forster's Smokeless Powder.
Ammonite.	Detonators.	Nitro-glycerine.	Walsrode Powder.
Ardeer Powder.	Di-flamyr.	Normal Smokeless Powder.	Westfalite.
B. N. Powder.	Dynamite	Oarite.	Zanthorite.
Ballistite.	Electronite.	Picric Powder.	Any explosive of which Chlorate of Potash forms part.
Bellite.	Forcite.	Potentite.	
Blasting Amberite.	Fortis.	Pyrolignoine.	
Blasting or Gelatine Matagnite.	Fulminate of Mercury, or of other Metals.	Rack-a-Rock.	Any Explosive Preparation of Vegetable Fibre.
Blasting Powders.	Gelignite.	Rifle Guncotton.	
C. L. Powder.	Gothurst Powder.	Riflite.	Any process of manufacture or mixing of any ingredients or substances to form an explosive compound.
Cannonite, Nos. 1 and 2.	Greener's Powder.	Ripplene.	
Cap Composition only.	Guncotton.	Roburite.	
Carbo dynamite.	Gunpowder.	Securite.	
Carbonite.	Hercules Powder.	Shatterock.	
Camphorated and Blasting Gelatines.	Lithofracteur.	Smokeless Powders.	Any substance which may be proclaimed by the Governor.
Chilworth Special Powder.	Meganite.	Stonite.	
Collodion Cotton.	Nico.	Storite.	
	Nitrate Powders.	Tonite.	
		Troisdorf Smokeless Powder.	

EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCES.

Cartridges, or Ammunition of which an explosive forms part.	Fireworks.	Rockets.	Every adaptation of an explosive or an explosive substance, as above defined.
Coloured Fires.	Kerosene.	Any explosive substance which may be manufactured.	
	Petroleum.		
	Picrate of Potash.		

Fees for Licenses.—For an "Ordinary License" to deal in explosives with permission to keep 25 lb. at any one time without registration of premises, 10 shillings. For the "Registration of Premises" on which more than 25 lb. of explosive is desired to be kept at any one time, 5 shillings. For a "Special License" to keep more than 500 lb. of explosives at any one time, 20 shillings. For a "Magazine License" to store explosives in terms of Section 24, (40 Vic. No. 1), 40 shillings.

The revenue derived from the issue of licenses and from the storage, conveyance, &c., of explosives during the year 1898 was as follows:—

	£
Ordinary Licenses	613
Special Licenses	87
Certificates of Registration	213
Rent on Explosives stored at the Public Magazines	7,613
Carriage of Explosives	1,906
Magazine Licenses	4
Miscellaneous	308
Total	£10,744

Inspection of Kerosene.—Under Act 35 Vic. No. 1, power is given for the appointment of one or more inspectors, who test all kerosene imported or refined in New South Wales, and no kerosene must be delivered to purchasers till a certificate has been obtained from the inspector. The present holder of the office of Inspector of Kerosene is the Superintendent of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade.

No. 31.—Customs Tariff of New South Wales.

Decisions of Collector of Customs.—Printed lists of the decisions of the Collector of Customs are published by the Customs Department.

Exemptions from Import Duty.—All goods imported direct for the use of the Public Service are exempt from duties and imposts of every description.

Export Duties.—No Export Duties are levied in New South Wales.

PERMANENT TARIFF.		s. d.
Spirits—On all kinds of spirits and spirituous compounds imported, and not otherwise enumerated	per proof gallon	14 0
No allowance beyond 16·5 shall be made for the underproof of any spirit of a less strength than 16·5 underproof.		
Case Spirits—Contents of two, three, four, or five gallons shall be charged—		
Two gallons and under as two gallons.		
Over two gallons and not exceeding three as three gallons.		
Over three gallons and not exceeding four as four gallons.		
Over four gallons and not exceeding five as five gallons.		
Bitters, essences, fluid extracts, sarsaparilla, tinctures, medicines, infusions, and toilet preparations containing—		
Not more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	3 6
Not more than 50 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	7 0
Not more than 75 per cent. of proof spirit	per gallon	10 6
If containing more than 75 per cent. of proof spirit...	per gallon	14 0
If containing spirit overproof to be charged as spirituous compounds	per proof gallon	14 0
Methylated spirit	per gallon	0 1
Perfumed spirits, perfumed waters, Florida water, and bay rum	per liquid gallon	20 0
Wines—Sparkling—For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints	.....	10 0
Other kinds	per gallon	5 0
Other kinds—For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints		5 0
Beer, ale, porter, spruce, or other beer, cider, and perry—		
In wood, or jar	per gallon	0 6
In bottle...	per gallon	0 9
For six reputed quarts, or twelve reputed pints	per gallon	0 9
Tobacco—Delivered from ship's side or from a Customs Bond for home consumption—manufactured, unmanufactured, and snuff	per lb.	3 0
Unmanufactured, entered to be manufactured in the Colony. At the time of removal from a Customs Bond, or from an importing ship to any licensed tobacco manufactory for manufacturing purposes only into tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes	per lb.	1 0
Sheepwash	per lb.	0 3
Cigars and Cigarettes (including wrappers in latter case) ...	per lb.	6 0
Opium, and any preparation thereof	per lb.	20 0
Biscuits	per lb.	0 0½
Confectionery (including cakes, comfits, liquorice, liquorice paste, lozenges of all kinds, cocoanut in sugar, sugar-candy, succades, and sweetmeats)	per lb.	0 1
Fruits—Dried, candied, and prunes (exclusive of dates) ...	per lb.	0 2
Glucose—Solid	per cwt.	3 0
Liquid	per cwt.	2 0
Jams and Jellies—per lb. or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for any such reputed weight	per lb.	0 0½
Molasses and Treacle	per cwt.	2 0
Preserves and canned fruits, fruits boiled, peel drained or dry...	per lb.	0 0½
Sugar—Refined	per cwt.	4 0
Raw	per cwt.	3 0
Tea	per lb.	0 1
DIMINISHING DUTY.		
Candles per lb., or reputed package of that weight, and so in proportion for any such reputed weight, night lights, and stearine	per lb.	s. d. 0 0½
From 1st July, 1899	.....	Free.

No. 32.—Customs Tariff Changes from 1871.

Exemptions from Import Duty.—A reservation has always been made that all goods imported for the supply of the Public Service shall be exempted from duties and imposts of every description.

Date when passed.	Act.	Took effect from—	Alterations made.
22 May, 1871 ..	34 Vic. No. 21 (repealing all previous Acts).	9 March, 1871	Specific duties largely increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. imposed.
28 Nov., 1873..	37 Vic. No. 5 (repealing parts of 1871 Act).	1 Jan., 1874 ..	The number of articles subject to duty reduced.
			Duty imposed on Sarsaparilla containing more than 25 per cent. of proof spirit.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. abolished.
6 Feb., 1880 ..	43 Vic. No. 16 (amending Act).	10 Dec., 1879 ..	Duties on Spirits, Spirituous Compounds, and Wines increased.
2 April, 1884..	47 Vic. No. 10 (amending Act).	20 Feb., 1884 ..	Duties imposed on Stearine and Cigarettes.
			Duties on Cigars, Tobacco, and Opium increased.
			The limit of under-proof allowance of spirits fixed at 16·5.
			The reputed contents of cases containing Spirits, Beer, and Wine regulated.
28 Sept., 1886..	50 Vic. No. 16 (repealing the 1871, 1873, 1880, and 1884 Acts, or the unrepealed portions of them).	7 April, 1886..	The number of articles charged specific duties largely increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. reimposed.
			Duty on Perfumed Spirits increased.
8 July, 1887 ..	51 Vic. No. 8 (repealing 1886 Act).	1 Oct., 1887 ..	The number of articles charged specific duties largely reduced.
		1 Oct., 1887 ..	Ad Valorem duties of 5 per cent. abolished.
		1 May, 1887 ..	Duties on Malt and Hops abolished.
		30 March, 1887	Duties on Spirits and Spirituous Compounds increased.
		30 March, 1887	New schedule of specific duties at lower rates.
2 March, 1892	55 Vic. No. 16 (repealing 1887 Act).	2 Dec., 1891 ..	The number of articles subject to specific duties increased.
			Ad Valorem duties of 10 and 15 per cent. imposed.
		1 March, 1892	Duty on Tea abolished.
		1 Jan., 1893 ..	10s. per ton duty imposed on Pig-iron.
12 Dec., 1895 ..	59 Vic No. 18 (repealing 1891 Act).	1 Jan., 1896 ..	Ad Valorem duties abolished. From the 1st January, 1896, the list of dutiable articles was limited to Intoxicants, Narcotics, and 25 other articles. On the 30th June, 1896, the duties on 16 of the 25 articles ceased, and the duties on the remaining 9 will be abolished on a sliding scale basis on or before the year 1900 ; the list of dutiable goods will then be limited to Intoxicants and Narcotics.
17 Dec., 1898 ..	Act 32 of 1898	3 Nov., 1893 ..	Duties imposed by 59 Vic. No. 18 on Sugar, Glucose, Molasses and Treacle, Biscuits, Confectionery, Fruits, Jams, Jellies and Preserves cease to be diminishing duties and are retained, and a duty of 1d. per pound placed on Tea, and 2d. per pound on Fruits—dried, candied, or prunes, exclusive of dates.

No. 33.—Excise Tariff of New South Wales.

Drawbacks and Refunds.—Drawbacks are allowed on Beer. Refunds are allowed on Beer if it is spoiled, or becomes unfit for use after removal from Brewery; on no other articles are Drawbacks or Refunds allowed under the Excise Tariff.

Article.	Took effect from—	Authority.	Rate of Excise.	s.	d.
Intoxicants—					
Spirits Distilled in the Colony ...	30 March, 1887..	51 Vic. No. 6	℔ proof gallon,	14	0
Beer	3 June, 1887 ...	50 Vic. No. 38	℔ liquid gallon,	0	3
Narcotics—					
Tobacco	30 March, 1887...	47 Vic. No. 12 amended by 51 Vic. No. 7	℔ lb.,	1	3
Cigars and Cigarettes	20 Feb., 1884 ...	47 Vic. No. 12	℔ lb.,	2	6

No. 34.—Excise Tariff Changes from 1866.

Date when passed.	Act.	Took effect from—	Duty.	Alterations made.
Spirits.				
19 Jan., 1866..	29 Vic. No. 15 (repealing previous Acts).	29 Nov., 1865..	℔ proof gallon. 9s. 5d. and 10s.	Under various Acts the Excise duty on colonially distilled spirits had been gradually raised from 2s. 6d. per proof gallon, imposed April, 1830 (Act 11 Geo. IV, 9) to 6s. 5d. in September, 1855 (Act 19 Vic. 15). Under Act 29 Vic. No. 15 the Excise duty was fixed at 9s. 5d. per proof gallon if distilled from sugar upon which Customs duties had been paid, or 10s. if distilled or made wholly, or in any proportion exceeding 10% of the whole, from materials upon which no Customs duties had been paid.
6 Feb., 1880..	43 Vic. No. 17 (repealing previous Act).	10 Dec., 1879..	12s.	Duty raised to 12s. per proof gallon.
8 July, 1887 (still in force).	51 Vic. No. 6 (repealing previous Act).	30 Mar., 1887..	14s.	Duty raised to 14s. per proof gallon.
Beer.				
3 June, 1887 (still in force).	50 Vic. No. 38....	3 June, 1887..	℔ gallon 3d.	Prior to the passing of this Act there was no Excise duty on beer brewed in New South Wales. The Act defines "beer" to include ale, porter, and every other malt liquor or fermented beverage purporting to be beer, or made in imitation of beer, or malt liquor, and whether brewed wholly or in part from any other substance than malt, and fixes the duty at 3d. per gallon.
Tobacco.				
10 April, 1884..	47 Vic. No. 12....	20 Feb., 1884..	℔ lb. 1s.	Prior to the passing of this Act there was no Excise duty on tobacco manufactured in New South Wales. The duty was fixed at 1s. per lb. on tobacco manufactured or cut in any tobacco factory. The Act also provided for the imposition of license fees to be paid by manufacturers and vendors.
8 July, 1887 (still in force).	51 Vic. No. 7 (amending Act).	30 Mar., 1887..	1s. 3d.	Duty increased to 1s. 3d. per lb.
Cigars and Cigarettes.				
1 April, 1884 (still in force).	47 Vic. No. 12....	20 Feb., 1884..	℔ lb. 2s. 6d.	The "Tobacco Act of 1884" imposed an Excise duty of 2s. 6d. per lb. on cigars and cigarettes, manufactured in any tobacco factory, and the provisions as to license fees for the manufacture and sale of tobacco apply equally to cigars and cigarettes.

No. 35.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1898.

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
	SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.		
INTOXICANTS, NARCOTICS, &c.—			£
Ale and Beer—			
In wood	℔ gallon liquid, 6d.	776,760 gallons	19,419
In bottle	,, ,, 9d.	826,587 ,,	30,997
Spirits—			
Brandy	℔ gallon proof, 14s.	152,991 ,,	107,094
Geneva	,, ,, 14s.	145,524 ,,	101,867
Gin	,, ,, 14s.	9,451 ,,	6,616
Rum	,, ,, 14s.	205,263 ,,	143,684
Whisky	,, ,, 14s.	444,917 ,,	311,442
Liqueurs	,, ,, 14s.	7,701 ,,	5,391
All other	,, ,, 14s.	13,730 ,,	9,611
Perfumed	,, liquid 20s.	5,014 ,,	5,014
Samples	Various	.....	149
Wines—			
Sparkling	℔ gallon liquid, 10s.	12,762 gallons	6,381
Still	,, ,, 5s.	64,980 ,,	16,245
Bitters, not more than 25 % proof spirit..	,, ,, 3s. 6d.	280 ,,	49
,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,, ,, 7s.	57 ,,	20
,, ,, 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 10s. 6d.	30 ,,	16
,, over 75 ,, ..	,, ,, 14s.	549 ,,	384
Essences, not more than 25 ,, ...	,, ,, 3s. 6d.	623 ,,	109
,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,, ,, 7s.	646 ,,	226
,, ,, 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 10s. 6d.	408 ,,	214
,, over 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 14s.	3,836 ,,	2,685
Sarsaparilla, not more than 25 ,, ...	,, ,, 3s. 6d.	486 ,,	85
,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,, ,, 7s.	1,403 ,,	491
,, ,, 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 10s. 6d.	6 ,,	3
,, over 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 14s.	1 ,,	1
Tinctures, not more than 25 ,, ...	,, ,, 3s. 6d.	5,474 ,,	958
,, ,, 50 ,, ...	,, ,, 7s.	2,546 ,,	891
,, ,, 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 10s. 6d.	1,322 ,,	694
,, over 75 ,, ...	,, ,, 14s.	13,714 ,,	9,600
Opium	℔ lb., 20s.	18,726 lb.	18,726
Tobacco—			
Manufactured and Snuff	,, 3s.	929,034 ,,	139,355
Leaf	,, 3s.	18,387 ,,	2,758
,, (entered for home manufacture)	,, 1s.	1,077,480 ,,	53,874
Cigars	,, 6s.	190,450 ,,	57,135
Cigarettes	,, 6s.	86,897 ,,	26,069
Total Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c....	.....	..... £	1,078,253

No. 35.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1898—*continued.*

Article	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
	SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*		
			£
OTHER ARTICLES—			
Biscuits †	℔ lb.,	1d.	31,200 lb.	130
	,,	½d.	36,960 ,,	77
Candles	,,	½d.	3,506,400 ,,	7,305
§Chicory, roasted	,,	6d.	40 ,,	1
§ ,, raw	,,	3d.	80 ,,	1
§Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	,,	4d.	19,320 ,,	322
§ ,, raw	,,	2d.	360 ,,	3
§Coffee, roasted or ground	,,	6d.	2,720 ,,	68
§ ,, raw	,,	3d.	240 ,,	3
Confectionery **	,,	2d.	265,440 ,,	2,212
	,,	1d.	572,640 ,,	2,386
Fruit—				
Boiled †	,,	1d.	9,600 ,,	40
	,,	½d.	4,320 ,,	9
§Bottled	Dozen pints,	1s.	360 doz. pnts.	18
Dried *	℔ lb.,	2d.	3,873,840 lb.	32,282
	,,	1d.	3,484,080 ,,	14,517
Glucose—				
Liquid	℔ cwt.,	2s. 8d.	3,832 cwt.	511
	,,	††2s.	9,640 ,,	964
Solid	,,	4s.	1,595 ,,	319
	,,	††3s.	3,993 ,,	599
Jams and Jellies †	℔ lb.,	1d.	575,520 lb.	2,398
	,,	½d.	756,480 ,,	1,576
Molasses	,,	2s. 8d.	1,792 ,,	239
	,,	††2s.	4,140 ,,	414
,, ex Refinery	,,	2s. 8d.	15,217 ,,	2,029
	,,	††2s.	28,000 ,,	2,800
Preserves †	,,	1d.	247,680 ,,	1,032
	,,	½d.	642,240 ,,	1,338
‡Rice	℔ ton,	60s.	151 tons	454
Sheepwash—tobacco	℔ lb.,	3d.	.....	.....
Spirit, methylated	℔ gallon,	1d.	45,840 gallons	191
Stearine	℔ lb.,	1d.	.....	.....
	,,	½d.	107,040 lb.	223
Sugar—				
Refined	℔ cwt.,	5s. 4d.	664 cwt.	177
	,,	††4s.	1,165 ,,	233
,, ex Refinery	,,	5s. 4d.	930 ,,	248
	,,	††4s.	1,500 ,,	300
Raw	,,	4s.	156,615 ,,	31,323
	,,	††3s.	283,660 ,,	42,549
,, ex Refinery	,,	4s.	54,685 ,,	10,937
	,,	††3s.	113,133 ,,	16,970
Tea ‡‡	℔ lb.	3d.	110,480 lb.	1,381
	,,	1d.	577,200 ,,	2,405
Total "Other Articles"	.....	.....	£	180,984
Total Specific Import Duties	.....	.....	£	1,259,237

* Duty of 2d. per lb. to 30th June, 1d. per lb. from 1st July, 2d. per lb. from 3rd November, 1898. † Duty of 1d. per lb. to 30th June, ½d. per lb. from 1st July, 1d. per lb. from 3rd November, ½d. per lb. from the 24th November, 1898. ‡ Duty of 60s. per ton collected from 3rd to 24th November, 1898. § Duty collected from 3rd to 23rd November, 1898. ** Duty of 2d. per lb. to 30th June, 1d. per lb. from 1st July, 2d. per lb. from 3rd November, 1d. per lb. from the 24th November, 1898. †† Reduced rate from 1st July, 1898. ‡‡ Duty of 3d. per lb. collected from 3rd to 4th November, reduced to 1d. per lb. on 25th November, 1898.

No. 35.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
Excise Duties.			
			£
Spirits distilled in the Colony	℔ gallon (proof), 14s.	4,093 gallons	2,865
Beer	,, (liquid), 3d.	11,674,880 ,,	145,936
Tobacco	℔ lb. 1s. 3d.	1,992,720 lb.	124,545
Cigars and Cigarettes	,, 2s. 6d.	232,600 ,,	29,075
Tobacco Factory Licenses	.....	.....	1,067
Total Excise Duties			£ 303,488
Miscellaneous Receipts.			
			£
Pilotage Rates			17,321
Removal Dues			5,898
Harbour and Light Rates			24,534
†Tonnage Rates			10,083
Bonding Warehouses—License Fees			6,867
Tobacco – Licenses to sell			612
Tax on Chinese (£100 per head)			300
Rent of Goods in Queen's Warehouse			24
‡Shipping Fees at Ports other than Sydney and Newcastle			10
Attendance of Officers superintending repacks			26
Paid direct to Treasury Department:—			
§Crown's share of Seizures and Penalties			715
Surplus Proceeds, sale of Over-time Goods			178
Sundries			336
Total Miscellaneous Receipts			£ 66,904
Summary.			
			£
Customs (Import) Duties—			
Specific—			
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.			1,078,253
Other Articles			180,984
Total Customs (Import) Duties			£ 1,259,237
Excise Duties			303,488
Miscellaneous Receipts			66,904
Gross Revenue Collected			£ 1,629,629
Less Drawbacks, £7,508. Refunds, £3,806			11,314
Net Revenue Collected			£ 1,618,315

† **Ports at which Wharfage and Tonnage Rates are levied.**—See footnotes to Tables Nos. 9 and 11 Part "Shipping."

‡ **Shipping Fees.**—The fees collected under this head are not an item of Revenue of the Customs Department, but there being no Shipping Masters outside Sydney and Newcastle, the Customs officials collected at other ports.

§ **Confiscations.**—All goods seized by the Customs are submitted at auction sales held periodically; and should the sum offered be less than the amount of duty leviable the goods are withdrawn from sale and destroyed.

Pilotage, Harbour and Light Rates, and Wharfage and Tonnage Rates, see footnotes to Tables Nos. 9 and 11, Part "Shipping."

No. 36.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1894-98.

Import Tariff.—(See Customs Tariff Changes from 1871, Table No. 32.)

Article.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.					
INTOXICANTS, NARCOTICS, &c.—	£	£	£	£	£
Ale and Beer—					
In wood	21,747	21,205	20,845	22,052	19,419
In bottle	32,825	30,341	34,181	34,708	30,997
Spirits	656,884	641,389	659,354	647,213	690,868
Wines—					
Sparkling	5,861	6,092	7,045	6,695	6,381
Still	17,941	17,217	17,265	16,091	16,245
Bitters, Sarsaparilla, Tinctures, &c.	11,338	12,567	13,373	14,418	16,426
Opium	16,208	15,719	16,616	17,248	18,726
Tobacco—					
Manufactured and Snuff	135,189	138,204	141,751	138,706	139,355
Leaf	821	1,672	1,703	1,735	2,758
„ (entered for home manufacture)	26,761	31,552	34,128	43,926	53,874
Cigars	55,329	55,299	53,848	56,607	57,135
Cigarettes	17,864	20,765	20,241	24,451	26,069
Total Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c. £	998,768	992,022	1,020,350	1,023,850	1,078,253
OTHER ARTICLES—					
Butter	3,477	18,119	4,563	.....	.....
Candles	11,732	9,876	11,169	7,768	7,305
Cement	12,448	14,820	3,870	.....	.....
Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	7,761	8,662	2,295	.....	322
Fish—Dried, Preserved, &c.	10,051	12,662	6,150	.....	.....
Fruit—					
Dried	48,966	58,993	62,273	59,921	46,799
Green	18,196	18,466	5	.....	.....
Grain, Pulse, &c.—					
Flour	32,825	17,423	6	.....	.....
Oats	11,866	11,335	.....	.....	.....
Rice	15,514	16,004	6,392	.....	454
Wheat	6,405	8,970	.....	.....	.....
Hay and Chaff	19,017	28,293	9	.....	.....
Iron—					
Galvanised Wire Netting / „ Manufactures	26,937	24,909	4,298	.....	.....
Bolts, Spikes, Nuts, &c. / Iron and Steel Wire / Pig	3,884	4,520	.....	.....	.....
Jams and Jellies	5,131	3,550	5,579	4,673	3,974
Meat—Bacon and Ham	4,376	4,543	1,191	.....	.....
Milk—Condensed and Preserved	8,884	9,848	3,952	.....	.....
Molasses / „ ex refinery	5,194	6,797	8,544	7,579	5,482
Oils—					
Kerosene	52,226	53,582	38,299	10,978	.....
Other	11,172	11,529	7,642	2,651	.....
Onions	4,149	6,147	.....	.....	.....
Paper—					
Advertising matter / Brown and wrapping	9,163	8,360	.....	.....	.....
Paints and Colours in Oil	6,093	5,685	.....	.....	.....
Potatoes	16,564	25,178	.....	.....	.....
Salt (other than Rock)	19,087	22,321	11,263	.....	.....
Starch, &c.	8,139	6,813	.....	.....	.....
Sugar—					
Refined / „ ex refinery / Raw / „ ex refinery	158,623	130,115	178,972	120,699	102,737
Tea	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,786

No. 36.—Revenue Collected by the Customs Department, 1894-98—*continued.*

Excise Tariff.—(See Excise Tariff Changes from 1866, Table No. 34.)

Article.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Specific Import Duties—*continued.*					
Other Articles—*continued*—	£	£	£	£	£
Timber—					
Dressed	10,808	10,263	2,339	.....	.....
Rough	39,737	35,780	11,206	.....	.....
Other Specific Duties*	59,402	58,103	16,429	12,057	10,125
Total, "Other Articles" ... £	647,827	651,666	386,446	226,326	180,984
Total, Specific Import Duties ... £	1,646,595	1,643,688	1,406,796	1,250,176	1,259,237
Ad valorem Import Duties.					
	£	£	£	£	£
At 10 per cent.	353,825	344,699	144	.....	.....
At 15 per cent.	60,510	59,120	29	.....	.....
Total, Ad valorem Import Duties £	414,335	403,819	173	.....	.....
Excise Duties.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Spirits Distilled in the Colony	14,694	8,606	5,609	5,025	2,865
Beer	118,855	122,773	127,217	135,080	145,936
Tobacco	108,281	117,734	116,101	117,046	124,545
Cigars and Cigarettes	15,011	17,183	21,840	24,324	29,075
Tobacco Factory Licenses...	1,244	1,356	1,335	1,123	1,067
Total, Excise Duties ... ... £	258,085	267,652	272,102	282,598	303,488
Miscellaneous Receipts.					
	£	£	£	£	£
Pilotage and Removal Dues	36,238	36,303	37,417	23,839	23,219
Harbour and Light Rates	21,212	22,679	23,399	24,732	24,534
Tonnage Rates (*See* note Table No. 11, Part "Shipping")	8,334	8,692	8,451	9,291	10,083
Bonding Warehouses—License Fees	10,146	10,530	8,858	7,017	6,867
Other Receipts	2,877	2,738	2,040	2,037	2,201
Total, Miscellaneous Receipts ... £	78,807	80,942	80,165	66,916	66,904
Summary.					
Customs (Import) Duties—					
Specific—	£	£	£	£	£
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c....	998,768	992,022	1,020,350	1,023,850	1,078,253
Other Articles	647,827	651,666	386,446	226,326	180,984
Total ... ... £	1,646,595	1,643,688	1,406,796	1,250,176	1,259,237
Ad valorem	414,335	403,819	173	.....	.....
Total Customs (Import) Duties £	2,060,930	2,047,507	1,406,969	1,250,176	1,259,237
Excise Duties	258,085	267,652	272,102	282,598	303,488
Miscellaneous Receipts	78,807	80,942	80,165	66,916	66,904
Gross Revenue collected .. ... £	2,397,822	2,396,101	1,759,236	1,599,690	1,629,629
Less—Drawbacks and Refunds ...	53,957	74,563	41,993	13,041	11,314
Net Revenue collected ... ... £	2,343,865	2,321,538	1,717,243	1,586,649	1,618,315

* Includes articles the Revenue collected from each of which has, in most years of the series, been less than £5,000.

No. 37.—Customs Revenue Collected at each Port and Station, 1895–98.

Port or Station.	Amount.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Ports (North to South)—	£	£	£	£
Tweed River Heads	747	38	29	8
Byron Bay	Included with Tweed River Heads.			
Richmond River	654	63	16	13
Clarence River	405	91	96	99
Bellinger River, Nambucca, Macleay River, Port Macquarie, Manning River, Port Stephens	Included with Sydney.			
Morpeth	9,252	9,382	9,003	9,553
Newcastle	155,363	123,281	104,590	109,253
Broken Bay	Included with Sydney.			
Sydney	2,023,038	1,486,027	1,362,057	1,390,327
Botany	Included with Sydney.			
Beliambi	Included with Wollongong.			
Wollongong	64	272	412	463
Port Kembla	Included with Wollongong.			
Kiama, Shoalhaven, Bateman's Bay, Bermagui, Tathra	Included with Sydney.			
Eden	168	70	67	74
Inland Bonds—				
Bourke	15,669	12,861	13,566	13,994
Brewarrina	1,990	1,395	1,697	2,291
Deniliquin	14,098	9,108	7,438	7,313
Wilcannia	10,426	11,791	9,958	8,812
Victorian Border Stations (East to West)—				
Delegate	8	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Genoa	Nil.	1	Nil.	Nil.
Albury	29,299	22,514	20,045	18,153
Howlong	757	533	620	640
Corowa	6,981	5,404	5,359	5,648
Mulwala	3,200	3,421	3,852	2,624
Cobram	1,140	1,153	1,138	2,200
Tocumwal	3,213	3,509	3,803	3,883
Moama	14,303	9,812	7,217	8,129
Barham Crossing	Included with Moama.			
Swan Hill	2,073	1,811	1,501	1,496
Tooleybuc	Included with Swan Hill.			
Euston	857	868	571	523
Wentworth	11,141	7,523	5,705	5,043
Queensland Border Stations (East to West)—				
Wallangarra	1,097	1,032	842	696
Boggabilla	353	238	146	211
Mungindi	Nil.	101	105	50
Barringun	2	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
South Australian Border Stations (South to North)—				
Murthoo (S.A.), Tareena	Included with Wentworth.			
Cockburn	Included with Willyama.			
Willyama (Broken Hill)	88,875	46,002	38,789	7,034
Silverton, Milparinka	Included with Willyama.			
Paid direct to Treasury	928	935	1,068	1,099
Gross Customs Revenue	2,396,101	1,759,236	1,599,690	1,629,629
Less Drawbacks and Refunds	74,563	41,993	13,041	11,314
Net Customs Revenue £	2,321,538	1,717,243	1,586,649	1,618,315

No. 38.—Goods on which Drawback was obtained, 1898.

Drawback of Customs Duty.—A drawback of the full duty paid on importation is allowed on goods if exported in original packages as imported, provided that the Collector of Customs is satisfied that in all respects the goods are in the same condition and of the same value as when they were entered for duty on importation. Drawbacks of import duties are allowed on ale, beer, wine, opium, medicines, toilet preparations containing spirit, but not on intoxicating spirits, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, tinctures, perfumed spirits, Florida water, and bay rum. There is no limit to the period in which Drawbacks may be obtained. Drawback of Excise duty is allowed on beer only.

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES.			
INTOXICANTS, NARCOTICS, &c.—			£ s. d.
Ale and Beer—			
In wood	℔ gal. liquid, 6d.	2,800 gallons	70 0 0
In bottle	,, ,, 9d.	23,025 ,,	863 8 9
Medicines (re-packed)—			
Containing 25 per cent. and under of proof spirit	,, 3s. 6d.	$40\frac{21}{32}$,,	7 2 4
Proof spirit	,, 14s.	$2\frac{24}{32}$,,	1 18 6
Wines—			
Sparkling	,, 10s.	414 ,,	207 0 0
Still	,, 5s.	$305\frac{8}{32}$,,	76 6 3
Total Drawback on Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.	.....	..... £	1,225 15 10
OTHER ARTICLES—			
Biscuits	℔ lb., 1d.	10,225 lb.	42 12 1
Candles	,, ½d.	28,400 ,,	59 3 4
	,, 1d.	42,525 ,,	177 3 9
Coffee (roasted)	,, 6d.	84 ,,	2 2 0
Chocolate (prepared)	,, 4d.	112 ,,	1 17 4
Confectionery	,, 2d.	4,303 ,,	35 17 2
	,, 1d.	2,260 ,,	9 8 4
Fruit—			
Dried	,, 2d.	252,380 ,,	2,103 3 4
	,, 1d.	64,918 ,,	270 9 10
Glucose—			
Solid	℔ cwt., 4s.	42 cwt.	8 8 0
	,, 3s.	50 c. 1 q. 14 lb.	7 11 2
Liquid	,, 2s. 8d.	228 c. 3 q. 20 lb.	30 10 6
	,, 2s.	5 c. 3 q. 13 lb.	0 11 9
Grain, Pulse, &c.—			
Rice	℔ ton, 60s.	3 t. 7 c. 1 qr. 12 lb.	10 2 1
Iron and Steel—			
Galvanised	,, 40s.	4 t. 8 c. 3 q. 26 lb.	8 17 11
Jams and Jellies	℔ lb., 1d.	55,136 lb.	229 14 8
	,, ½d.	21,759 ,,	45 6 8
Molasses	℔ cwt., 2s. 8d.	100 c. 0 q. 13 lb.	13 7 0
	,, 2s.	9 c. 2 q. 4 lb.	0 19 1
Oils (in bulk)—			
Kerosene	℔ gal., 3d.	680 gallons.	8 10 0
Other	,, 6d.	528 ,,	13 4 0
	,, 3d.	311 ,,	3 17 9

No. 38.—Goods on which Drawback was obtained, 1898—*continued.*

Article.	Rate.	Quantity.	Amount.
	SPECIFIC IMPORT DUTIES—*continued.*		
OTHER ARTICLES—*continued.*			£ s. d.
Preserves, &c.	℔ lb., 2d.	9,113 lb.	75 18 10
	,, 1d.	40,086 ,,	167 0 6
	,, ½d.	28,446 ,,	59 5 3
Sugar—			
Refined	℔ cwt., 6s. 8d.	11 c. 2 q.	3 16 8
	,, 5s. 4d.	96 c. 0 q. 17 lb.	25 12 10
	,, 4s.	55 c. 2 q.	11 2 0
Raw	,, 5s.	769 c. 1 q. 27 lb.	192 7 6
	,, 4s.	7,780 c. 2 q. 9 lb.	1,556 2 4
	,, 3s.	3,612 c. 1 q. 5 lb.	541 16 11
Tea	℔ lb., 3d.	15,849 lb.	198 2 3
	,, 1d.	40,166 ,,	167 7 2
Timber—			
Dressed	℔100 sup. ft., 3s.	3,503 sup. ft.	5 5 1
Total Drawback on "Other Articles"...	.....	..... £	6,086 15 1
Total Drawback on Specific Import Duties...	.....	..... £	7,312 10 11
	AD VALOREM DUTIES.		
			£ s. d.
At 10 per cent.	.....	.....	56 16 3
Total Drawback on Ad Valorem Duties...	.....	..... £	56 16 3
	EXCISE DUTIES.		
			£ s. d.
Beer	℔ gallon, 3d.	11,062 gallons	138 5 6
Total Drawback on Excise Duties...	.....	..... £	138 5 6
	SUMMARY.		
Customs (Import) Duties—			£ s. d.
Specific—			
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.			1,225 15 10
Other Articles			6,086 15 1
Total ... ... £			7,312 10 11
Ad Valorem Duties			56 16 3
Total Import Drawback ... ... £			7,369 7 2
Excise Duties			138 5 6
Total Import and Excise Drawback ... ... £			7,507 12 8

No. 39.—Goods on which Refunds were obtained, 1898.

Article.	Amount.	Article.	Amount.
Specific Import Duties.			
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.—	£ s. d.	Other Articles—	£ s. d.
Ale and Beer—		Biscuits	2 5 5
In bottle	7 14 8	Candles	26 9 2
In wood	69 9 6	Cocoa (prepared) and Chocolate	72 7 2
Spirits—		Cocoa (raw)	2 16 0
Brandy	20 15 11	Coffee (roasted)	42 14 0
Gin	4 11 4	Coffee (raw)	1 5 0
Liqueurs	7 18 10	Confectionery	104 6 3
Rum	10 9 8	Fruit—	
Whisky	59 11 2	Dried	60 4 6
Perfumed	6 11 4	Bottled	13 18 0
All other	6 4 1	Glucose—	
Tinctures, 25 per cent. proof spirit	2 6 2	Liquid	13 2 5
Tinctures, 75 per cent. proof spirit	0 19 1	Grain—	
Tinctures, over 75 per cent. proof spirit	4 7 6	Rice	245 3 4
Wines—		Jams and Jellies	118 13 5
Still	24 16 3	Molasses, *ex* Refinery	0 17 0
Sparkling	2 6 7	Preserves	123 10 9
Tobacco, manufactured, and Snuff	5 11 0	Sugar—	
Tobacco, unmanufactured	0 15 0	Raw	56 5 1
Tobacco, for manufacturing purposes	20 1 0	,, *ex* Refinery	84 0 0
Cigars	77 7 4	Refined	3 16 11
Cigarettes	18 14 2	,, *ex* Refinery	0 2 8
Opium	0 17 6	Tea	254 18 10
Total Refund on Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c. £	351 8 1	Total Refund on "Other Articles" £	1,226 15 11
		Total Refund on Import Duties £	1,578 4 0
Excise Duties.			
			£ s. d.
Beer			1,775 10 3
Tobacco			36 13 9
Total Refund on Excise Duties £			1,812 4 0
Miscellaneous Receipts.			
			£ s. d.
Harbour and Light Rates			194 5 0
Pilotage Rates			32 4 3
Tonnage Dues			73 19 8
Removal Dues			14 10 0
Chinese Restriction			100 0 0
Fees—Merchant Shipping Act			0 10 0
Total Refund on Miscellaneous Receipts £			415 8 11
Summary.			
Refunds—			
Customs (Import) Duties—			
Specific—			£ s. d.
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.			351 8 1
Other Articles			1,226 15 11
Total Import Refunds £			1,578 4 0
Excise Duties			1,812 4 0
Miscellaneous Receipts			415 8 11
Total Refunds £			3,805 16 11

Refunds of duties overpaid or erroneously charged will not be paid unless claimed within five years. Refunds are allowed on beer which has been spoiled or become unfit for use after removal from the brewery.

No. 40.—Principal Stocks in Bonding Warehouses on 31st December, 1898.

Article.	Quantity.
Intoxicants, Narcotics, &c.	
Ale and Beer—	
In bottle	17,221 cases.
In wood	2,209 hhd., 461 brl.
Spirits—	
Brandy	154 hhd., 2,196 qr., 672 oct., 22,154 cases.
Geneva	12,178 cases.
Gin	5,789 „
Liqueurs	3,171 „
Rum	44 punch., 371 hhd., 1,421 qr., 115 oct., 2,660 cases.
Schnapps	16,179 cases.
Whisky	170 hhd., 4,690 qr., 1,859 oct., 65,665 cases.
White Spirits	3 punch., 54 hhd., 308 qr., 109 oct.
Sarsaparilla	1,148 gallons.
All other	1 punch., 4 hhd., 36 qr., 7 oct., 1,135 cases.
Wines—	
Sparkling	5,127 cases.
Still	32 butts, 38 hhd., 1,372 qr., 229 oct., 10,847 cases.
Opium	44 cases.
Tobacco—	
Manufactured	339 qr. tierces, 203 boxes, 2,750 cases.
Leaf	359 hhd., 387 casks, 76 cases, 151 bales.
Cigars	1,160 cases.
Other Articles.	
Candles	248,732 lb.
Confectionery	65,345 „
Fruit—Dried	996,623 „
Jams and Jellies	170,558 „
Preserves	347,708 „
Sugar	1,216 tons.
Tea	6,797 chests, 10,676 half-chests, 379 boxes, 1,710 pkg.

PART IV.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

LAND SETTLEMENT.

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	In the counties of each division—	
52.	Number and extent of holdings, with proportions alienated and cultivated...	448
	Crown lands in the counties of each division—	
	Year ended 31st March, 1899—	
53.	Area occupied, cultivated, value of improvements, &c.	456
54.	Area enclosed and unenclosed	460

PART IV.—LAND SETTLEMENT.

No. 1.—Alienation and Occupation of Land in New South Wales on 31st December, 1898.

ALIENATION.	Acres.	Acres.
Area granted and sold by private tender and public auction (ranging from 5s. to 20s. per acre) prior to the year 1862	7,146,579	
Area sold by auction and other forms of sale, 1862–1898, inclusive ...	14,469,284	
Area sold under system of Conditional Purchase for which deeds were issued, 1862–1898, inclusive	3,059,191	
Area granted under "Volunteer Land Regulations of 1867," to 31st December, 1898	168,395	
Area dedicated for public and religious purposes, 1862–1898, inclusive ...	238,123	
Total area covered by deeds or dedication	25,081,572	
IN PROCESS OF ALIENATION.		
Area under system of Conditional Purchase, standing good on 31st December, 1898	20,243,738	
Area under system of Homestead Selections, including Conditional Purchases and Conditional Leases converted	1,063,280	
Total area alienated and in process of alienation on 31st December, 1898	.....	46,388,590

OCCUPATION.		Acres.	Acres.
Area held under Pastoral Leases			52,912,506
,, Occupation Licenses—	Ordinary ...	29,337,096	37,267,354
	Preferential ...	7,930,258	
,, Homestead Leases			10,456,668
,, Conditional Leases...	Gazetted ...	12,589,987	13,118,444
	Not gazetted ...	528,457	
,, Settlement Leases			1,858,367
,, Improvement Leases			3,823,951
,, Annual Leases			6,490,522
,, Scrub Leases			423,597
,, Snow Land Leases			89,767
,, Special Leases			39,364
,, Inferior Land Leases			378,580
,, Artesian Well Leases			378,547
,, Residential Leases on Mineral Fields			3,047
,, Mining Act—			
Mineral and Auriferous Leases ...		98,170	*131,670
Permits to mine under Reserves ...		33,500	
,, Church and School Lands Act—			
Pastoral...		226,331	237,214
Mining		1,044	
Agriculture		9,812	
Building		27	
Total area under lease on 31st December, 1898			127,609,598
Area neither alienated nor leased (includes, however, areas under Reserves for Public Purposes, Roads, Streets, and Travelling Stock Routes)			21,883,962
Area of New South Wales exclusive of water			195,882,150

* This area is exclusive of Crown Lands held by virtue of Miners' Rights, Mineral Licenses, and Business Licenses, the extent of which is not known.

No. 2.—Land Sales during 1898.

Auction and other Sales and Dedications.

Class of Sale.	Eastern Division.		Central Division.		Western Division		Total, New South Wales.	
	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.	No.	Acres.
Auction—								
Town Lots	356	138	324	136	69	26	749	300
Suburban Lots	144	475	116	413	13	48	273	936
Country Lots	391	11,314	251	37,311	9	1,920	651	50,545
Total	891	11,927	691	37,860	91	1,994	1,673	51,781
After Auction—								
Town Lots	215	90	241	106	21	9	477	205
Suburban Lots	211	869	67	351	8	15	286	1,235
Country Lots	73	474	2	44	..	....	75	518
Total	499	1,433	310	501	29	24	838	1,958
Improvement Purchases	40	12	43	12	51	30	134	54
Special Purchases (Ex. Land, Sec. 42, Act 1889)	41	199	4	64	..	....	45	263
Dedications—								
For Public Purposes	..	.....	..	....	..	....	118	16,778
For Religious Purposes	..	.....	..	....	..	....	1	2
Volunteer Land Orders	..	.....	..	....	..	....	5	250
Gross Area alienated by Auction and other Sales, 1898							2,814	71,086

Conditional Purchases.

Applications Received and Confirmed.

Applications Received—								
Ordinary Lands	768	83,623	422	157,053	..	....	1,190	240,676
Special Areas	241	16,271	160	41,190	..	....	401	57,461
Total applications received	1,009	99,894	582	198,243	..	....	1,591	298,137
Applications Confirmed—								
Ordinary Lands	288	32,404	177	90,334	..	....	465	122,738
Special Areas	161	10,333	81	15,982	..	....	242	26,315
Total applications confirmed	449	42,737	258	106,316	..	....	707	149,053

Disallowances, Forfeitures, &c.

Disallowed	159	17,401	129	36,982	..	....	288	54,383
Declared Forfeited—								
For non-fulfilment of required conditions	170	18,532	42	8,101	..	....	212	26,633
For non-payment of balance, interest, and instalment of purchase-money	121	11,937	22	5,340	1	80	144	17,357
Reduced in Area—								
Under 1861 Act	..	534	..	33	..	36	....	603
Under 1884 Act	..	505	..	1,147	..	....	....	1,652
Converted into homestead selections	15	2,026	3	951	..	....	18	2,977
Total Disallowances, &c.							662	103,605
Forfeited C.P.'s, the forfeitures of which have been reversed	42	4,892	11	2,827	1	200	54	7,919
Increased in Area—								
Under 1861 Act	..	55	..	320	..	....	....	375
Under 1884 Act	..	1,634	..	4,083	..	....	....	5,717
Total Decisions reversed							54	14,011
Net Disallowances, &c.							608	89,594

Homestead Selections.

Applications received	368	72,073	694	384,468	19	5,105	1,081	461,646
,, confirmed	300	50,826	487	256,451	15	4,330	802	311,607

No. 3.—Transfers of Conditional Purchases, 1889–98.

Transfers of Conditional Purchases.—The number of transfers intimated to the Treasury during 1898 was 9,254, embracing 17,557 C.P.'s, but as considerable numbers were transferred more than once during the year, the number of Conditional Purchases actually transferred was reduced to 11,457.

Year.	Counted once every time the transfers were made.		Actually transferred.	
	Transfers.	Conditional Purchases.	Area.	Conditional Purchases.
	No.	No.	acres.	No.
1889	10,741	22,138	2,327,562	14,395
1890	9,439	19,798	1,863,508	13,392
1891	11,494	24,536	2,333,808	16,727
1892	9,861	19,695	2,060,130	14,017
1893	8,324	16,981	1,825,097	12,581
1894	7,949	15,489	1,617,263	11,235
1895	8,243	16,099	1,785,011	11,517
1896	8,618	16,509	1,777,783	11,264
1897	9,299	17,637	1,875,059	11,896
1898	9,254	17,557	1,972,209	11,457

No. 4.—Occupation: Leases at close of 1897 and 1898, compared.

Division.	1897.		1898.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.
	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£
Pastoral Leases.								
Eastern Division	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....
Central Division	12,623,807	135,548	10,835,754	110,904	.....	....	1,788,053	24,644
Western Division	40,094,738	136,355	42,076,752	137,116	1,982,014	761	.....	....
Total	52,718,545	271,903	52,912,506	248,020	1,982,014	761	1,788,053	24,644
Occupation Licenses.								
Ordinary.								
Eastern Division	5,206,420	11,423	5,877,510	15,533	671,090	4,110	.....	....
Central Division	5,140,851	27,785	5,233,325	26,605	92,474	....	.....	1,180
Western Division	19,542,767	21,771	18,226,261	19,700	.....	....	1,316,506	2,071
Preferential.								
Eastern Division	3,535,612	16,052	3,553,986	15,808	18,374	....	.....	244
Central Division	3,534,796	23,499	4,376,272	28,480	841,476	4,981	.....	....
Total	36,960,446	100,530	37,267,354	106,126	1,623,414	9,091	1,316,506	3,495
Homestead Leases.								
Western Division	10,381,324	56,178	10,456,668	53,917	75,344	....	.....	2,261
Conditional Leases.								
Gazetted.								
Eastern Division	4,808,450	58,111	4,746,158	57,194	.....	....	62,292	917
Central Division	7,643,146	90,685	7,606,684	90,171	.....	....	36,462	514
Western Division	238,482	2,489	237,145	2,477	.....	....	1,337	12
Not Gazetted—under Provisional Rent.								
Eastern Division	88,149	735	363,893	3,032	275,744	2,297	.....	....
Central Division	372,522	3,104	164,564	1,371	.....	....	207,958	1,733
Western Division	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....
Total	13,150,749	155,124	13,118,444	154,245	275,744	2,297	308,049	3,176
Settlement Leases.								
Eastern Division	18,398	177	61,963	522	43,565	345	.....	....
Central Division	1,116,394	13,585	1,764,018	21,641	647,624	8,056	.....	....
Western Division	39,415	227	32,386	202	.....	....	7,029	25
Total	1,174,207	13,989	1,858,367	22,365	691,189	8,401	7,029	25
Improvement Leases.								
Eastern Division	178,535	447	266,949	848	88,414	401	.....	....
Central Division	755,116	1,364	1,213,541	3,858	458,425	2,494	.....	....
Western Division	1,352,597	1,144	2,343,461	2,948	990,864	1,804	.....	....
Total	2,286,248	2,955	3,823,951	7,654	1,537,703	4,699	.....	....

No. 4.—Occupation: Leases at close of 1897 and 1898, compared—*continued.*

Division.	1897.		1898.		Increase.		Decrease.	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.
	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£	Acres.	£
ANNUAL LEASES.								
Eastern Division	5,090,328	33,607	5,268,355	34,307	178,027	700	.....	....
Central Division	797,250	7,048	1,154,893	8,103	357,643	1,055	.....	....
Western Division	73,026	633	67,274	556	.....	....	5,752	77
Total	5,960,604	41,288	6,490,522	42,966	535,670	1,755	5,752	77
SCRUB LEASES.								
Eastern Division	3,727	34	3,727	34	.....	....	.....	....
Central Division	201,140	203	402,439	836	201,299	633	.....	....
Western Division	17,431	90	17,431	73	.....	....	.....	17
Total	222,298	327	423,597	943	201,299	633	.....	17
SNOW LAND LEASES.								
Eastern Division	94,997	578	89,767	783	.....	205	5,230	....
SPECIAL LEASES.								
Eastern Division	8,480	14,087	12,574	14,663	4,094	576	.....	....
Central Division	9,728	1,259	17,425	1,507	7,697	248	.....	....
Western Division	7,487	986	9,365	1,101	1,878	115	.....	....
Total	25,695	16,332	39,364	17,271	13,669	939	.....	....
INFERIOR LAND LEASES.								
Eastern Division	105,990	172	123,500	165	17,510	....	.....	7
Central Division	106,335	93	45,130	47	.....	....	61,205	46
Western Division	209,950	89	209,950	89	.....	....	.....	....
Total	422,275	354	378,580	301	17,510	....	61,205	53
ARTESIAN WELL LEASES.								
Western Division only	368,611	1,014	378,547	1,024	9,936	10	.....	....
RESIDENTIAL LEASES ON MINERAL FIELDS.								
Eastern Division	1,934	261	2,668	351	734	90	.....	....
Central Division	219	41	229	42	10	1	.....	....
Western Division	140	20	150	19	10	....	.....	1
Total	2,293	322	3,047	412	754	91	.....	1
CHURCH AND SCHOOL LANDS.								
Eastern Division	267,151	9,542	237,214	8,573	.....	....	29,937	969
Total under Lands Department	124,035,443	670,436	127,477,928	664,600	3,442,485	....	.....	5,836
MINERAL AND AURIFEROUS LEASES.								
Total under Mines Department	148,841	31,818	131,670	18,256	.....	....	17,171	13,562
Total Government Lands Leased	124,184,284	702,254	127,609,598	682,856	3,425,314	....	.....	19,398

No. 5.—Particulars of Auction and Other Sales.

Forms of Alienation.—Crown Lands may be acquired by (1) Auction Sale and after Auction, (2) virtue of Improvements, (3) Special Purchase, (4) virtue of Volunteer Land Orders, (5) Exchange, (6) Dedication, (7) Conditional Purchase, and (8) Homestead Selection.

Divisions in which Land may be acquired.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Minimum Price.	Remarks.
Auction Sales.—Payment to be completed within three months.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act 1884, sections 61 and 62, and Regulations 131 and 132.	Town lots, ½-acre; Suburban lots, 20 acres; Country Lots, 640 acres.	The upset price is fixed by the Minister for Lands, but is limited by law at not less than £8 per acre for Town, £2 10s. for Suburban, and £1 5s. for Country lots. Twenty-five per cent. of the purchase money must be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within three months, otherwise the sale may be declared void and the deposit forfeited.	Crown Lands not exceeding 200,000 acres in the aggregate for the whole Colony may be sold by auction annually. Town and Suburban Lands are areas within the boundaries proclaimed Town and Suburban Boundaries. Areas outside these limits are treated as Country lands.
Auction Sales.—Deferred Payment system.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Section 61 of the Act of 1884 & Balances Act of 1887, and Regulations 131 and 132.	Town Lots, ½-acre; Suburban Lots, 20 acres. Areas outside these boundaries, that have been or may hereafter be sub-divided into areas not exceeding 20 acres, pursuant to section 61 of the Act of 1884.	The Minister for Lands may make special terms of payment, but the minimum price for each class of land must not be less than that given above, and in every case a deposit of 25 per cent. must be paid at the time of sale.	Deferred payments bear interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. The time fixed for the final payment must not in any case exceed five years from date of sale.
After Auction Sales.				
	Under section 56 of the Crown Lands Act of 1895 provision is made for the sale of Town and Suburban land, and land within Population Areas, which may have been offered for sale by auction and not sold. The price and terms of payment shall be the same as those attached to the last offer by auction. The granting of such applications is optional with the Minister.			
Improvement Purchases.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1884, section 46, and Regulations 136 to 138.	Inside Town Boundaries, ¼-acre; Outside Town Boundaries, maximum 1 acre. Applications made prior to the Act of 1884 becoming law are dealt with under the Act of 1875, under which the maximum area available for purchase was 640 acres.	£8 per acre for Town Land, £2 10s. per acre for Suburban or other land, or £2 10s. for any area less than 1 acre.	Persons who, by virtue of Miners' Rights or Business Licenses issued under the Mining Act, are in authorised occupation of, and reside on land within a proclaimed gold-field may, in consideration of improvements of a minimum value of £8 per acre for Town, and £2 10s. for Suburban and Country lands, purchase the land without competition, at the price to be fixed by the Local Land Board.
Special Purchases.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1884, sections 63 to 68, Regulations 139 to 145.	Not fixed	As regards sections 63 and 66 minimum upset auction prices of each class of land; for sections 64 and 67, no minimum.	Crown Lands to which no way of access is attainable, or which are insufficient in area for Conditional Purchase, or are situated between granted land and a street which forms, or should form, the way of approach to such granted land, may be sold to the holder in fee simple of the adjacent lands upon the recommendation of the Minister or Land Board, without competition. Reservations of water frontage may be rescinded, and the land sold without competition to the owner of the adjoining land. Permission may be given to the owner of freehold land having water frontage to reclaim land below high-water mark, which land may then be sold to him without competition. Unnecessary roads may be sold without competition to the owners in fee simple of the adjoining land. In all of these cases the price is fixed by the Land Board.
Volunteer Land Orders.				
Eastern, Central.	Act of 1884, section 22, Regulation 146.	50 acres	....	Any person who was enrolled as a Volunteer between January, 1868, and April, 1878, and underwent five years continuous training, was entitled to a free grant of 50 acres of Crown Lands open for Conditional Purchase. These Orders could be transferred by the holder.
Dedications for Public Purposes.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1884, sections 104 to 106, "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act" (44 Vic., No. 16).	The Governor may, by notice in the *Government Gazette*, dedicate Crown Lands for any public purpose set forth in section 104 of the Act of 1884, and the "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act" (44 Vic., No. 16).		
Dedications for Religious Purposes.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	By a resolution of the Legislative Assembly of 11th May, 1880, this form of dedication was discontinued. Those lands dedicated subsequent to that date were in pursuance of promises previously made.			
Exchanges.				
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1889, section 46. Act of 1895, section 47.	.....	Transactions under this head are chiefly confined to land, being exchanged for land without any monetary consideration.	The Governor may, after inquiry and report by the Land Board, accept from the holder the surrender of any land for which he holds or is entitled to demand a Grant, and may grant him in exchange an equal area of Crown Land. The Governor may, after similar inquiry and report, acquire by purchase or exchange land held under any tenure, which may be required for purposes of access or approach to any natural water, tank, dam, or any like purpose. The land exchanged must be of equal value.

No. 6.—Land Alienations, 1898.

Description.	Lots.	Area.	Average price per acre.	Lots.	Area.
Auction Sales—	No.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	No.	a. r. p.
Town	749	299 3 13 10/20	32 14 4 3/4		
Suburban	273	935 3 18 6/8	6 14 4		
Country	651	50,545 2 6 1/4	1 13 10 1/4		
After Auction Sales—				1,673	51,781 0 38 14/20
Town	477	205 1 9 1/4	16 11 7 3/8		
Suburban	286	1,234 2 10 1/2	5 4 11 1/2		
Country	75	518 0 30 1/2	5 19 0 1/2		
Improvement Purchases—				838	1,958 0 10 1/4
Lots sold to owners of improvements	134	54 2 22	29 10 5		
Special Purchases—				134	54 2 22
Reclaimed lands	14	3 3 10	513 6 7 1/2		
Unnecessary roads	19	183 0 16 3/4	3 5 0 1/4		
Roads alienated under provisions of Public Roads Act of 1897	3	25 1 1	2 15 6 1/2		
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve	....	....	.....		
Other sales without competition	9	50 2 2 1/2	6 15 10 3/4		
				45	262 2 30 1/4
Dedications for Public and Religious Purposes				119	16,779 2 8 1/2
Volunteer Land Orders—Grants in virtue of				5	250 0 0
Total wholly alienated during the year				2,814	71,086 0 30 7/60
Conditional Purchases—Applications received during the year				1,591	298,137 2 11 1/2
Homestead Selections—Applications received during the year				1,081	461,646 2 7
Gross alienations during year (exclusive of resumptions by Crown)				5,486	830,870 1 8 37/60

Surrenders, Exchanges, and Road Resumptions.—Transactions under the two former are made under the 46th section of the 1889 Act and the 47th section of the 1895 Act, and the latter under the 42nd section of the same Act. Being merely land exchanged for land without any monetary consideration the extent of the area of Crown Lands is not thereby affected.

Resumptions and Purchases.—The total alienations represent the gross area, no allowance being made for the gifts of land and the resumptions and direct purchases made from private owners on behalf of the various departments, for particulars of which see Table No. 15.

No. 7.—Auction Sales during 1898.

Town Lots.			Suburban Lots.			Country Lots.			Total.		
Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.
	a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
EASTERN DIVISION.											
356	137 2 28 1/4	4,332 19 9	144	474 3 33 1/2	3,966 15 6	391	11,314 2 13 3/4	25,531 13 5	891	11,927 0 35 19/20	33,831 8 8
CENTRAL DIVISION.											
324	136 0 20 1/4	4,313 18 6	116	412 1 24 1/2	2,109 4 0	251	37,311 1 20 1/2	57,547 7 10	691	37,859 3 25 1/4	63,970 10 4
WESTERN DIVISION.											
69	26 0 5	1,163 17 0		48 2 0 1/2	210 0 0	9	1,919 2 12	2,461 7 8	91	1,994 0 17 1/2	3,835 4 8
NEW SOUTH WALES.											
749	299 3 13 19/20	9,810 15 3	273	935 3 18 1/2	6,285 19 6	651	50,545 2 6 1/4	85,540 8 11	1,673	51,781 0 38 1/4/8	101,637 3 8

No. 8.—After Auction Sales during 1898.

Town Lots.			Suburban Lots.			Country Lots.			Total.		
Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.
	a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
EASTERN DIVISION.											
215	89 3 36 1/4	1,503 16 0	211	868 3 31 1/2	5,044 0 6	73	474 1 30 1/2	2,949 12 4	499	1,433 1 18 1/4	9,497 8 10
CENTRAL DIVISION.											
241	106 0 13	1,743 10 0	67	351 0 21 1/2	1,335 18 4	2	43 3 0	134 10 0	310	500 3 34 1/2	3,213 18 4
WESTERN DIVISION.											
21	9 1 0	157 0 0	8	14 1 37 1/2	98 10 0	..	.....	.....	29	23 2 37 1/2	255 10 0
NEW SOUTH WALES.											
477	205 1 9 1/4	3,404 6 0	286	1,234 2 10 1/2	6,478 8 10	75	518 0 30 1/2	3,084 2 4	838	1,958 0 10 1/4	12,966 17 2

No. 9.—Improvement Purchases, 1898.

Town Lots.			Suburban Lots.			Country Lots.			Total.		
Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.	Lots.	Area.	Price realised.
	a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
EASTERN DIVISION.											
27	6 0 23¾	249 10 0	13	6 0 20¼	55 0 0	..	.....	.....	40	12 1 4	304 10 0
CENTRAL DIVISION.											
32	8 1 34½	384 15 0	11	3 2 33¾	273 13 9	..	.....	.....	43	12 0 28¼	658 8 9
WESTERN DIVISION.											
13	3 0 2¾	176 10 0	38	27 0 27	473 10 0	..	.....	.....	51	30 0 29¾	650 0 0
NEW SOUTH WALES.											
72	17 2 21	810 15 0	62	37 0 1	802 3 9	..	.....	.....	134	54 2 22	1,612 18 9

No. 10.—Special Sales, 1898.

Reclamations.			Land to which no way of access is available or insufficient in area for Conditional Sale, &c.			Unnecessary Roads.			Roads alienated under provisions of Public Roads Act of 1897.			Exchanged as compensation for old road taken.	
Lots.	Area.	Price.	Lots.	Area.	Price.	Lots.	Area.	Price.	Lots.	Area.	Price.	Lots.	Area.
	a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.	£ s. d.		a. r. p.
EASTERN DIVISION.													
14	3 3 10	1,957 1 6	8	26 2 2½	272 10 2	17	154 0 16¾	506 0 6	2	13 3 11	46 17 6	34	85 3 17
CENTRAL DIVISION.													
..	....	.....	1	24 0 0	70 15 1	2	29 0 0	89 6 0	1	11 1 30	23 5 7	1	3 2 20
NEW SOUTH WALES.													
14	3 3 10	1,957 1 6	9	50 2 2½	343 5 3	19	183 0 16¾	595 6 6	3	25 1 1	70 3 1	35	89 1 37

No. 11.—Dedications of Land during 1898.

Purposes of Dedications.	Grants.	Area.	Purposes of Dedications.	Grants.	Area.
	No.	a. r. p.		No.	a. r. p.
Public Purposes—			Public Purposes *(continued)*—		
Public School Sites	41	76 0 20½	Gaol	1	15 0 0
Town Hall Sites	2	0 3 3¾	Public Road	4	1 2 23
Municipal Building Sites	2	0 2 14⅝	Railway Purposes	1	0 1 0
Mechanics' Institute Sites ..	5	2 0 0	Military Purposes	1	0 0 5
Hospital Site	1	9 1 3	Athletic Sports	1	10 0 0
General Cemeteries	26	148 1 31½			
Public Recreation	21	279 0 7½	Total Public Purposes ..	118	16,778 0 8 11/12
Experimental Farms	2	15,680 0 0			
Racecourse	1	76 1 0	Religious Purposes	1	1 2 0
Show Grounds	6	32 0 32			
Hospital for Insane	1	420 3 0	Volunteer Land Orders	5	250 0 0
Refuge in time of Flood	1	23 3 30			
Public Reservoir	1	1 2 38	Total Dedications	124	17,029 2 8 11/12

No. 12.—Land Alienation by Auction and Special Sales, 1875–98.

Year.	Auction Sales.		Improvement Purchases.		Special Purchases.		Total.				
	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Area.	Amount represented by sales.	Average price per acre.		
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	£	s.	d.
1875	983,442	1,014,951	49,852	50,723	262	1,347	1,033,556	1,067,021	1	0	8
1876	1,690,528	1,729,552	86,099	87,620	166	1,605	1,776,793	1,818,777	1	0	6
1877	1,830,996	1,855,749	159,849	172,138	2	111	1,990,847	2,027,998	1	0	4
1878	862,988	1,086,622	224,841	229,656	52	529	1,087,881	1,316,807	1	4	2
1879	355,569	462,818	121,062	126,798	564	751	477,195	590,367	1	4	9
1880	*388,061	478,208	237,646	243,026	225	1,508	625,932	722,742	1	3	1
1881	*854,752	996,415	474,098	487,694	55	797	1,328,905	1,484,906	1	2	3
1882	*858,735	1,068,317	165,030	175,236	50	3,558	1,023,815	1,247,111	1	4	4
1883	*61,683	133,157	103,774	116,219	660	3,135	166,117	252,511	1	10	5
1884	41,544	125,896	252,127	302,315	506	5,125	294,177	433,336	1	9	6
1885	2,648	74,468	292,257	367,990	119	3,853	295,024	446,311	1	10	3
1886	60,353	140,635	227,560	294,458	149	2,649	288,062	437,742	1	10	5
1887	107,374	235,100	125,043	162,127	539	11,787	232,956	409,014	1	15	1
1888	105,485	273,613	50,833	86,440	875	21,833	157,193	381,886	2	8	7
1889	22,589	94,181	16,144	43,632	1,493	10,380	40,226	148,193	3	13	8
1890	68,683	141,677	14,333	42,388	634	10,496	83,650	194,561	2	6	6
1891	47,105	141,551	3,270	23,473	502	2,757	50,877	167,781	3	5	11
1892	82,981	310,718	454	9,795	176	1,967	83,611	322,480	3	17	2
1893	96,219	223,376	2,392	5,531	233	8,052	98,844	236,959	2	7	11
1894	44,794	105,162	5,159	10,543	446	4,497	50,399	120,202	2	7	8
1895	†21,886	61,180	148	1,504	538	4,721	22,572	67,405	2	19	9
1896	†13,959	44,798	466	1,617	261	4,033	14,686	50,448	3	8	8
1897	†25,455	65,183	92	1,543	1,145	7,399	26,692	74,125	2	15	6
1898	†53,739	114,604	54	1,613	263	2,966	54,056	119,183	2	4	1

* Including land selected after auction under the 1880 Act. † Including land selected after auction under the 1895 Act.

No. 13.—Alienation by all Forms of Sale and Dedication, 1875–98.

Year.	Area wholly Alienated by—					Conditional Purchases—Applications made during year.	Homestead Selections—Applications made during year.	Total Area.
	Auction Sales.	Improvement Purchases.	Special Purchases.	Dedications (Public and Religious Purposes).	Volunteer Land Orders.			
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1875	983,442	49,852	262	673	14,498	1,756,678	.....	2,805,405
1876	1,690,528	86,099	166	5,557	18,758	1,984,212	.....	3,785,320
1877	1,830,996	159,849	2	2,899	14,079	1,699,816	.....	3,707,641
1878	862,988	224,841	52	1,811	13,022	1,588,248	.....	2,690,962
1879	355,569	121,062	564	21,762	26,506	924,136	.....	1,449,599
1880	*388,061	237,646	225	20,637	18,886	1,147,002	.....	1,812,457
1881	*854,752	474,098	55	7,113	13,876	2,329,202	.....	3,679,096
1882	*858,735	165,030	50	1,969	5,649	2,392,218	.....	3,423,651
1883	*61,683	103,774	660	2,535	4,358	1,617,712	.....	1,790,722
1884	41,544	252,127	506	6,625	4,500	1,453,937	.....	1,759,239
1885	2,648	292,257	119	481	1,936	1,165,351	.....	1,462,792
1886	60,353	227,560	149	11,100	740	963,197	.....	1,263,099
1887	107,374	125,043	539	5,377	1,797	793,004	.....	1,033,134
1888	105,485	50,833	875	3,310	1,433	865,199	.....	1,027,135
1889	22,589	16,144	1,493	1,902	783	903,160	.....	946,071
1890	68,683	14,333	634	1,566	882	1,713,577	.....	1,799,675
1891	47,105	3,270	502	916	1,100	1,303,094	.....	1,355,987
1892	82,981	454	176	8,735	590	816,399	.....	909,335
1893	96,219	2,392	233	5,833	350	533,805	.....	638,832
1894	44,794	5,159	446	41,678	Nil.	414,355	.....	506,432
1895	†21,886	148	538	7,591	50	253,431	62,576	346,220
1896	†13,959	466	261	3,186	50	199,450	362,874	580,246
1897	†25,455	92	1,145	3,646	200	241,789	367,291	639,618
1898	†53,739	54	263	16,780	250	298,137	461,646	830,869

* Including land selected after auction under the 1880 Act. † Including land selected after auction under the 1895 Act.

NOTE.—No allowance has been made in the returns for resumptions and purchases of land made on behalf of various Departments, for returns of which see Table No. 15.

No. 14.—Land Resumptions and Purchases, 1890–98.

Land acquired by the State.—Land may be acquired by resumption, by purchase, by exchange, by surrender, and by gift. Resumptions are made under the "Public Works Act" (51 Vic. No. 37), the "Lands for Public Purposes Acquisition Act" (44 Vic. No. 16). All resumptions, other than those made by the Minister of Public Instruction and the Commissioners for Railways, are dealt with by the Government Land Valuer.

Year.	Resumptions and Purchases.	Gifts.	Total.
	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.
1890	4,534 0 28	14 2 34	4,540 3 22
1891		2 0 0	
1892	1,339 0 32 3/5	4 0 8 1/4	1,343 1 0 17/20
1893	485 2 32	5 3 8	491 2 0
1894	1,354 0 30 1/5	Nil.	1,354 0 30 1/5
1895	1,179 0 4 2/15	0 3 5 3/4	1,179 3 9 53/60
1896	2,195 2 3 217/300	4 0 35 3/20	2,199 2 38 121/150
1897	2,000 2 4 4/25	5 2 35 1/2	2,006 0 39 33/80
1898	1,081 3 36 3/4	13 3 29	1,095 3 25 3/4

No. 15.—Land Resumptions and Purchases during 1898.

Purpose.	Area.	Purpose.	Area.
	a. r. p.		a. r. p.
Bridges, Punts, Ferries, Approaches, and Canals ...	12 1 36	Railways, Tramways	516 0 12 3/4
Cemeteries	64 0 0	Road Deviations	13 2 24
Harbour and River Improvements	5 3 27	Sewerage	11 2 9
Police Purposes	5 1 16	Water Supply	332 3 20
Post Offices	1 1 27	Weir	18 2 35
Public Parks	62 3 2	Wharfage	1 1 2
Public Schools	49 3 15		

No. 16.—Particulars relating to Conditional Purchases and Homestead Selections.

Land available for Conditional Purchase.—Lands held under the following forms of lease are not available for conditional purchase:—pastoral, homestead, conditional, scrub, snow-land, special, inferior, and artesian well, residential, mineral, and auriferous; also, the area in the Western Division is not available for ordinary conditional purchase. The only lands that can be conditionally purchased are the unoccupied lands outside reservations and areas under occupation license and annual lease in the Eastern and Central Divisions, and lands under conditional lease, if not within reserves, may be applied for as conditional purchases by the holders thereof.

Divisions in which Land may be acquired.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Price.	Remarks.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Ordinary Residential.		
Eastern ..	Acts 1884 and 1889 and amending Acts passed subsequent to the Act of 1884, including Act of 1895.	Maximum area, 640 acres; minimum area, 40 acres. The maximum can, however, be increased to 1,280 acres by converting a conditional lease into an additional conditional purchase.	£1 per acre—2s. per acre deposit, payable on making the application, and after an interval of three years, during which period no payment is required and interest is not charged, the balance, together with interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum, is payable by annual instalments of 1s. per acre. The whole of the balance may be paid at selector's option, if he has obtained a certificate of conformity, after a continuous residence of five years from date of application in the case of selections made prior to the Act of 1895, or after ten years if subsequent thereto. The survey fee, according to prescribed scale, must be paid at the date of selection.	The holder of an ordinary residential conditional purchase is entitled to a conditional lease up to three times the area of his other conditional purchase, provided that the total area, including the portion leased, does not exceed 1,280 acres. Under section 29 of the Act of 1895 the term of residence in connection with a new conditional purchase or a new additional conditional purchase in virtue of a conditional purchase under the repealed Acts or even under the Act of 1884 is increased to ten years from the date of application. Exceptions as to residence are detailed in section 30 of the Act of 1895.
Central ..	do ..	Maximum area, 2,560 acres; minimum area, 40 acres.	do do ..	The same provisions regarding a conditional lease as in the Eastern Division, excepting that the total maximum area is 2,560 acres.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Ordinary Non-Residential.		
Eastern, Central.	Acts 1884 and 1889 and amending Acts passed subsequent to the Act of 1884.	Maximum area, 320 acres; minimum area, 40 acres.	The price per acre, deposit, and all subsequent instalments are double those prescribed for ordinary residential conditional purchases. The survey fee is the same as that for ordinary residential conditional puchases.	A non-residential conditional purchase does not entitle the holder to a conditional lease, and debars him from selecting at any future time.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Special Areas outside Population or Suburban boundaries.		
Eastern ..	Acts of 1884 and 1889.	The minimum and maximum areas are specified in each proclamation, but the maximum area cannot exceed 320 acres.	Thirty shillings per acre and upwards, the price being fixed by proclamation in the *Government Gazette*. One-tenth of the purchase money is payable on application, one-twentieth at the expiration of three years, and a similar amount each year subsequently until the balance of the purchase money, with interest at 4 per cent., has been paid.	This system was first introduced under the Act of 1884. The conditions to be fulfilled are similar to those of the ordinary conditional purchase. No conditional leases can be taken up in special areas, and no conditional lease of ordinary Crown Lands can be acquired by virtue of a conditional purchase within a special area.
Central ..	do ..	The minimum and maximum areas are specified in each proclamation, but the maximum area cannot exceed 640 acres.	do do	The same provisions as in the Eastern Division, with the exception that a conditional lease of ordinary land can be taken up by virtue of a conditional purchase within a special area.
Western ..	do ..	do ..		The same provisions as in the Eastern Division.
		CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—Special Areas within Population or Suburban boundaries.		
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1889 ..	Maximum and minimum areas are specified in the proclamations.	The conditions of payment are specified in the proclamations.	Conditions as to residence, fencing, and other improvements are specified in the proclamations. Any lands within population or suburban boundaries which have been proclaimed special areas are available for special area conditional purchase.

HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS.

Division.	Authority.	Limit of Area.	Conditions.
Eastern, Central, Western.	Act of 1895	Fixed according to capabilities of land for the maintenance of one family, but no selection must exceed 1,280 ac.	The applicant may take possession immediately after lodging his application, but shall commence to reside on the selection within three months after the confirmation of the application, and thereafter continue for the first five years. The annual rent shall equal 1¼ per cent. of the capital value during the first five years. At the expiration of that period a grant is issued, transferring the land in perpetuity to the lessee, on the payment annually of a rent equal to 2½ per cent. of the capital value. Provision is made for a revaluation of the selection by the Government every ten years. An applicant may appoint a deputy to fulfil the residential conditions during the five years prior to the issue of the grant, subject to the approval of the Local Land Board, but the applicant will be required to pay an annual rent equal to 3½ per cent. on the capital value during the before-mentioned period and effect greater improvements, but on issue of grant his residence on the selection must be continuous for such period, not less than 7 months in each year, as may be determined by the Governor.

No. 17.—Conditional Purchases: Ordinary and Special Areas applied for during 1898.

Original Conditional Purchases.			Additional Conditional Purchases.			Non-residential Conditional Purchases.			Total.		
No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.
	Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£
EASTERN DIVISION.											
618	53,706	6,580	372	44,825	4,790	19	1,363	273	1,009	99,894	11,642
CENTRAL DIVISION.											
226	50,245	6,637	353	147,358	16,418	3	640	128	582	198,243	23,183
NEW SOUTH WALES.											
844	103,951	13,217	725	192,183	21,208	22	2,003	401	1,591	298,137	34,825

No. 18.—Conditional Purchases: Disallowances, &c., 1898.

Particulars.	No.	Area.	Particulars.	No.	Area.
Conditional Purchases—		Acres.	Conditional Purchases on which Decisions were reversed—		Acres.
Disallowed	369	68,608	Forfeited Conditional Purchases (the forfeiture of which has been reversed)	54	7,919
Declared Forfeited	356	43,990	Increased in area		6,092
Reduced in area	...	2,255	Applied to be converted into Homestead Selections prior to 31st December, 1897, and applications withdrawn or refused during 1898	3	1,057
Converted into Homestead Selections	18	2,978			
Total Disallowances, &c. ..	743	117,831	Total Decisions reversed, &c.	57	15,068
			Net Disallowances, Voidances, &c.	686	102,763

No. 19.—Conditional Purchases: Special Areas applied for during 1898.

Original Conditional Purchases.			Additional Conditional Purchases.			Non-residential Conditional Purchases.			Total.		
No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.	No.	Area.	Deposit.
	Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£		Acres.	£
EASTERN DIVISION.											
166	11,986	2,407	75	4,285	736	...	.....	.....	241	16,271	3,143
CENTRAL DIVISION.											
75	18,607	3,474	85	22,583	3,940	...	.....	.....	160	41,190	7,414
NEW SOUTH WALES.											
241	30,593	5,881	160	26,868	4,676	...	.....	.....	401	57,461	10,557

No. 20.—Special Areas: Lands Proclaimed and Selected, from 1st January, 1885, to 31st December, 1898.

Area available for Selection.	Area Selected.	Area Unselected on 31st December, 1898.	Capital Value of Land Selected after Appraisement.	Class of Land.	Proportion of Area Selected to Area available for Selection.
a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.		per cent.
Eastern Division.					
93,293 0 14¾	65,968 2 22¾	27,324 1 32	155,165 2 0	Suburban or Population ...	71
410,922 2 15	372,949 3 20	37,972 2 35	596,456 14 9	Country	91
504,215 2 29¾	438,918 2 2¾	65,297 0 27	751,621 16 9	.....	87
Central Division.					
41,677 1 28	37,089 3 33	4,587 1 35	83,110 13 0	Suburban or Population ...	89
515,058 0 20	472,769 1 26	42,288 2 34	710,745 16 5	Country	92
556,735 2 8	509,859 1 19	46,876 0 29	793,856 9 5	.....	90
Western Division.					
40 0 0	40 0 0	nil.	60 0 0	Suburban or Population ...	100
9,817 1 0	2,202 1 0	7,615 0 0	3,596 7 6	Country	22
9,857 1 0	2,242 1 0	7,615 0 0	3,656 7 6	.....	23
New South Wales.					
135,010 2 2	103,098 2 15¾	31,911 3 27	238,335 15 0	Suburban or Population ...	76
935,797 3 35	847,921 2 6	87,876 1 29	1,310,798 18 8	Country	91
1,070,808 1 37¾	951,020 0 21¾	119,788 1 16	1,549,134 13 8	.....	89

No. 21.—Conditional Purchases: Applications made and confirmed, and Deeds issued, 1862–98.

Year.	Applications made.		Applications confirmed.		Area for which Deeds have been issued.	
	Number.	Area.	Number.	Area.	During the year.	To end of the year.
		acres.		acres.	acres.	acres.
1862-84	191,473	23,470,140	.....	.....	1,088,435	1,088,435
1885	5,377	1,165,352	434	141,654	92,633	1,181,068
1886	6,080	963,197	3,474	695,397	118,842	1,299,910
1887	4,769	793,004	4,478	723,151	115,492	1,415,402
1888	5,364	865,199	4,501	752,634	152,348	1,567,750
1889	6,205	903,160	4,778	754,161	182,965	1,750,715
1890	8,526	1,713,577	4,097	632,178	173,707	1,924,422
1891	6,153	1,303,094	6,445	1,280,901	159,690	2,084,112
1892	4,396	816,399	4,812	927,710	161,982	2,246,094
1893	3,393	533,805	3,471	595,291	96,157	2,342,251
1894	2,617	414,355	2,341	326,931	128,063	2,470,314
1895	1,751	253,431	1,627	268,762	178,016	2,648,330
1896	1,279	199,450	1,059	151,935	124,735	2,773,065
1897	1,306	241,789	1,033	184,375	109,597	2,882,662
1898	1,591	298,138	1,093	205,128	176,529	3,059,191
Total	250,280	33,934,090	43,643	7,640,203	.....	3,059,191

No. 22.—Conditional Purchases existing on 31st December, 1898.

Land wholly alienated and in process of alienation by Conditional Purchase.—On the 31st December, 1898, the area of Conditional Purchases on which Deeds were issued was 3,059,191 acres, which, added to the 20,243,738 acres, given in the subjoined table, makes a total of 23,302,929 acres alienated and in process of alienation.

Particulars.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
		acres.		acres.
Conditional Purchases on which the payments had not been completed on 31st December, 1897	*151,183	*20,224,892		
Less—	No.	Area.		
		acres.		
Number and area on which Deeds have been issued during 1898	1,391	176,529		
Net disallowances, voidances, forfeitures, reductions in areas and conversions into Homestead Selections made during 1898 .. .. [See Table No. 18.]	686	102,763	2,077	279,292
			149,106	19,945,600
Conditional Purchases applied for during 1898			1,591	298,138
Conditional Purchases on which the payments had not been completed on 31st December, 1898 ..			150,697	20,243,738

* The figures have been adjusted consequent upon an investigation made by Department of Lands.

No. 23.—Revenue received from Conditional Purchases to 31st December, 1898.

Head of Revenue.	Amount received—		Total.
	During the years 1862-97.	During the year 1898.	
	£	£	£
Deposits and Improvements	7,203,441	38,913	7,242,354
Instalments and Interest	9,802,088	906,390	10,708,478
Interest	3,668,319	75,803	3,744,122
Survey Fees	345,375	32,876	378,251
Balances	1,945,310	98,374	2,043,684
Gross Collections	22,964,533	1,152,356	24,116,889
Refunds (including Refunds of Survey Fees)			1,441,686
Net Collections			22,675,203
Balance of Purchase Money Outstanding on 31st December, 1898			11,169,757
Total Amount paid and owing on Conditional Purchases to 31st December, 1898			£ 33,844,960

No. 24.—Homestead Selections applied for during 1898.

Division of Colony.	No. of Blocks applied for.	Area.	Annual Rent.	Capital Value of Land Selected.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Eastern	368	72,073 1 9	1,146 11 2	91,398 7 8
Central	694	384,467 3 5	7,384 18 6	590,734 18 0
Western	19	5,105 1 33	62 4 6	4,976 10 6
Total	1,081	461,646 2 7	8,593 14 2	687,109 16 2

No. 25.—Homestead Selections: Applications confirmed to 31st December, 1898.

Divsion of Colony.	No.	Area.	Annual Rent.	Capital Value of Land Selected.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Eastern	1,123	182,547 0 34	3,367 2 11	273,387 9 3
Central	1,422	737,382 1 19	13,378 15 6	1,070,983 16 8
Western	66	25,529 1 37	339 19 5	27,194 6 9
Total	2,611	945,459 0 10	17,085 17 10	1,371,565 12 8

No. 26.—Homestead Selection Areas: Proclaimed and Selected from 1st June, 1895, to 31st December, 1898.

Area available for selection.		Area selected.		Area unselected on 31st December, 1898.	Capital Value of land selected.	Percentage of area selected to area available for selection.
No. of Blocks.	Area.	No. of Blocks.	Area.			
	a. r. p.		a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	
Eastern Division.						
2,403	338,289 0 10½	1,113	197,166 1 10	141,122 3 0½	278,558 9 8	58
Central Division.						
1,884	857,677 2 18	1,489	768,389 0 16	89,288 2 2	1,008,953 8 9	90
Western Division.						
221	104,547 0 9	63	23,437 0 38	81,109 3 11	26,392 17 6	22
New South Wales.						
4,508	1,300,513 2 37½	2,665	988,992 2 24	311,521 0 13½	1,313,904 15 11	76

No. 27.—Conditional Purchases and Conditional Leases converted into Homestead Selections to 31st December, 1898.

Division of Colony.	No. of Applications for conversion.	Conditional Purchases included.		Conditional Leases included.	
		No.	Area.	No.	Area.
			a. r. p.		a. r. p.
Eastern	42	79	10,913 0 30	26	9,736 2 0
Central	9	11	4,022 1 0	1	222 0 0
Western	3	3	1,160 0 0	...	.....
Total	54	93	16,095 1 30	27	9,958 2 0

No. 28.—Local Land Boards : Transactions of Courts, 1898.

Land Board District.	Courts held.	Cases		
		Dealt with.	Adjourned.	Total.
Armidale	90	1,475	175	1,650
Bourke	19	717	15	732
Dubbo	25	1,340	44	1,384
Forbes	41	1,069	131	1,200
Goulburn	130	2,157	141	2,298
Grafton	31	1,034	32	1,066
Hay	29	1,416	47	1,463
Maitland	74	939	9	948
Moree	18	889	152	1,041
Orange	63	1,585	157	1,742
Sydney	36	668	17	685
Tamworth	86	1,308	87	1,395
Wagga Wagga	41	1,871	188	2,059
Total	683	16,468	1,195	17,663

No. 29.—Land Appeal Court : References by Minister and Local Land Boards, 1898.

Land Board District.	Reference by Minister.	Reference by Boards.	Total.	Land Board District.	Reference by Minister.	Reference by Boards.	Total.
Sydney	25	1	26	Maitland	2	.....	2
Armidale	3	.....	3	Moree	.....	4	4
Bourke	1	.....	1	Orange	7	.....	7
Dubbo	41	2	43	Tamworth	8	3	11
Forbes	9	.....	9	Wagga Wagga	4	6	10
Goulburn	3	3	6				
Grafton	3	1	4	Total	126	20	146
Hay	20	.....	20				

No. 30.—Land Appeal Court : Results of Appeals, 1898.

Land Board District.	Appeals			Sent back for re-hearing.	Total.
	Sustained.	Dismissed.	Withdrawn.		
Sydney	.....	2	.....	1	3
Armidale	4	3	.....	.....	7
Bourke	14	8	2	.....	24
Dubbo	26	18	2	1	47
Forbes	2	.....	.....	.....	2
Goulburn	42	14	.....	.....	56
Grafton	3	.....	1	1	5
Hay	11	15	2	5	33
Maitland	1	4	.....	3	8
Moree	5	4	2	1	12
Orange	1	7	2	.....	10
Tamworth	1	10	2	3	16
Wagga Wagga	7	11	2	7	27
Total	117	96	15	22	250

Decisions of Supreme Court.—During 1898 the Land Appeal Court was requested to state special cases for the decision of the Supreme Court in nineteen instances, two of which were subsequently withdrawn and in two others the Court declined to state a case, as no point of law was involved. Of the remaining fifteen, seven only were stated and forwarded to the Supreme Court with the result that the Land Appeal Court's ruling was confirmed in six instances and reversed in one. The remaining eight cases were still before the Land Appeal Court at the close of the year for settlement of the terms of the special cases to be stated.

No. 31.—Particulars relating to Occupation.

Forms of Lease under Land Acts.—Prior to the 1884 Act the only forms of lease granted were Pastoral, Annual, Special, and Pre-emptive. Under the 1884 Act provision was made for each of these forms of lease to be continued except the pre-emptive, which was abolished. Under the same Act, Occupation Licenses, Conditional and Homestead Leases were established. The supplementary Act of 1889 provided for five additional forms of Lease, which were as follows, viz. :—Scrub, Snow Land, Artesian Well, Residential, and Inferior Land, and under the Act of 1895 two other forms of Lease were added, viz. :—Settlement Leases for Agriculture and Grazing and Improvement Leases.

Division in which Lease may be granted.	Currency of Lease under Crown Lands Acts of 1884, 1889, and 1895.	Limit of Area.	Remarks.
PASTORAL LEASES.			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Eastern Division—Leases expired, 1890. Central Division—10 years currency from 1885 ; leases expired 1895, but in a proportion of cases extensions varying up to 5 years have been granted under the provisions of section 43, Act 1889. Western Division—15 years currency (1884 Act) ; 21 years currency from 1890 (1889 Act). In both cases the term has by the Act of 1895 been extended to 28 years.	No limit fixed	Areas under pastoral lease are exempt from conditional or other sale or any form of lease. In the case of leases in the Central Division the Minister may, by virtue of section 3, Act of 1895, withdraw one-half the area held under lease so as to provide for settlement, and by way of compensation an extension of lease is granted for remainder. In the Western Division a similar provision exists, except that the area withdrawn must not exceed one-eighth, and must be within 10 miles from the boundary of a town containing at least fifty inhabitants.
OCCUPATION LICENSES.			
ORDINARY.			
Eastern, Central, Western.	From January to December—Renewal is subject to payment of license fee.	No limit fixed	Lands held under occupation license, unless reserved from sale, are available for conditional purchase or conditional lease in the Eastern and Central Divisions, but only to homestead lease in the Western Division, also for settlement lease and improvement lease in any division, if set apart therefor.
PREFERENTIAL.			
Eastern, Central.	do do ..	No limit fixed	Under the 33rd section of the Lands Act of 1889, the holder of a pastoral lease in the Eastern Division, and under section 4 of the Act of 1895 the holder of a pastoral lease in the Central Division, has a preferential right to an occupation license over the area hitherto held by him under pastoral lease. This privilege has been extended by the Act of 1895 to cases where land is withdrawn for purposes of settlement from land held under pastoral lease in the Central or Western Division. Other conditions are similar to those of ordinary occupation license.
HOMESTEAD LEASES.			
Western ..	Fifteen years currency from 1885 (1884 Act) ; 21 years currency from 1890 (1889 Act) ; 28 years by Act of 1895.	Maximum, 10,240 acres ; minimum, 2,560 acres. Under section 34, Act 1889, the minimum area can be reduced to 640 acres.	Areas under homestead lease are exempt from conditional purchase, and other forms of sale or lease. Lands held under annual lease or occupation license, unless reserved from lease, are available for homestead lease.
CONDITIONAL LEASES.			
GAZETTED.			
Eastern, Central.	Under 1884 Act, 15 years from confirmation ; under 1889 Act, 15 years from date of application, extended in both cases to 28 years by Act of 1895.	Area cannot exceed three times the area of conditional purchase, and cannot be less than 40 acres. In the Eastern Division the total area conditionally purchased and conditionally leased must not exceed 1,280 acres, and in the Central Division 2,560 acres.	Lands in the Eastern and Central Divisions available for ordinary conditional purchase are open for conditional lease. A conditional lease, even of ordinary lands, cannot be taken in virtue of a special area conditional purchase in the Eastern Division. This limitation does not, however, apply to the Central Division. Land in the Western Division is not now available for conditional lease. The conditional leases existing in the Western Division are pre-emptive leases converted into conditional leases under the Act of 1884.
UNCONFIRMED (not Gazetted).			
Eastern, Central.	do do ..	do do ..	Under the 1889 Act unconfirmed conditional leases are subject to a provisional rent of 2d. per acre.
ANNUAL LEASES.			
Eastern, Central, Western.	From January to December of each year.	Area cannot exceed 1,920 acres	Lands held under annual lease are available for auction sale, conditional purchase, conditional lease, in the Eastern and Central Divisions, snow land lease in the Eastern Division, and homestead lease in the Western Division.

No. 31.—Particulars relating to Occupation—*continued.*

Division in which Lease may be granted.	Currency of Lease under Crown Lands Acts of 1884, 1889, and 1895.	Limit of Area.	Remarks.
SETTLEMENT LEASES FOR AGRICULTURE AND GRAZING. (Under Land Act of 1895.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Lease for 28 years, Act 1895.	Area not more than 1,280 acres for agriculture, and not more than 10,240 acres for grazing and agriculture combined.	The land must, in the first instance, be set apart for this purpose. Lessee shall reside on farm, and make it his *bonâ fide* home. Last holder shall have tenant-right in improvements.
IMPROVEMENT LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1895.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Lease for 28 years and under, Act 1895.	Area not more than 20,480 acres.	Scrub and inferior land leases granted under the principal Act may be extended to a term not exceeding 28 years. Lessee shall have tenant-right in improvements. These leases may be sold by auction, or offered by tender.
SCRUB LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Twenty-one years and under, commencing from date of notification in *Government Gazette*. By sec. 26 of the Act of 1895, the period may be extended to 28 years.	No limit fixed	Scrub leases may be obtained for lands already held under other forms of lease or license, the area under scrub lease, however, being withdrawn from other tenure. A pastoral or homestead lessee is not allowed to hold a scrub lease, except within the land held under lease by himself. Last holder may be granted tenant-right in improvements.
SNOW LAND LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)			
Limited by climatic conditions	Seven years (with possible extension of three years), commencing from date of notification in *Gazette*.	Maximum, 10,240 acres; minimum, 1,280 acres.	Lands held under pastoral or conditional leases are exempt, but areas under occupation license or annual lease are open to this form of lease.
SPECIAL LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Twenty-eight years and under, commencing from date of notification in *Government Gazette*.	Not to exceed 320 acres ..	These leases are granted for lands used for industrial and commercial purposes; chiefly, however, for the former.
INFERIOR LAND LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Twenty years and under, commencing from day of sale or notification of acceptance of tender. The time of currency may be extended to 28 years under the Act of 1895.	No limit fixed	Vacant lands of an inferior nature, or in isolated positions, in any division are available. Last holder may be granted tenant-right in improvements.
ARTESIAN WELL LEASES. (Under Land Act of 1889.)			
Western ..	Subject to circumstances..	Not to exceed 10,240 acres. Only one area may be leased out of each 64,000 acres under occupation license, and not more than 3 areas out of the same occupation license.	These leases are granted, under 1889 Act, to holders of occupation licenses or annual leases.
RESIDENTIAL LEASES ON GOLD AND MINERAL FIELDS. (Under Land Acts of 1889 and 1895.)			
Eastern, Central, Western.	Fifteen years and under, commencing from date of notification in *Government Gazette*.	Not to exceed 20 acres ..	Leases within proclaimed gold or mineral fields are granted to holders of miners' rights or mineral leases only. Last holder shall have tenant-right in improvements.
MINERAL AND AURIFEROUS LEASES. (Issued by Mines Department.) For particulars, see Part "Agriculture."			

No. 32.—Land Leases current on 31st December, 1894–98.

Leases and Licenses.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.	Area.	Rent.
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£
Pastoral	57,597,391	378,707	53,426,693	341,178	52,706,670	319,260	52,718,545	271,903	52,912,506	248,020
Occupation Licenses—										
Ordinary	34,861,900	96,470	33,497,612	86,203	32,897,227	69,003	29,890,038	60,979	29,337,096	61,838
Preferential	4,042,616	21,723	7,319,672	37,524	7,313,014	44,406	7,070,408	39,551	7,930,258	44,288
Homestead	9,860,013	67,569	10,250,437	68,974	10,429,261	68,686	10,381,324	56,178	10,456,668	53,917
Conditional—										
Gazetted	12,198,150	148,018	12,338,192	149,080	12,486,322	150,362	12,690,078	151,285	12,589,987	149,842
Not Gazetted (under Provisional Rent)	672,041	5,600	615,011	5,125	773,730	6,447	460,671	3,839	528,457	4,403
Settlement	.....	..	.....	..	542,778	6,760	1,174,207	13,989	1,858,367	22,365
Improvement	.....	..	.....	..	1,861,922	2,402	2,286,248	2,955	3,823,951	7,654
Annual	5,428,383	38,359	5,564,302	39,509	5,873,263	40,753	5,960,604	41,288	6,490,522	42,966
Scrub	177,104	216	121,297	273	215,455	334	222,298	327	423,597	943
Snow Land	107,890	1,090	82,980	618	112,670	774	94,997	578	89,767	783
Special	12,021	12,413	14,344	14,628	19,026	15,085	25,695	16,332	39,364	17,271
Inferior Land	542,845	449	488,475	420	364,336	261	422,275	354	378,580	301
Artesian Well	.....	..	337,443	939	357,923	996	368,611	1,014	378,547	1,024
Residential Leases on Gold and Mineral Fields	1,368	227	1,583	256	1,706	261	2,293	322	3,047	412
Church and School Lands	260,331	8,650	262,574	8,966	255,456	8,890	267,151	9,542	237,214	8,573
Total under Lands Department	125,762,053	779,491	124,320,615	753,693	126,210,759	734,680	124,035,443	670,436	127,477,928	664,600
Mineral and Auriferous Leases (Mines Department)	86,118	14,693	91,978	19,824	97,031	29,662	148,841	31,818	131,670	18,256
Total Leases for all Government Departments	125,848,171	794,184	124,412,593	773,517	126,307,790	764,342	124,184,284	702,254	127,609,598	682,856

NOTE.—The amount of rent collected on the leases is that stated by the Lands Department, which differs somewhat from the Treasury returns shown in Part "Public Finance."

No. 33.—Land Leases current in each Division on 31st December, 1898.

Leases and Licenses.	Eastern Division.			Central Division.			Western Division.			Total, New South Wales.		
	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	Rent.	No.	Area.	Rent
		acres.	£		acres.	£		acres.	£		acres.	£
Pastoral	..	.....	....	384	10,835,754	110,904	308	42,076,752	137,116	692	52,912,506	248,020
Occupation Licenses—												
Ordinary	502	5,877,510	15,533	538	5,233,325	26,605	189	18,226,261	19,700	1,229	29,337,096	61,838
Preferential	309	3,553,986	15,808	269	4,376,272	28,480	..	.....	....	578	7,930,258	44,288
Homestead	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	1,237	10,456,668	53,917	1,237	10,456,668	53,917
Conditional—												
Gazetted	14,138	4,746,158	57,194	7,760	7,606,684	90,171	195	237,145	2,477	22,093	12,589,987	149,842
Not Gazetted (under Provisional Rent)	428	363,893	3,032	259	164,564	1,371	..	.....	....	687	528,457	4,403
Settlement	23	61,963	522	651	1,764,018	21,641	8	32,386	202	682	1,858,367	22,365
Improvement	81	266,949	848	201	1,213,541	3,858	131	2,343,461	2,948	413	3,823,951	7,654
Annual	9,322	5,268,355	34,307	1,155	1,154,893	8,103	78	67,274	556	10,555	6,490,522	42,966
Scrub	5	3,727	34	47	402,439	836	3	17,431	73	55	423,597	943
Snow Land	19	89,767	783	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	19	89,767	783
Special	702	12,574	14,663	177	17,425	1,507	113	9,365	1,101	992	39,364	17,271
Inferior Land	16	123,500	165	18	45,130	47	4	209,950	89	38	378,580	301
Artesian Well	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	37	378,547	1,024	37	378,547	1,024
Residential Leases on Gold and Mineral Fields	238	2,668	351	21	229	42	13	150	19	272	3,047	412
Church and School Lands	742	237,214	8,573	..	.....	....	..	.....	....	742	237,214	8,573
Total under Lands Department	26,525	20,608,264	151,813	11,480	32,814,274	293,565	2,316	74,055,390	219,222	40,321	127,477,928	664,600
Mineral and Auriferous Leases (Mines Department)											131,670	18,256
Total area under Lease from all Government Departments on 31st December, 1898											127,609,598	682,856

No. 34.—Settlement Leases, 1898.

Farms applied for.			Applications confirmed.		
No.	Area. a. r. p.	Rent. £ s. d.	No.	Area. a. r. p.	Rent. £ s. d.
EASTERN DIVISION.					
34	100,788 1 0	873 15 10	19	60,094 1 0	476 11 10
CENTRAL DIVISION.					
494	1,336,890 1 20	18,339 4 1	259	690,426 1 20	9,187 13 10
WESTERN DIVISION.					
3	9,401 0 0	65 14 6	2	6,746 0 0	32 10 8
NEW SOUTH WALES.					
531	1,447,079 2 20	19,278 14 5	280	757,266 2 20	9,696 16 4

No. 35.—Settlement Leases current, 31st December, 1898.

Division of Colony.	No. of Leases.	Area.	Annual Rent.
		a. r. p.	£ s. d.
Eastern	23	61,963 0 0	521 15 0
Central	651	1,764,018 1 0	21,641 8 3
Western	8	32,386 0 0	201 12 5
Total	682	1,858,367 1 0	22,364 15 8

No. 36.—Settlement Leases: Lands proclaimed and selected from 1st June, 1895, to 31st December, 1898.

Area available for selection.		Area selected.		Area unselected on 31st December, 1898.	Capital Value of Land selected.	Percentage of area selected to area available for selection.
No. of Farms.	Area. a. r. p.	No. of Farms.	Area. a. r. p.	a. r. p.	£ s. d.	
EASTERN DIVISION.						
154	327,894 0 0	41	119,557 0 0	208,337 0 0	83,064 10 7	37
CENTRAL DIVISION.						
1,190	3,011,053 2 20	771	2,089,827 1 20	921,226 1 0	2,135,302 16 7	69
WESTERN DIVISION.						
36	82,465 0 0	10	45,256 0 0	37,209 0 0	23,098 4 2	55
NEW SOUTH WALES.						
1,380	3,421,412 2 20	822	2,254,640 1 20	1,166,772 1 0	2,241,465 11 4	66

No. 37.—Improvement Leases, 1898.

Leases sold by Auction.							Leases let by Tender.						
No.	Area. a. r. p.			Rent. £ s. d.		Average rate per acre.	No.	Area. a. r. p.			Rent. £ s. d		Average rate per acre.
						pence.							pence.
Eastern Division.													
35	121,302	2	1	471	11	4	·93	6	21,260	0	0	79 14 7	·90
Central Division.													
54	317,900	2	0	945	8	1	·71	55	238,584	0	0	1,708 2 3	1·71
Western Division.													
24	347,570	0	0	623	19	9	·43	...	.....			.....	.....
New South Wales.													
113	786,773	0	1	2,040	19	2	·62	61	259,844	0	0	1,787 16 10	1·65

Grand Total, 174 Leases; area, 1,046,617 a. 0 r. 1 p.; rent, £3,828 16s. 0d.; average rate per acre, ·87d.

No. 38.—Church and School Lands held under Lease on 31st December, 1898.

Purpose for which area is leased.	No.	Area. a. r. p.	Rent. £ s. d.
Eastern Division.			
Pastoral	303	226,330 2 26	5,599 13 7
Agriculture	300	9,811 3 34	1,676 18 0
Building	44	27 2 $8\frac{3}{4}$	554 15 0
Gold Leases	83	539 3 29	598 16 0
Mineral Leases	12	504 0 1	142 18 8
Total	742	237,214 0 $18\frac{3}{4}$	8,573 1 3

The original area of the Church and School estate was 443,486 acres, of which 161,182 acres have been alienated in fee, leaving a balance of 271,740 acres brought under the operation of the Act for leasing purposes. Recent surveys indicate, however, that the area within the boundaries of the several estates as computed, not surveyed, is 282,304 acres, thus leaving an area of 45,090 acres not held under lease on the 31st December, 1898.

No. 39—Survey of Lands: Area and Cost of Land Measured under Contract during 1898.

Classification.	Area.	Cost.	Average per acre.
Area Surveys.	acres.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Alienation—			
Auction Sales	42,837	3,944 13 6	0 1 $10\frac{1}{2}$
Special Purchases	21	42 17 10	2 0 $10\frac{1}{2}$
Conditional Purchases	106,112	4,763 17 10	0 0 $10\frac{3}{4}$
Occupation—			
Exchange Areas	188,207	4,317 17 2	0 0 $5\frac{1}{2}$
Conditional Leases	137,608	3,965 16 11	0 0 $6\frac{3}{4}$
Homestead Leases	209,596	769 5 0	0 0 $0\frac{1}{2}$
Special Leases	18,535	1,271 9 4	0 1 $4\frac{3}{8}$
Miscellaneous—			
Reserves and other areas	124,446	2,292 19 11	0 0 $4\frac{3}{8}$
In anticipation, including Homestead Selections and Settlement and Improvement Leases	1,798,283	14,053 12 0	0 0 $1\frac{7}{8}$
otal Area Surveys	2,625,645	35,422 9 6	0 0 $3\frac{1}{4}$
Lineal Surveys.	Length (chs.).	£ s. d.	Average per chain. £ s. d.
Roads (4 Wm. IV No. 11)	31,511	2,329 7 9	0 1 $5\frac{1}{2}$
Boundaries, Pastoral Leases	5,737	229 16 2	0 0 $9\frac{5}{8}$
Feature and Geographical	31,541	1,203 19 2	0 0 $9\frac{1}{2}$
Miscellaneous Lengths	10,231	325 17 0	0 0 $7\frac{5}{8}$
Alignments	682	133 13 7	0 3 11
Total Lineal Surveys	79,702	4,222 13 8	0 1 $0\frac{1}{2}$

No. 40.—Gross and Net Revenue of Lands Department, 1889–98.

Year.	Gross Receipts.					Refunds.	Net Receipts.	Expenditure, Lands Department.	Net Revenue from Lands exclusive of interest on capital, expenditure on buildings, &c.	
	Auction and Special Sales.	Conditional Purchases and Homestead Selections.	Leases.	Miscellaneous Receipts.	Total.				Total.	Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	214,691	934,480	901,711	15,642	2,066,524	76,774	1,989,750	378,565	1,611,185	1 10 3
1890	225,386	1,050,272	772,367	117,432	2,165,457	73,815	2,091,642	379,293	1,712,349	1 11 1
1891	191,696	1,078,817	840,747	85,367	2,196,627	84,615	2,112,012	384,837	1,727,175	1 10 2
1892	224,164	971,225	906,279	52,543	2,154,211	72,348	2,081,863	388,415	1,693,448	1 8 8
1893	252,782	1,012,990	839,494	41,353	2,146,619	89,052	2,057,567	342,646	1,714,921	1 8 4
1894	234,409	1,030,060	775,818	34,832	2,075,119	44,792	2,030,327	302,962	1,727,365	1 7 11
1895	78,766	1,063,529	767,130	51,495	1,960,920	33,270	1,927,650	303,427	1,624,223	1 5 8
1896	58,277	1,056,093	732,413	36,400	1,883,183	48,975	1,834,208	293,618	1,540,590	1 3 11
1897	73,964	1,089,067	660,475	66,305	1,889,811	54,675	1,835,136	280,347	1,554,789	1 3 9
1898	111,616	1,133,253	679,166	57,022	1,981,057	54,187	1,926,870	273,359	1,653,511	1 4 9

NOTE.—These figures are in accordance with the Treasury returns.

No. 41.—Labour Settlements.

Settlement.	Date of Establishment.	Area.	Population on 31st December, 1898.				Value of Improvements (exclusive of Crops).	Loans advanced by Government.
			Men Enrolled.	Women.	Children.	Total.		
		acres.					£	£
Bega	July, 1893 ...	1,360	28	29	144	201	2,436	2,106
Wilberforce ...	August, 1893	882	17	14	66	97	2,107	2,065

No. 42.—Court of Claims.

Prior to 1831 all grants of public land were made upon the sole authority of the Governor. After that date all public lands were directed to be sold. The so-called "grants" issued prior to 1831 were only promises of grants, giving authority to take possession of the land, but not conferring any title in law. In 1833 an Act was passed (4 Wm. IV No. 9) appointing and empowering three or more Commissioners to hear and determine claims to grants of land. This Act was limited to two years' operation, but in 1835 was made perpetual by Act 5 Wm. IV No. 21. No claims were brought before the Court during 1898.

The deed in respect of an area of 636 acres 3 roods, the claim for which was dealt with within a previous year was however issued during 1898.

No. 43.—Area of Lands affected by Alienation and Long Lease, and Balance Available for Settlement at the close of the year 1898.

	Land Division.			Total, N. S. Wales.
	Eastern.	Central.	Western.	
Area practically beyond State control—	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Alienated, and in process of alienation ...	23,398,457	21,077,684	1,912,449	46,388,590
Conditionally leased, with right to purchase	5,110,051	7,771,248	237,145	13,118,444
Total (*a*)	28,508,508	28,848,932	2,149,594	59,507,034
Area under long contracts—				
Pastoral leases, Western Division, 28 years...	.....	.....	42,076,752	42,076,752
Homestead leases	.....	.....	10,456,668	10,456,668
Scrub leases, 21 years, and Inferior Land leases, 20 years, with right of extension in each case to 28 years	127,227	447,569	227,381	802,177
Artesian Well Leases	.....	.....	378,547	378,547
Snow-land leases, 7 years, with 3 years extension	89,767	.....	.....	89,767
Settlement leases, 28 years	61,963	1,764,018	32,386	1,858,367
Improvement leases, 28 years	266,949	1,213,541	2,343,461	3,823,951
Other leases	58,584	62,524	52,973	174,081
Total (*b*)	604,490	3,487,652	55,568,168	59,660,310
Total area of each Land Division	60,450,000	55,460,000	79,972,150	195,882,150
Total area parted with and leased for long terms (see *a* and *b*)	29,112,998	32,336,584	57,717,762	119,167,344
Balance	31,337,002	23,123,416	22,254,388	76,714,806
Area in occupation, but leased for short terms*	14,937,065	21,600,244	18,293,535	54,830,844
Area neither alienated nor leased (includes reserves, roads, stock routes, &c.)	16,399,937	1,523,172	3,960,853	21,883,962

* There are 43,757,876 acres held under occupation license and annual lease in the three Land Divisions, and 10,835,754 acres under pastoral lease in the Central Division. The last-mentioned leases terminated in 1895; but, in accordance with section 43 of the Act of 1889, renewals were granted for various short terms. Leases of the following areas will expire during the year mentioned :—

1899	879,840 acres
1900	8,769,698 ,,
1901	304,651 ,,
1902	418,871 ,,
1903	406,859 ,,
1904	54,345 ,,
Total	10,834,264 acres.

Notwithstanding these renewals, however, the Act of 1895 provides for the withdrawal of half each leasehold to meet the requirements of settlement as they arise, compensation being allowed in the form of a further extension of lease for the other portion. The areas, the leases of which expire in 1902, 1903, and 1904, comprise the remainder of leaseholds, portions of whi h were withdrawn for settlement during 1896 and 1897 under the provisions of section 3 of the Act of 1895.

No. 44.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Cultivated, Enclosed, and Unenclosed, &c., in the Counties of each Division, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Total Area—			Proportion of Land—		Area—	
	Of County.	Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Cultivated.	Alienated to Total Area.	Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.
A.—Coastal Division.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
1.—North Coast.							
Rous	1,480,320	581,086	32,321	39·25	5·56	426,411	154,675
Richmond	704,640	180,281	7,343	25·58	4·07	174,415	5,866
Clarence	867,840	218,478	32,727	25·17	14·97	212,297	6,181
Fitzroy	985,600	115,770	4,980	11·75	4·30	87,263	28,507
Raleigh	623,360	77,764	11,464	12·47	14·74	40,880	36,884
Dudley	631,040	138,159	13,081	21·89	9·47	130,356	7,803
Macquarie	1,635,200	297,333	25,364	18·18	8·53	242,896	54,437
Total	6,928,000	1,608,871	127,280	23·22	7·91	1,314,518	294,353
2.—Lower Hunter.							
Gloucester	1,985,640	642,089	12,588	32·34	1·96	271,958	370,131
Durham	1,340,800	838,328	25,493	62·52	3·04	819,176	19,152
Northumberland	1,543,040	564,158	30,193	36·56	5·35	459,769	104,389
Total	4,869,480	2,044,575	68,274	41·99	3·34	1,550,903	493,672
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	241,920	54,048	4,352	*	*	38,153	15,895
Ryde	101,120	25,664	7,521	25·38	29·31	22,811	2,853
Parramatta	74,240	52,928	10,060	71·29	19·01	46,941	5,987
Liverpool	107,520	69,965	3,855	65·07	5·51	56,042	13,923
Camden (*part of*) ...	40,840	35,601	1,207	87·17	3·39	35,601	.....
Campbelltown	97,920	50,957	2,727	52·04	5·35	42,106	8,851
Wollongong (*part of*) ...	60,280	11,549	235	19·16	2·03	11,240	309
Windsor (*part of*) ...	139,520	70,491	9,382	50·52	13·31	54,230	16,261
Penrith (*part of*)	143,360	118,184	8,636	82·44	7·31	109,266	8,918
Total	1,006,720	469,387	47,975	48·61	9·80	416,390	72,997
4.—South Coast.							
Camden	1,424,640	655,752	29,449	46·06	4·49	623,552	32,200
St. Vincent...	1,632,640	321,304	11,916	19·68	3·71	275,582	45,722
Dampier	941,440	195,196	4,866	20·73	2·49	177,027	18,169
Auckland	1,206,400	344,834	7,167	28·58	2·08	323,432	21,402
Total	5,205,120	1,517,086	53,398	29·15	3·52	1,399,593	117,493
Total, Coastal Division...	18,009,320	5,659,919	296,927	31·43	5·25	4,681,404	978,515

* The whole of the land in this district, with the exception of public reserves, is alienated in city and suburban allotments.

No. 44.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area—			Proportion of Land—		Area—	
	Of County.	Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Cultivated.	Alienated to Total Area.	Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.
B.—Table-land Division.							
5.—Northern Table-land.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
Buller	933,120	55,018	636	5·90	1·16	50,832	4,186
Clive	1,101,440	145,600	7,041	13·22	4·84	135,719	9,881
Arrawatta	1,480,320	311,967	11,225	21·07	3·60	277,293	34,674
Gough	1,138,560	552,086	24,842	48·49	4·50	524,023	28,063
Drake	840,960	114,425	380	13·61	0·33	114,232	193
Gresham	709,760	19,484	148	2·74	0·76	7,120	12,364
Clarke	972,800	119,164	1,805	12·25	1·51	113,621	5,543
Hardinge	1,156,480	300,156	6,940	25·95	2 31	288,957	11,199
Murchison	1,208,960	221,761	12,699	18·34	5·73	217,362	4,399
Darling	993,920	328,340	24,103	33·03	7·34	327,888	452
Inglis	560,000	190,790	10,261	34·07	5·38	187,852	2,938
Sandon	809,600	541,553	20,566	66·89	3·80	541,103	450
Vernon	1,075,200	321,014	3,654	29·85	1·14	308,412	12,602
Hawes	1,051,520	99,863	173	9·50	0·17	55,420	44,443
Parry	867,840	504,982	21,608	58·19	4·28	500,945	4,937
Buckland	951,680	705,749	20,197	74·16	2·86	705,064	685
Total	15,852,160	4,531,952	166,278	28·59	3·67	4,355,843	176,109
6.—Central Table land.							
Brisbane	1,419,520	847,110	14,338	59·68	1·69	839,809	7,301
Bligh	1,011,840	503,541	12,793	49·76	2·54	497,870	5,671
Phillip	1,080,320	310,931	21,341	28·78	6·86	303,285	7,646
Wellington	1,212,160	356,574	28,980	29·42	8·13	353,467	3,107
Roxburgh	1,043,840	286,869	25,391	27·48	8·85	283,411	3,458
Hunter	1,340,800	136,606	4,538	10·18	3·32	130,033	6,573
Cook	1,085,440	186,820	13,036	17·21	6·98	161,074	25,746
Westmoreland	1,041,280	223,886	12,789	21·50	5·71	218,921	4,965
Georgiana	1,230,080	342,245	7,781	27·82	2·27	328,083	14,162
Bathurst	1,240,960	766,710	111,868	61·78	14·59	761,524	5,186
Total	11,706,240	3,961,292	252,855	33·84	6·38	3,877,477	83,815
7.—Southern Table-land.							
Monteagle	788,480	542,507	68,503	68·80	12·63	538,909	3,598
King	1,198,720	608,552	19,135	50·77	3·14	607,411	1,141
Argyle	1,262,080	658,091	19,198	52·14	2·92	652,784	5,307
Murray	1,429,760	896,931	14,847	62·73	1·65	890,309	6,622
Beresford	912,000	355,471	5,107	38·98	1·44	346,705	8,766
Cowley	741,120	117,602	1,254	15·87	1·07	112,163	5,439
Buccleuch	901,760	196,962	7,943	21·84	4·03	191,462	5,500
Wynyard	1,091,200	647,525	29,619	59·34	4·57	643,566	3,959
Selwyn	1,219,840	257,814	2,664	21·13	1·03	245,743	12,071
Wallace	1,379,840	412,006	4,388	29·86	1·06	407,843	4,163
Wellesley	967,680	495,739	3,988	51·23	0·80	494,105	1,634
Total	11,892,480	5,189,200	176,646	43·63	3·40	5,131,000	58,200
Total, Table-land Division	39,450,880	13,682,444	595,779	34·68	4·35	13,364,320	318,124

No. 44.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area— Of County.	Total Area— Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Total Area— Cultivated.	Proportion of Land— Alienated to Total Area.	Proportion of Land— Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Area— Enclosed.	Area— Unenclosed.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.							
8.—North-western Slope.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
Stapylton	1,566,720	201,989	116	12·89	0·06	201,889	100
Burnett	1,164,800	435,000	3,969	37·34	0·91	418,810	16,190
Courallie	1,232,640	571,311	437	46·34	0·08	570,939	372
Benarba	2,017,000	303,138	46	15·03	0·02	301,763	1,375
Denham	954,240	212,279	85	22·24	0·04	211,874	405
Jamison	1,482,880	365,706	798	24·66	0·22	364,906	800
Nandewar	851,840	286,715	5,991	33·66	2·09	283,074	3,641
Pottinger	1,804,120	914,981	8,286	50·72	0·91	893,570	21,411
White	1,208,960	45,377	361	37·53	0·80	45,166	211
Baradine	1,545,600	136,090	1,201	8·80	0·88	131,451	4,639
Leichhardt	2,367,080	629,067	1,334	26·57	0·21	623,247	5,820
Total	16,195,880	4,101,653	22,624	25·32	0·55	4,046,689	54,964
9.—Central-western Slope.							
Napier	667,520	159,632	1,398	23·91	0·88	158,761	871
Gowen	1,085,440	216,695	4,868	19·96	2·25	213,165	3,530
Ewenmar	1,314,560	365,115	5,351	27·77	1·47	364,726	389
Oxley	849,280	170,891	1,721	20·12	1·01	170,418	473
Narromine	1,156,480	278,509	21,606	24·08	7·76	271,230	7,279
Lincoln	1,259,520	235,127	43,778	18·67	18·62	231,396	3,731
Gordon	972,800	372,097	37,820	38·25	10·26	364,445	7,652
Ashburnham	1,367,040	667,266	85,215	48·80	12·77	660,328	6,938
Kennedy	1,466,880	154,724	11,826	10·55	7·64	154,721	3
Cunningham	1,532,800	373,168	20,402	24·34	5·47	354,358	18,810
Total	11,672,320	2,993,224	233,985	25·64	7·82	2,943,548	49,676
10.—South-western Slope.							
Gipps	1,566,720	510,483	10,550	32·58	2·07	509,705	778
Forbes	904,320	441,920	38,821	48·87	8·78	441,826	94
Bland	1,548,160	782,870	64,078	50·57	8·19	776,714	6,156
Harden	1,101,440	855,601	67,568	77·68	7·90	852,513	3,088
Clarendon	741,120	609,468	82,451	82·23	13·53	609,318	150
Bourke	1,472,000	685,587	122,565	46·57	17·88	672,354	13,233
Mitchell	825,600	664,255	51,164	80·46	7·70	659,931	4,324
Hume	1,064,960	923,361	134,918	86·68	14·61	919,841	3,520
Goulburn	885,760	552,957	43,388	62·44	7·85	552,316	641
Total	10,110,080	6,026,502	615,503	59·61	10·21	5,994,518	31,984
Total, Western Slopes ...	37,978,280	13,121,379	872,112	34·57	6·65	12,984,755	136,624
11.—Riverina.							
Dowling	1,177,600	119,426	2,007	10·14	1·68	119,246	180
Nicholson	1,411,840	400,872	19,024	28·39	4·75	380,200	20,672
Cooper	1,761,280	722,704	29,997	41·03	4·15	722,555	149
Sturt	967,680	606,101	4,716	62·63	0·78	606,101	.....
Waradgery	1,784,960	937,330	4,847	52·51	0·52	936,655	675
Boyd	1,001,600	661,129	8,221	66·00	1·24	661,129	.....
Urana	1,999,080	1,627,858	52,191	81·43	3·21	1,626,917	941
Denison	788,480	574,970	159,858	72·92	27·80	573,935	1,035
Townsend	2,335,080	1,683,702	31,686	72·10	1·88	1,683,195	507
Wakool	1,900,800	1,171,450	8,991	61·63	0·77	1,171,450	.....
Cadell	667,520	493,073	34,881	73·86	7·07	492,083	990
Total	15,795,920	8,998,615	356,419	56·96	3·96	8,973,466	25,149
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	53,774,200	22,119,994	1,228,531	41·10	5·55	21,958,221	161,773

No. 44.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area— Of County.	Total Area— Occupied in Holdings over 1 acre in extent.	Total Area— Cultivated.	Proportion of Land— Alienated to Total Area.	Proportion of Land— Cultivated to Area Alienated.	Area— Enclosed.	Area— Unenclosed.
D.—Western Division. 12.—Western Plains. East of Darling—	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
Clyde	1,884,800	134,205	152	7·12	0·11	125,863	8,342
Gregory	1,964,520	592,664	362	30·17	0·06	575,876	16,788
Flinders	1,545,600	71,332	3,221	4·61	4·52	71,310	22
Canbelego	1,398,400	48,274	1,015	3·45	2·10	43,168	5,106
Cowper	3,003,240	48,097	54	1·60	0·11	47,538	559
Yanda	1,904,360	12,729	45	0·67	0·35	12,649	80
Robinson	1,569,280	14,782	32	0·94	0·22	12,899	1,883
Mouramba	1,559,040	11,298	783	0·72	6·93	10,250	1,048
Blaxland	2,787,560	62,885	1,264	2·25	2·01	48,587	14,298
Franklin	894,080	221,740	1,589	24·80	0·72	221,740	.....
Mossgiel	2,685,160	28,306	83	1·05	0·29	28,244	62
Booroondarra	1,322,240	3,515	81	0·26	2·30	1,400	2,115
Rankin	1,669,120	9,728	.....	0·58	...	9,728	.....
Werunda	1,532,800	3,137	120	0·20	3·82	3,137	.....
Woore	1,603,200	6,905	175	0·43	2·53	6,905	.....
Manara	2,564,200	33,942	375	1·32	1·10	33,942	.....
Waljeers	1,719,040	221,136	186	12·86	0·08	221,128	8
Kilfera	1,056,640	13,053	139	1·23	1·06	13,053	.....
Caira	1,695,360	386,965	1,654	22·82	0·43	374,508	12,457
Taila	1,506,560	22,209	793	1·47	3·57	22,195	14
Wentworth	2,156,520	82,139	774	3·81	0·94	73,464	8,675
Perry	1,938,280	43,072	384	2·22	0·89	42,832	240
Livingstone	2,582,120	13,808	190	0·53	1·38	13,808	.....
Total, East of Darling	42,542,120	2,085,921	13,471	4·90	0·65	2,014,224	71,697
West of Darling—							
Finch	2,640,360	127,165	79	4·81	0·06	127,164	1
Narran	2,348,520	73,368	52	3·12	0·07	67,690	5,678
Culgoa	1,495,680	11,741	23	0·78	0·20	11,621	120
Gunderbooka	1,561,600	25,939	252	1·66	0·97	25,813	126
Irrara	2,729,320	9,948	50	0·36	0·50	9,907	41
Thoulcanna	1,038,720	3,313	62	0·32	1·87	3,113	200
Barrona	1,671,680	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
Landsborough	1,259,520	24,573	3	1·95	0·01	24,253	320
Killara	1,813,760	8,857	.....	0·49	...	8,846	11
Fitzgerald	1,374,720	680	.....	0·05	...	120	560
Ularara	1,875,560	5,808	40	0·31	0·69	5,808	.....
Delalah	1,379,840	360	.....	0·03	...	.....	360
Tongowoko	1,511,680	2,062	.....	0·14	...	2,020	42
Poole	1,288,320	240	.....	0·19	...	240	.....
Yantara	1,914,600	4,296	.....	0·22	...	.....	4,296
Yungnulgra	1,862,120	9,452	10	0·51	0·11	8,390	1,062
Young	1,687,680	23,070	653	1·37	2·83	23,070	.....
Tandora	1,532,800	3,361	55	0·22	1·64	3,360	1
Mootwingee	2,269,800	4,222	127	0·19	3·01	3,621	601
Evelyn	2,377,320	1,905	.....	0·08	...	564	1,341
Farnell	1,925,480	6,321	.....	0·33	...	6,320	1
Yancowinna	1,690,240	11,341	.....	0·67	...	10,387	954
Menindie	1,582,720	4,286	1	0·28	0·02	4,246	40
Windeyer	2,193,000	26,456	253	1·21	0·96	26,316	140
Tara	2,046,440	48,073	938	2·35	1·95	48,043	30
Total, West of Darling	45,071,480	436,837	2,598	0·97	0·59	420,912	15,925
Total, Western Plains ...	87,613,600	2,522,758	16,069	2·88	0·64	2,435,136	87,622
Total, New South Wales	198,848,000	43,985,115	2,137,306	22·12*	4·86	42,439,081	1,546,034

Note.—Large holdings extending into more than one county are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

* Proportion of Land alienated.—The percentage (22·12) has been made on the total area of the Colony. Calculated upon the area, exclusive of water, the figures are 22·45 per cent.

Area of New South Wales.—The total area of New South Wales is 198,848,000 acres, but the area of the Colony, exclusive of water, is 195,882,150 acres, as stated in Table No. 1.

No. 45.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings; also the Areas and Percentages of Freehold and Private Leasehold, in the Counties of each Division, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	* Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each class of Holding.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
A.—COASTAL DIVISION.												
1.—North Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
Rous	1,496	736	105	64	6	10	2,417	581,086	487,995	93,091	83·98	16·02
Richmond	268	158	21	51	4	7	509	180,281	154,316	25,965	85·60	14·40
Clarence	773	611	141	95	19	17	1,656	218,478	151,765	66,713	69·47	30·53
Fitzroy	245	61	6	84	4	7	407	115,770	101,660	14,110	87·81	12·19
Raleigh	371	176	30	47	3	2	629	77,764	55,954	21,810	72·00	28·00
Dudley	252	351	56	47	5	14	725	138,159	87,303	50,856	63·19	36·81
Macquarie	858	560	110	77	13	8	1,626	297,333	204,121	93,212	68·65	31·35
Total	4,263	2,653	469	465	54	65	7,969	1,608,871	1,243,114	365,757	77·26	22·74
2.—Lower Hunter.												
Gloucester	730	296	112	138	9	18	1,303	642,089	366,683	275,406	57·11	42·89
Durham	704	735	149	157	4	23	1,772	838,328	617,179	221,149	73·62	26·38
Northumberland ..	1,735	1,173	241	41	3	6	3,199	564,158	357,484	206,674	63·37	36·63
Total	3,169	2,204	502	336	16	47	6,274	2,044,575	1,341,346	703,229	65·61	34·39
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)												
Metropolitan	1,918	1,325	82	1	1	..	3,327	54,048	38,472	15,576	71·18	28·82
Ryde	919	153	46	..	..	..	1,118	25,664	22,524	3,140	87·77	12·23
Parramatta	1,111	196	48	2	..	..	1,357	52,928	40,825	12,103	77·13	22·87
Liverpool	783	310	48	..	..	..	1,141	69,965	34,206	35,759	48·89	51·11
Camden (*part of*) ..	66	41	18	..	..	..	125	35,601	13,949	21,652	39·18	60·82
Campbelltown	200	128	43	1	..	..	372	50,957	28,790	22,167	56·50	43·50
Wollongong (*part of*) ..	51	23	12	..	..	..	86	11,549	9,521	2,028	82·44	17·56
Windsor (*part of*) ..	520	196	55	3	..	..	774	70,491	54,344	16,147	77·09	22·91
Penrith (*part of*) ..	736	239	87	..	..	..	1,062	118,184	55,743	62,441	47·17	52·83
Total	6,304	2,611	439	7	1	..	9,362	489,387	298,374	191,013	60·97	39·03
4.—South Coast.												
Camden	1,773	1,566	471	76	4	19	3,909	655,752	390,073	265,679	59·49	40·51
St. Vincent	706	336	135	135	7	39	1,358	321,304	227,232	94,072	70·72	29·28
Dampier	338	106	46	72	4	11	577	195,196	159,490	35,706	81·71	18·29
Auckland	510	177	91	73	7	20	878	344,834	284,704	60,130	82·56	17·44
Total	3,327	2,185	743	356	22	89	6,722	1,517,086	1,061,499	455,587	69·97	30·03
Total, Coastal Division	17,063	9,653	2,153	1,164	93	201	30,327	5,659,919	3,944,333	1,715,586	69·69	30·31

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 53, page 456.

No. 45.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	*Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each Class of Holding.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
B.—TABLE-LAND DIVISION.												
5.—Northern Table-land.												
Buller	58	6	1	74	4	..	143	55,018	52,296	2,722	95·05	4·95
Clive	326	39	26	134	..	1	526	145,600	143,078	2,522	98·27	1·73
Arrawatta	113	12	15	109	2	7	258	311,967	289,866	22,101	92·92	7·08
Gough	450	142	40	176	3	15	826	552,086	515,993	36,093	93·47	6·53
Drake	15	9	..	17	..	1	42	114,425	114,148	277	99·76	0·24
Gresham	11	..	..	7	..	1	19	19,484	19,444	40	99·80	0·20
Clarke	46	14	2	112	5	2	181	119,164	113,289	5,875	95·07	4·93
Hardinge	83	38	13	201	2	16	353	300,156	258,638	41,518	86·17	13·83
Murchison	130	35	14	111	1	6	297	221,761	211,093	10,668	95·19	4·81
Darling	112	49	12	204	1	11	389	328,340	309,959	18,381	94·40	5·60
Inglis	170	43	9	130	5	16	373	190,790	164,895	25,895	86·43	13·57
Sandon	572	170	40	119	1	5	907	541,553	503,862	37,691	93·04	6·96
Vernon	118	49	6	98	2	8	281	321,014	305,334	15,680	95·12	4·88
Hawes	7	2	..	66	..	1	76	99,863	99,468	395	99·61	0·39
Parry	227	82	22	126	1	15	473	504,982	492,451	12,531	97·52	2·48
Buckland	303	51	18	90	..	14	476	705,749	688,096	17,653	97·50	2·50
Total	2,741	741	218	1,774	27	119	5,620	4,531,952	4,281,910	250,042	94·48	5·52
6.—Central Table-land.												
Brisbane	469	114	70	232	5	19	909	847,110	773,825	73,285	91·35	8·65
Bligh	167	34	21	252	5	32	511	503,541	455,010	48,531	90·36	9·64
Phillip	387	132	24	201	14	16	774	310,931	279,284	31,647	89·82	10·18
Wellington	616	218	68	268	11	19	1,200	356,574	317,565	39,009	89·06	10·94
Roxburgh	284	175	44	177	9	27	816	286,869	186,313	100,556	64·95	35·05
Hunter	130	45	36	24	4	14	253	136,606	116,193	20,413	85·06	14·94
Cook	1,052	201	122	55	4	12	1,446	186,820	149,827	36,993	80·20	19·80
Westmoreland	238	105	32	207	11	45	638	223,886	168,769	55,117	75·38	24·62
Georgiana	209	86	33	264	15	48	655	342,245	276,821	65,424	80·88	19·12
Bathurst	843	613	147	140	18	45	1,806	766,710	566,113	200,597	73·84	26·16
Total	4,495	1,723	597	1,820	96	277	9,008	3,961,292	3,289,720	671,572	83·05	16·95
7.—Southern Table-land.												
Monteagle	618	49	32	109	2	12	822	542,507	515,380	27,127	95·00	5·00
King	525	144	54	304	13	30	1,070	608,552	538,906	69,646	88·55	11·45
Argyle	622	279	126	183	20	59	1,289	658,091	476,526	181,565	72·41	27·59
Murray	441	139	85	200	9	56	930	896,931	771,176	125,755	85·98	14·02
Beresford	184	53	24	154	3	12	430	355,471	337,874	17,597	95·05	4·95
Cowley	28	4	2	74	1	5	114	117,602	111,021	6,581	94·40	5·60
Buccleuch	109	108	14	90	6	2	329	196,962	171,913	25,049	87·28	12·72
Wynyard	545	180	63	101	6	26	921	647,525	549,818	97,707	84·91	15·09
Selwyn	128	22	6	54	3	10	223	257,814	224,393	33,421	87·04	12·96
Wallace	136	31	10	202	13	28	420	412,006	390,697	21,309	94·83	5·17
Wellesley	277	49	29	112	7	18	492	495,739	470,266	25,473	94·86	5·14
Total	3,613	1,058	445	1,583	83	258	7,040	5,189,200	4,557,970	631,230	87·84	12·16
Total, Table-land Division	10,849	3,522	1,260	5,177	206	654	21,668	13,682,444	12,129,600	1,552,844	88·65	11·35

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 53, page 457.

No. 45.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	*Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each Class of Holding.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented with Crown Landsattached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
C.—WESTERN SLOPES AND RIVERINA DIVISION.												
8.—North-western Slope.												
Stapylton	14	5	2	63	2	6	92	201,989	193,143	8,846	95·62	4.38
Burnett	72	12	2	104	1	7	198	435,000	429,683	5,317	98·78	1·22
Courallie	57	16	6	71	1	1	152	571,311	566,076	5,235	99·08	0·92
Benarba	14	1	1	134	..	5	155	303,138	295,998	7,140	97·65	2·35
Denham	10	3	..	51	..	4	68	212,279	201,269	11,010	94·81	5·19
Jamison	16	7	2	88	1	4	118	365,706	353,672	12,034	96·71	3·29
Nandewar	122	18	3	71	2	..	216	286,715	283,788	2,927	98·98	1·02
Pottinger	257	26	7	128	4	4	426	914,981	902,761	12,220	98·66	1·34
White	48	6	1	18	1	1	75	45,377	42,640	2,737	93·97	6·03
Baradine	50	13	5	77	1	4	150	136,090	131,136	4,954	96·36	3·64
Leichhardt	50	14	3	161	..	8	236	629,067	597,219	31,848	94·94	5·06
Total	710	121	32	966	13	44	1,886	4,101,653	3,997,385	104,268	97·46	2·54
9.—Central-western Slope.												
Napier	21	9	2	34	1	1	68	159,632	157,469	2,163	98·65	1·35
Gowen	92	28	11	128	4	10	273	216,695	210,622	6,073	97·20	2·80
Ewenmar	44	11	1	129	4	4	193	365,115	357,508	7,607	97·92	2·08
Oxley	75	7	..	55	1	6	144	170,891	165,756	5,135	97·00	3·00
Narromine	176	13	4	109	..	5	307	278,509	269,644	8,865	96·82	3·18
Lincoln	246	79	22	177	5	6	535	235,127	213,781	21,346	90·92	9·08
Gordon	213	48	13	180	1	6	461	372,097	358,974	13,123	96·47	3·53
Ashburnham	997	158	55	270	6	20	1,506	667,266	623,550	43,716	93·45	6·55
Kennedy	28	..	1	94	..	5	128	154,724	152,254	2,470	98·40	1·60
Cunningham	129	13	3	151	1	6	303	373,163	365,085	8,083	97·83	2·17
Total	2,021	366	112	1,327	23	69	3,918	2,993,224	2,874,643	118,581	96·04	3·96
10.—South-western Slope.												
Gipps	22	6	..	148	1	7	184	510,483	485,332	25,151	95·07	4·93
Forbes	281	53	23	123	4	5	489	441,920	419,542	22,378	94·94	5·06
Bland	384	62	22	210	4	11	693	782,870	730,510	52,360	93·31	6·69
Harden	589	131	79	100	2	8	909	855,601	801,971	53,630	93·73	6·27
Clarendon	353	117	51	39	2	5	567	609,468	561,546	47,922	92·14	7·86
Bourke	462	64	21	110	1	6	664	685,587	638,226	47,361	93·09	6·91
Mitchell	251	47	20	32	1	6	357	664,255	639,426	24,829	96·26	3·74
Hume	396	53	30	19	1	4	503	923,361	885,675	37,686	95·92	4·08
Goulburn	324	67	26	61	5	14	497	552,957	492,730	60,227	89·11	10·89
Total	3,062	600	272	842	21	66	4,863	6,026,502	5,654,958	371,544	93·84	6·16
Total, Western Slopes	5,793	1,087	416	3,135	57	179	10,667	13,121,379	12,526,986	594,393	95·47	4·53
11.—Riverina.												
Dowling	17	3	..	48	..	2	70	119,426	114,591	4,835	95·95	4·05
Nicholson	107	9	..	75	1	1	193	400,872	399,178	1,694	99·58	0·42
Cooper	138	33	5	64	3	6	249	722,704	700,102	22,602	96·87	3·13
Sturt	19	1	..	19	1	2	42	606,101	599,808	6,293	98·96	1·04
Waradgery	73	15	4	64	2	10	168	937,330	907,896	29,434	96·86	3·14
Boyd	45	..	..	6	..	..	51	661,129	661,129	..	100·00	..
Urana	343	27	17	39	1	4	431	1,627,858	1,594,924	32,934	97·98	2·02
Denison	249	67	26	16	..	1	359	574,970	522,626	52,344	90·90	9·10
Townsend	212	39	12	32	..	5	300	1,683,702	1,652,512	31,190	98·15	1·85
Wakool	90	4	1	66	..	5	166	1,171,450	1,154,793	16,657	98·58	1·42
Cadell	166	16	19	7	..	1	209	493,073	481,158	11,915	97·58	2·42
Total	1,459	214	84	436	8	37	2,238	8,998,615	8,788,717	209,898	97·67	2·33
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	7,252	1,301	500	3,571	65	216	12,905	22,119,994	21,315,703	804,291	96·36	3·64

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only" see Table No. 53, page 458.

No. 45.—Number of Occupiers of Freehold, Leasehold, and Mixed Holdings, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	* Occupiers of—							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each Class of Holding.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, and partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Total.	Freehold.	Private rented.	Freehold.	Private rented.
D.—WESTERN DIVISION.												
12.—Western Plains.												
	No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
East of Darling—												
Clyde	24	6	..	35	..	2	67	134,205	129,861	4,344	96·76	3·24
Gregory	22	3	..	91	1	13	130	592,664	557,375	35,289	94·04	5·96
Flinders	8	4	1	55	..	..	68	71,332	70,337	995	98·61	1·39
Canbelego	29	2	..	36	..	..	67	48,274	48,223	51	99·89	0·11
Cowper	20	11	..	23	3	2	59	48,097	43,077	5,020	89·56	10·44
Yanda	3	..	..	9	..	..	12	12,729	12,729	....	100·00	..
Robinson	36	5	..	15	2	..	58	14,782	13,052	1,730	88·30	11·70
Mouramba ..	36	1	1	10	..	..	48	11,298	11,176	122	98·92	1·08
Blaxland	30	4	..	15	1	..	50	62,885	60,207	2,678	95 75	4·25
Franklin	5	5	..	25	1	2	38	221,740	216,727	5,013	97·74	2·26
Mossgiel	8	1	..	10	4	..	23	28,306	25,863	2,443	91·37	8·63
Booroondarra ..	1	..	..	6	1	..	8	3,515	3,475	40	99·86	1·14
Rankin	1	..	..	6	..	..	7	9,728	9,728	....	100·00	..
Werunda	3	..	..	4	..	..	7	3,137	3,137	....	100·00	..
Woore	2	..	..	7	..	..	9	6,905	6,905	....	100·00	..
Manara	..	1	..	6	..	..	7	33,942	33,862	80	99·77	0·23
Waljeers	5	1	..	10	2	..	18	221,136	214,676	6,460	97·08	2·92
Kilfera	3	1	..	4	..	..	8	13,053	12,933	120	99·08	0·92
Caira	34	6	2	19	2	4	67	386,965	383,650	3,315	99·14	0·86
Taila	16	..	1	7	1	1	26	22,209	21,369	840	96·22	3·78
Wentworth ..	31	6	..	19	..	..	56	82,139	79,355	2,784	96·61	3·39
Perry	4	1	..	5	..	1	11	43,072	42,832	240	99·44	0·56
Livingstone ..	6	..	..	9	..	..	15	13,808	13,808	....	100·00	..
Total— East of Darling ..	327	58	5	426	18	25	859	2,085,921	2,014,357	71,564	96·57	3·43
West of Darling—												
Finch	9	1	2	30	3	1	46	127,165	126,270	895	99·30	0·70
Narran	14	5	1	22	1	1	44	73,368	70,198	3,170	95·68	4·32
Culgoa	9	1	..	8	..	..	18	11,741	11,381	360	96·93	3·07
Gunderbooka ..	28	1	..	13	..	..	42	25,939	25,579	360	98·61	1·39
Irrara	3	1	..	7	..	1	12	9,948	9,608	340	96·59	3·41
Thoulcanna ..	1	..	..	3	..	..	4	3,313	3,313	....	100·00	..
Barrona	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.....	.....	....	..	..
Landsborough ..	2	1	..	2	..	..	5	24,573	24,570	3	99·99	0·01
Killara	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	8,857	8,857	....	100·00	..
Fitzgerald	2	..	..	1	..	..	3	680	680	....	100·00	..
Ularara	2	1	..	3	1	..	7	5,808	5,772	36	99·38	0·62
Delalah	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	360	360	....	100·00	..
Tongowoko	3	..	..	4	..	..	7	2,062	2,062	....	100·00	..
Poole	..	..	..	2	..	..	2	240	240	....	100·00	..
Yantara	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	4,296	4,296	....	100·00	..
Yungnulgra ..	7	3	..	4	..	..	14	9,452	9,292	160	98·31	1·69
Young	31	4	1	14	1	..	51	23,070	21,629	1,441	93 75	6·25
Tandora	3	..	..	6	..	..	9	3,361	3,361	....	100·00	..
Mootwingee ..	3	..	..	4	..	..	7	4,222	4,222	....	100·00	..
Evelyn	1	..	..	4	1	..	6	1,905	1,903	2	99·90	0·10
Farnell	1	..	..	2	..	..	3	6,321	6,321	....	100·00	..
Yancowinna ..	146	40	..	16	..	1	203	11,341	11,060	281	97·52	2·48
Menindie	2	..	..	4	..	..	6	4,286	4,286	....	100·00	..
Windeyer	2	1	..	6	1	..	10	26,456	26,316	140	99·47	0·53
Tara	1	3	1	13	1	..	19	48,073	40,813	7,260	84·90	15·10
Total— West of Darling ..	270	62	5	177	9	4	527	436,837	422,389	14,448	96·69	3·31
Total— Western Plains ..	597	120	10	603	27	29	1,386	2,522,758	2,436,746	86,012	96·59	3·41
Total— New South Wales ..	35,761	14,596	3,923	10,515	391	1,100	66,286	43,985,115	39,826,382	4,158,733	90·55	9·45

* For Occupiers of "Crown Lands only," see Table No. 53, page 459.

No. 46.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Rented, in the Counties of each Division; also Area Enclosed and Unenclosed in each Class, and Portion Cultivated, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).
A.—COASTAL DIVISION.										
1.—North Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Rous	581,086	32,321	355,128	132,867	487,995	20,741	71,283	21,808	93,091	11,580
Richmond	180,281	7,343	148,950	5,366	154,316	4,483	25,465	500	25,965	2,860
Clarence	218,478	32,727	146,419	5,346	151,765	18,786	65,878	835	66,713	13,941
Fitzroy	115,770	4,980	76,689	24,971	101,660	3,893	10,574	3,536	14,110	1,087
Raleigh	77,764	11,464	28,859	27,095	55,954	7,620	12,021	9,789	21,810	3,844
Dudley	138,159	13,081	81,555	5,748	87,303	5,742	48,801	2,055	50,856	7,339
Macquarie	297,333	25,364	168,342	35,779	204,121	13,953	74,554	18,658	93,212	11,411
Total	1,608,871	127,280	1,005,942	237,172	1,243,114	75,218	308,576	57,181	365,757	52,062
2.—Lower Hunter.										
Gloucester	642,089	12,588	211,046	155,637	366,683	8,561	60,912	214,494	275,406	4,027
Durham	838,328	25,493	601,341	15,838	617,179	11,094	217,835	3,314	221,149	14,399
Northumberland	564,158	30,193	273,966	83,518	357,484	17,704	185,803	20,871	206,674	12,489
Total	2,044,575	68,274	1,086,353	254,993	1,341,346	37,359	464,550	238,679	703,229	30,915
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)										
Metropolitan	54,048	4,352	24,474	13,998	38,472	2,068	13,679	1,897	15,576	2,284
Ryde	25,664	7,521	19,812	2,712	22,524	6,730	2,999	141	3,140	791
Parramatta	52,928	10,060	34,982	5,843	40,825	9,045	11,959	144	12,103	1,015
Liverpool	69,965	3,855	31,781	2,425	34,206	2,893	24,261	11,498	35,759	962
Camden (*part of*)	35,601	1,207	13,949	....	13,949	818	21,652	....	21,652	389
Campbelltown	50,957	2,727	21,494	7,296	28,790	1,570	20,612	1,555	22,167	1,157
Wollongong (*part of*)	11,549	235	9,230	291	9,521	182	2,010	18	2,028	53
Windsor (*part of*)	70,491	9,382	38,606	15,738	54,344	6,439	15,624	523	16,147	2,943
Penrith (*part of*)	118,184	8,636	47,953	7,790	55,743	5,112	61,313	1,128	62,441	3,524
Total	489,387	47,975	242,281	56,093	298,374	34,857	174,109	16,904	191,013	13,118
4.—South Coast.										
Camden	655,752	29,449	365,010	25,063	390,073	15,602	258,542	7,137	265,679	13,847
St. Vincent	321,304	11,916	195,315	31,917	227,232	7,809	80,267	13,805	94,072	4,107
Dampier	195,196	4,866	145,731	13,759	159,490	3,353	31,296	4,410	35,706	1,513
Auckland	344,834	7,167	266,438	18,266	284,704	5,577	56,994	3,136	60,130	1,590
Total	1,517,086	53,398	972,494	89,005	1,061,499	32,341	427,099	28,488	455,587	21,057
Total—Coastal Division	5,659,919	296,927	3,307,070	637,263	3,944,333	179,775	1,374,334	341,252	1,715,586	117,152

No. 46.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Rented, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing.)
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
B —TABLE-LAND DIVISION.										
5.—Northern Table-land.										
Buller	55,018	636	48,110	4,186	52,296	598	2,722	....	2,722	38
Clive	145,600	7,041	133,338	9,740	143,078	6,478	2,381	141	2,522	563
Arrawatta	311,967	11,225	255,762	34,104	289,866	10,235	21,531	570	22,101	990
Gough	552,086	24,842	489,038	26,955	515,993	19,911	34,985	1,108	36,093	4,931
Drake	114,425	380	113,958	190	114,148	209	274	3	277	171
Gresham	19,484	148	7,120	12,324	19,444	148	....	40	40	....
Clarke	119,164	1,805	107,746	5,543	113,289	1,456	5,875	....	5,875	349
Hardinge	300,156	6,940	251,017	7,621	258,638	5,232	37,940	3,578	41,518	1,708
Murchison	221,761	12,699	206,834	4,259	211,093	11,358	10,528	140	10,668	1,341
Darling	328,340	24,103	309,507	452	309,959	21,042	18,381	....	18,381	3,061
Inglis	190,790	10,261	163,877	1,018	164,895	8,987	23,975	1,920	25,895	1,274
Sandon	541,553	20,566	503,617	245	503,862	16,538	37,486	205	37,691	4,028
Vernon	321,014	3,654	292,818	12,516	305,334	3,037	15,594	86	15,680	617
Hawes	99,863	173	55,025	44,443	99,468	157	395	....	395	16
Parry	504,982	21,608	488,534	3,917	492,451	18,005	12,411	120	12,531	3,603
Buckland	705,749	20,197	687,661	435	688,096	18,616	17,403	250	17,653	1,581
Total	4,531,952	166,278	4,113,962	167,948	4,281,910	142,007	241,881	8,161	250,042	24,271
6.—Central Table-land.										
Brisbane	847,110	14,338	767,826	5,999	773,825	11,636	71,983	1,302	73,285	2,702
Bligh	503,541	12,793	451,148	3,862	455,010	11,027	46,722	1,809	48,531	1,766
Phillip	310,931	21,341	274,363	4,921	279,284	16,777	28,922	2,725	31,647	4,564
Wellington	356,574	28,980	314,641	2,924	317,565	22,691	38,826	183	39,009	6,289
Roxburgh	286,869	25,391	184,326	1,987	186,313	11,540	99,085	1,471	100,556	13,851
Hunter	136,606	4,538	112,919	3,274	116,193	3,128	17,114	3,299	20,413	1,410
Cook	186,820	13,036	128,746	21,081	149,827	9,542	32,328	4,665	36,993	3,494
Westmoreland ..	223,886	12,789	164,981	3,788	168,769	8,851	53,940	1,177	55,117	3,938
Georgiana	342,245	7,781	267,647	9,174	276,821	5,878	60,436	4,988	65,424	1,903
Bathurst	766,710	111,868	563,295	2,818	566,113	71,432	198,229	2,368	200,597	40,436
Total	3,961,292	252,855	3,229,892	59,828	3,289,720	172,502	647,585	23,987	671,572	80,353
7.—Southern Table-land.										
Monteagle	542,507	68,503	511,836	3,544	515,380	66,415	27,073	54	27,127	2,088
King	608,552	19,135	538,051	855	538,906	16,018	69,360	286	69,646	3,117
Argyle	658,091	19,198	472,183	4,343	476,526	13,342	180,601	964	181,565	5,856
Murray	896,931	14,847	765,377	5,799	771,176	11,490	124,932	823	125,755	3,357
Beresford	355,471	5,107	330,416	7,458	337,874	4,704	16,289	1,308	17,597	403
Cowley	117,602	1,254	105,582	5,439	111,021	1,195	6,581	....	6,581	59
Buccleuch	196,962	7,943	166,633	5,280	171,913	4,037	24,829	220	25,049	3,906
Wynyard	647,525	29,619	546,650	3,168	549,818	24,206	96,916	791	97,707	5,413
Selwyn	257,814	2,664	223,382	1,011	224,393	2,388	22,361	11,060	33,421	276
Wallace	412,006	4,388	386,614	4,083	390,697	3,928	21,229	80	21,309	460
Wellesley	495,739	3,988	469,188	1,078	470,266	3,400	24,917	556	25,473	588
Total	5,189,200	176,646	4,515,912	42,058	4,557,970	151,123	615,088	16,142	631,230	25,523
Total, Table-land Division ..	13,682,444	595,779	11,859,766	269,834	12,129,600	465,632	1,504,554	48,290	1,552,844	130,147

No. 46.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Rented, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).
	acres	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
C.—WESTERN SLOPES AND RIVERINA DIVISION.										
8.—North-western Slope.										
Stapylton	201,989	116	193,043	100	193,143	116	8,846	....	8,846	....
Burnett	435,000	3,969	413,493	16,190	429,683	3,659	5,317	....	5,317	310
Courallie	571,311	437	565,704	372	566,076	404	5,235	....	5,235	33
Benarba	303,138	46	294,623	1,375	295,998	46	7,140	....	7,140	....
Denham	212,279	85	200,864	405	201,269	76	11,010	....	11,010	9
Jamison	365,706	798	352,912	760	353,672	757	11,994	40	12,034	41
Nandewar .. .	286,715	5,991	280,147	3,641	283,788	5,769	2,927	....	2,927	222
Pottinger	914,981	8,286	881,750	21,011	902,761	7,939	11,820	400	12,220	347
White	45,377	361	42,439	201	42,640	342	2,727	10	2,737	19
Baradine	136,090	1,201	126,577	4,559	131,136	1,058	4,874	80	4,954	143
Leichhardt	629,067	1,334	591,499	5,720	597,219	1,172	31,748	100	31,848	162
Total	4,101,653	22,624	3,943,051	54,334	3,997,385	21,338	103,638	630	104,268	1,286
9.—Central-western Slope.										
Napier	159,632	1,398	156,669	800	157,469	1,307	2,092	71	2,163	91
Gowen	216,695	4,868	207,716	2,906	210,622	4,268	5,449	624	6,073	600
Ewenmar	365,115	5,351	357,120	388	357,508	5,200	7,606	1	7,607	151
Oxley	170,891	1,721	165,283	473	165,756	1,714	5,135	....	5,135	7
Narromine	278,509	21,606	263,655	5,989	269,644	20,691	7,575	1,290	8,865	915
Lincoln	235,127	43,778	210,130	3,651	213,781	38,080	21,266	80	21,346	5,698
Gordon	372,097	37,820	351,322	7,652	358,974	34,379	13,123	....	13,123	3,441
Ashburnham	667,266	85,215	617,452	6,098	623,550	76,283	42,876	840	43,716	8,932
Kennedy	154,724	11,826	152,251	3	152,254	11,655	2,470	....	2,470	171
Cunningham	373,168	20,402	346,275	18,810	365,085	19,979	8,083	....	8,083	423
Total	2,993,224	233,985	2,827,873	46,770	2,874,643	213,556	115,675	2,906	118,581	20,429
10.—South-western Slope.										
Gipps	510,483	10,550	484,554	778	485,332	10,244	25,151	....	25,151	306
Forbes	441,920	38,821	419,536	6	419,542	35,336	22,290	88	22,378	3,485
Bland	782,870	64,078	724,394	6,116	730,510	51,525	52,320	40	52,360	9,553
Harden	855,601	67,568	799,108	2,863	801,971	53,841	53,405	225	53,630	13,727
Clarendon	609,468	82,451	561,446	100	561,546	63,944	47,872	50	47,922	18,507
Bourke	685,587	122,565	624,993	13,233	638,226	105,488	47,361	....	47,361	17,077
Mitchell	664,255	51,164	635,362	4,064	639,426	43,956	24,569	260	24,829	7,208
Hume	923,361	134,918	882,295	3,380	885,675	127,245	37,546	140	37,686	7,673
Goulburn	552,957	43,388	492,089	641	492,730	38,444	60,227	....	60,227	4,944
Total	6,026,502	615,503	5,623,777	31,181	5,654,958	533,023	370,741	803	371,544	82,480
Total, Western Slopes	13,121,379	872,112	12,394,701	132,285	12,526,986	767,917	590,054	4,339	594,393	104,195
11.—Riverina.										
Dowling	119,426	2,007	114,411	180	114,591	1,977	4,835	....	4,835	30
Nicholson	409,872	19,024	378,506	20,672	399,178	18,435	1,694	....	1,694	589
Cooper	722,704	29,997	699,953	149	700,102	24,260	22,602	....	22,602	5,737
Sturt	606,101	4,716	599,808	....	599,808	4,416	6,293	....	6,293	300
Waradgery	937,330	4,847	907,221	675	907,896	4,403	29,434	....	29,434	444
Boyd	661,129	8,221	661,129	....	661,129	8,221	....	....	....	....
Urana	1,627,858	52,191	1,593,983	941	1,594,924	50,218	32,934	....	32,934	1,973
Denison	574,970	159,858	521,591	1,035	522,626	127,921	52,344	....	52,344	31,937
Townsend	1,683,702	31,686	1,652,006	506	1,652,512	26,404	31,189	1	31,190	5,282
Wakool	1,171,450	8,991	1,154,793	....	1,154,793	8,935	16,657	....	16,657	56
Cadell	493,073	34,881	480,168	990	481,158	31,796	11,915	....	11,915	3,085
Total	8,998,615	356,419	8,763,569	25,148	8,788,717	306,986	209,897	1	209,898	49,433
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ..	22,119,994	1,228,531	21,158,270	157,433	21,315,703	1,074,903	799,951	4,340	804,291	153,628

No. 46.—Area of Alienated Lands Occupied, Freehold and Private Rented, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area, Freehold and Private Rented.	Total Area under Crop, Freehold and Private Rented.	Freehold.				Private Rented.			
			Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).	Enclosed.	Unenclosed.	Total.	Under Crop (included in foregoing).
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
D.—WESTERN DIVISION.										
12.—Western Plains.										
East of Darling—										
Clyde	134,205	152	121,519	8,342	129,861	122	4,344	....	4,344	30
Gregory	592,664	362	540,587	16,788	557,375	334	35,289	....	35,289	28
Flinders	71,332	3,221	70,315	22	70,337	3,187	995	....	995	34
Canbelego ..	48,274	1,015	43,117	5,106	48,223	1,015	51	....	51	....
Cowper	48,097	54	42,648	429	43,077	33	4,890	130	5,020	21
Yanda	12,729	45	12,649	80	12,729	45	....	....	....	....
Robinson .. .	14,782	32	11,569	1,483	13,052	17	1,330	400	1,730	15
Mouramba ..	11,298	783	10,128	1,048	11,176	783	122	....	122	....
Blaxland	62,885	1,264	45,909	14,298	60,207	1,199	2,678	....	2,678	65
Franklin	221,740	1,589	216,727	....	216,727	1,499	5,013	....	5,013	90
Mossgiel	28,306	83	25,801	62	25,863	76	2,443	....	2,443	7
Booroondarra ..	3,515	81	1,380	2,095	3,475	81	20	20	40	....
Rankin	9,728	....	9,728	....	9,728	....	....	....	....	....
Werunda	3,137	120	3,137	....	3,137	120	....	....	....	....
Woore	6,905	175	6,905	....	6,905	175	....	....	....	....
Manara	33,942	375	33,862	....	33,862	375	80	....	80	....
Waljeers	221,136	186	214,668	8	214,676	186	6,460	....	6,460	....
Kilfera	13,053	139	12,933	....	12,933	139	120	....	120	....
Caira	386,965	1,654	371,193	12,457	383,650	1,554	3,315	....	3,315	100
Taila	22,209	793	21,355	14	21,369	793	840	....	840	....
Wentworth ..	82,139	774	70,703	8,652	79,355	659	2,761	23	2,784	115
Perry	43,072	384	42,832	....	42,832	384	....	240	240	....
Livingstone ..	13,808	190	13,808	....	13,808	190	....	....	....	....
Total, East of Darling	2,085,921	13,471	1,943,473	70,884	2,014,357	12,966	70,751	813	71,564	505
West of Darling—										
Finch	127,165	79	126,269	1	126,270	76	895	....	895	3
Narran	73,368	52	64,560	5,638	70,198	46	3,130	40	3,170	6
Culgoa	11,741	23	11,261	120	11,381	23	360	....	360	....
Gunderbooka ..	25,939	252	25,453	126	25,579	252	360	....	360	....
Irrara	9,948	50	9,567	41	9,608	50	340	....	340	....
Thoulcanna ..	3,313	62	3,113	200	3,313	62	....	....	....	....
Barrona	.....	....	.....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....
Landsborough ..	24,573	3	24,250	320	24,570	....	3	....	3	3
Killara	8,857	....	8,846	11	8,857	....	....	....	....	....
Fitzgerald ..	680	....	120	560	680	....	....	....	....	....
Ularara	5,808	40	5,772	....	5,772	30	36	....	36	10
Delalah	360	....	.....	360	360	....	....	....	....	....
Tongowoko ..	2,062	....	2,020	42	2,062	....	....	....	....	....
Poole	240	....	240	....	240	....	....	....	....	....
Yantara	4,296	....	.....	4,296	4,296	....	....	....	....	....
Yungnulgra ..	9,452	10	8,230	1,062	9,292	10	160	....	160	....
Young	23,070	653	21,629	....	21,629	627	1,441	....	1,441	26
Tandora	3,361	55	3,360	1	3,361	55	....	....	....	....
Mootwingee ..	4,222	127	3,621	601	4,222	127	....	....	....	....
Evelyn	1,905	....	562	1,341	1,903	....	2	....	2	....
Farnell	6,321	....	6,320	1	6,321	....	....	....	....	....
Yancowinna ..	11,341	....	10,183	877	11,060	....	204	77	281	....
Menindie	4,286	1	4,246	40	4,286	1	....	....	....	....
Windeyer	26,456	253	26,316	....	26,316	253	....	140	140	....
Tara	48,073	938	40,813	....	40,813	848	7,230	30	7,260	90
Total, West of Darling	436,837	2,598	406,751	15,638	422,389	2,460	14,161	287	14,448	138
Total, Western Plains	2,522,758	16,069	2,350,224	86,522	2,436,746	15,426	84,912*	1,100	86,012	643
Total, N.S.W. ..	43,985,115	2,137,306	38,675,330	1,151,052	39,826,382	1,735,736	3,763,751	394,982	4,158,733	401,570

NOTE.—Large holdings extending into more than one county are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

No. 47.—Average Area of Alienated Holdings, 1882-99.

Year ended 31st March —	Average area of Holdings.	Year ended 31st March—	Average area of Holdings.	Year ended 31st March—	Average area of Holdings.
	acres.		acres.		acres.
1882	753	1888	778	1894	748
1883	770	1889	795	1895	707
1884	770	1890	787	1896	699
1885	762	1891	780	1897	688
1886	778	1892	784	1898	666
1887	780	1893	750	1899	656

No. 48.—Number and Extent of Alienated Holdings, Area Cultivated, Enclosed, and Unenclosed, 1882-99.

Year ended 31st March—	Number of Holdings.	Total extent of—				
		Holdings.	Land Enclosed.			Land Unenclosed.
			Under cultivation.	Under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Not under cultivation.	
		acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1882	39,354	27,180,744	583,868	61,200	21,357,414	5,178,262
1883	39,760	29,960,749	660,207	73,355	23,551,008	5,676,179
1884	40,793	31,414,815	702,131	86,951	25,678,360	4,947,373
1885	43,079	32,843,317	735,021	116,996	27,550,250	4,441,050
1886	43,727	34,031,104	737,701	130,392	29,252,047	3,910,964
1887	44,932	35,056,740	837,468	140,196	30,651,257	3,427,819
1888	46,142	35,895,645	855,627	192,678	31,891,003	2,956,337
1889	46,197	36,729,679	794,347	200,332	33,096,881	2,638,119
1890	47,620	37,497,889	942,198	217,403	33,969,294	2,368,994
1891	49,960	38,959,225	847,235	388,715	34,974,877	2,748,398
1892	51,550	40,060,286	840,896	333,238	36,173,038	2,713,114
1893	54,428	40,798,666	1,003,025	361,280	37,034,914	2,399,447
1894	55,251	41,317,498	1,199,050	302,412	37,627,326	2,188,710
1895	59,020	41,736,073	1,309,659	344,035	38,279,488	1,802,891
1896	60,529	42,321,926	1,325,940	284,937	38,961,763	1,749,286
1897	63,143	43,467,212	1,623,718	333,229	39,847,036	1,663,229
1898	65,298	43,518,921	1,779,008	325,750	39,711,260	1,702,903
1899	66,286	43,985,115	2,137,306	327,486	39,974,289	1,546,034

NOTE.—The area of Crown lands under cultivation in 1895 was 16,305 acres; in 1896, 22,660 acres; in 1897, 35,999 acres; in 1898, 42,821 acres; and in 1899, 67,194 acres.

No. 49.—Number of Alienated Holdings Over 1 Acre in Extent, arranged in Area Series, for the Years ended 31st March, 1890–99.

Area Series.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1899.
acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1 to 5	4,265	5,454	5,770	6,288	6,847	7,824	8,414	9,078	9,856	10,383
6 „ 15	3,025	3,350	3,431	3,876	4,045	4,477	4,687	5,004	5,323	5,499
16 „ 30	2,431	2,450	2,639	2,732	2,905	3,102	3,218	3,465	3,605	3,670
1 to 30	9,721	11,254	11,840	12,896	13,797	15,403	16,319	17,547	18,784	19,552
31 to 50	5,150	5,136	5,237	5,469	5.594	6,184	6,403	6,729	6,958	6,920
51 „ 100	6,876	6,838	7,119	7,496	7,446	7,977	8,274	8,499	8,714	8,830
101 „ 200	7,591	7,729	7,820	8,093	8,117	8,444	8,631	8,934	9,127	9,126
201 „ 300	3,730	3,881	4,022	4,145	4,152	4,397	4,375	4,540	4,554	4,473
301 „ 400	3,044	3,178	3,370	3,651	3,669	3,902	3,940	4,039	4,125	4,114
31 to 400	26,391	26,762	27,568	28,854	28,978	30,904	31,626	32,741	33,478	33,463
401 to 500	1,670	1,749	1,707	1,780	1,765	1,850	1,794	1,894	1,910	1,986
501 „ 600	1,180	1,216	1,172	1,267	1,224	1,208	1,306	1,296	1,365	1,391
601 „ 700	2,367	2,266	2,595	2,676	2,533	2,624	2,448	2,395	2,350	2,322
701 „ 800	652	686	675	705	706	788	747	798	820	876
801 „ 900	467	486	472	500	532	547	553	565	609	627
901 „ 1,000	513	503	537	525	553	552	575	569	569	625
401 to 1,000	6,849	6,906	7,158	7,453	7,313	7,569	7,423	7,517	7,623	7,827
1,001 to 1,500	1,418	1,591	1,560	1,696	1,646	1,596	1,581	1,668	1,718	1,765
1,501 „ 2,000	773	797	842	851	862	879	855	889	913	885
2,001 „ 3,000	777	840	784	846	846	822	863	884	894	886
3,001 „ 4,000	379	394	395	438	409	449	431	443	438	447
4,001 „ 5,000	205	231	227	224	240	236	249	250	252	246
5,000 „ 7,500	264	288	311	315	317	319	320	334	323	325
7,501 „ 10,000	185	241	188	183	200	187	183	198	201	219
1,001 to 10,000	4,001	4,382	4,307	4,553	4,520	4,488	4,482	4,666	4,739	4,773
10,001 to 15,000	202	220	219	203	197	219	235	209	214	207
15,001 „ 20,000	122	116	122	131	119	120	117	119	131	137
20,001 „ 30,000	125	119	132	125	115	116	128	135	128	121
30,001 „ 40,000	64	67	57	60	68	59	62	64	62	61
40,001 & upwards	145	134	147	153	144	142	137	145	139	145
10,001 & upwards	658	656	677	672	643	656	679	672	674	671
Total N.S.W...	47,620	49,960	51,550	54,428	55,251	59,020	60,529	63,143	65,298	66,286

No. 50.—Number and Area of each class of Alienated Holdings, arranged in Area Series; together with the Proportion of each class to the total Area Alienated, for the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Area Series.	Holdings.							Area Alienated.			Percentage of Land in each Class of Holdings.	
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Partly Freehold and partly Private Rented.	Freehold, with Crown Lands attached.	Private Rented, with Crown Lands attached.	Partly Freehold, partly Private Rented, partly Crown Lands.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.
acres.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	acres.	acres.	acres.	per cent.	per cent.
1 to 5	6,746	3,252	238	125	19	3	10,383	17,585	9,285	26,870	65·45	34·55
6 ,, 15	3,435	1,671	332	44	10	7	5,499	34,988	18,038	53,026	65·98	34·02
16 ,, 30	2,040	1,352	225	34	15	4	3,670	49,484	35,146	84,630	58·47	41·53
1 to 30	12,221	6,275	795	203	44	14	19,552	102,057	62,469	164,526	62·03	37·97
31 to 50	4,134	1,834	234	679	28	11	6,920	204,437	83,986	288,423	70·88	29·12
51 ,, 100	4,799	2,364	507	1,075	54	31	8,830	490,395	211,320	701,715	69·89	30·11
101 ,, 200	4,988	1,902	680	1,407	57	91	9,126	1,033,369	351,239	1,384,608	74·63	25·37
201 ,, 300	2,257	771	389	922	37	97	4,473	882,802	263,845	1,146,647	76·99	23·01
301 ,, 400	2,102	468	295	1,138	44	67	4,114	1,181,846	236,694	1,418,540	83·31	16·69
31 to 400	18,280	7,340	2,105	5,221	220	297	33,463	3,792,849	1,147,084	4,939,933	76·78	23·22
401 to 500	1,011	242	185	479	17	52	1,986	740,946	164,471	905,417	81·83	18·17
501 ,, 600	676	137	138	372	19	49	1,391	642,318	133,643	775,961	82·78	17·22
601 ,, 700	889	173	94	1,104	24	38	2,322	1,335,637	166,292	1,501,929	88·93	11·07
701 ,, 800	396	92	81	253	8	46	876	540,354	116,774	657,128	82·23	17·77
801 ,, 900	270	49	59	216	4	29	627	458,735	78,703	537,438	85·36	14·64
901 ,, 1,000	270	48	57	210	3	37	625	512,308	85,435	597,743	85·71	14·29
401 to 1,000	3,512	741	614	2,634	75	251	7,827	4,230,298	745,318	4,975,616	85·02	14·98
1,001 to 1,500	744	116	153	639	11	102	1,765	1,882,892	289,519	2,172,411	86·67	13·33
1,501 ,, 2,000	303	43	75	378	12	74	885	1,355,168	205,669	1,560,837	86·82	13·18
2,001 ,, 3,000	290	42	80	371	15	88	886	1,894,650	296,400	2,191,050	86·47	13·53
3,001 ,, 4,000	139	17	29	207	3	52	447	1,404,907	163,748	1,568,655	89·56	10·44
4,001 ,, 5,000	70	5	12	127	3	29	246	993,200	109,748	1,102,948	90·05	9·95
5,001 ,, 7,500	75	3	24	170	4	49	325	1,801,845	174,858	1,976,703	91·15	8·85
7,501 ,, 10,000	47	10	10	113	1	38	219	1,692,884	212,788	1,905,672	88·83	11·17
1,001 to 10,000	1,668	236	383	2,005	49	432	4,773	11,025,546	1,452,730	12,478,276	88·36	11·64
10,001 to 15,000	31	2	13	130	1	30	207	2,404,272	160,929	2,565,201	93·73	6·27
15,001 ,, 20,000	12	1	1	100	1	22	137	2,247,804	168,707	2,416,511	93·02	6·98
20,001 ,, 30,000	17	1	5	76	1	21	121	2,827,318	171,378	2,998,696	94·28	5·72
30,001 ,, 40,000	6	..	5	42	..	8	61	2,062,189	125,130	2,187,319	94·28	5·72
40,001 and upwards.	14	..	2	104	..	25	145	11,134,049	124,988	11,259,037	98·89	1·11
10,001 & upwards	80	4	26	452	3	106	671	20,675,632	751,132	21,426,764	96·49	3·51
Total, N.S.W...	35,761	14,596	3,923	10,515	391	1,100	66,286	39,826,382	4,158,733	43,985,115	90·55	9·45

No. 51.—Area of Alienated Lands, Enclosed, Unenclosed, and under

Area Series	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1 to 5	16,350	9,086	25,436	1,235	199	1,434
6 „ 15	32,355	17,609	49,964	2,633	429	3,062
16 „ 30	45,551	34,206	79,757	3,933	940	4,873
Total, 1 to 30	94,256	60,901	155,157	7,801	1,568	9,369
31 to 50	174,763	78,533	253,296	29,674	5,453	35,127
51 „ 100	427,916	198,822	626,738	62,479	12,498	74,977
101 „ 200	934,799	327,707	1,262,506	98,570	23,532	122,102
201 „ 300	818,147	249,314	1,067,461	64,655	14,531	79,186
301 „ 400	1,116,508	227,737	1,344,245	65,338	8,957	74,295
Total, 31 to 400 ...	3,472,133	1,082,113	4,554,246	320,716	64,971	385,687
401 to 500	693,595	158,709	852,304	47,351	5,762	53,113
501 „ 600	607,827	127,604	735,431	34,491	6,039	40,530
601 „ 700	1,267,184	156,893	1,424 077	68,453	9,399	77,852
701 „ 800	511,350	110,238	621,588	29,004	6,536	35,540
801 „ 900	436,179	76,283	512,462	22,556	2,420	24,976
901 „ 1,000	488,672	81,077	569,749	23,636	4,358	27,994
Total, 401 to 1,000 ...	4,004,807	710,804	4,715,611	225,491	34,514	260,005
1,001 to 1,500	1,808,759	262,831	2,071,590	74,133	26,688	100,821
1,501 „ 2,000	1,320,524	197,105	1,517,629	34,644	8,564	43,208
2,001 „ 3,000	1,847,139	274,182	2,121,321	47,511	22,218	69,729
3,001 „ 4,000	1,384,221	158,148	1,542,369	20,686	5,600	26,286
4,001 „ 5,000	965,371	104,418	1,069,789	27,829	5,330	33,159
5,001 „ 7,500	1,768,466	164,480	1,932,946	33,379	10,378	43,757
7,501 „ 10,000	1,668,362	184,928	1,853,290	24,522	27,860	52,382
Total, 1,001 to 10,000...	10,762,842	1,346,092	12,108,934	262,704	106,638	369,342
10,001 to 15,000	2,351,915	114,859	2,466,774	52,357	46,070	98,427
15,001 „ 20,000	2,223,573	109,727	2,333,300	24,231	58,980	83,211
20,001 „ 30,000	2,814,021	126,037	2,940,058	13,297	45,341	58,638
30,001 „ 40,000	2,014,446	88,230	2,102,676	47,743	36,900	84,643
40,001 and upwards ...	10,937,337	124,988	11,062,325	196,712	.....	196,712
Total, 10,001 and upwards	20,341,292	563,841	20,905,133	334,340	187,291	521,631
Total, New South Wales	38,675,330	3,763,751	42,439,081	1,151,052	394,982	1,546,034

Crop in Holdings of various areas, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Extent of Holdings.			Area under Crop.			Area Series.
Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	Freehold.	Private Rented.	Total.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
17,585	9,285	26,870	3,901	2,779	6,680	1 to 5.
34,988	18,038	53,026	11,195	6,794	17,989	6 „ 15.
49,484	35,146	84,630	15,180	16,207	31,387	16 „ 30.
102,057	62,469	164,526	30,276	25,780	56,056	Total, 1 to 30.
204,437	83,986	288,423	37,662	30,637	68,299	31 to 50.
490,395	211,320	701,715	77,592	55,139	132,731	51 „ 100.
1,033,369	351,239	1,384,608	142,461	64,108	206,569	101 „ 200.
882,802	263,845	1,146,647	109,241	43,232	152,473	201 „ 300.
1,181,846	236,694	1,418,540	139,119	39,333	178,452	301 „ 400.
3,792,849	1,147,084	4,939,933	506,075	232,449	738,524	Total, 31 to 400.
740,946	164,471	905,417	77,426	22,807	100,233	401 to 500.
642,318	133,643	775,961	67,419	18,694	86,113	501 „ 600.
1,335,637	166,292	1,501,929	110,472	15,602	126,074	601 „ 700.
540,354	116,774	657,128	42,189	13,607	55,796	701 „ 800.
458,735	78,703	537,438	37,360	7,813	45,173	801 „ 900.
512,308	85,435	597,743	39,105	8,895	48,000	901 „ 1,000.
4,230,298	745,318	4,975,616	373,971	87,418	461,389	Total, 401 to 1,000.
1,882,892	289,519	2,172,411	130,438	18,889	149,327	1,001 to 1,500.
1,355,168	205,669	1,560,837	89,400	9,465	98,865	1,501 „ 2,000.
1,894,650	296,400	2,191,050	99,415	12,745	112,160	2,001 „ 3,000.
1,404,907	163,748	1,568,655	64,082	6,490	70,572	3,001 „ 4,000.
993,200	109,748	1,102,948	35,079	673	35,752	4,001 „ 5,000.
1,801,845	174,858	1,976,703	56,638	2,363	59,001	5,001 „ 7,500.
1,692,884	212,788	1,905,672	57,983	850	58,833	7,501 „ 10,000.
11,025,546	1,452,730	12,478,276	533,035	51,475	584,510	Total, 1,001 to 10,000.
2,404,272	160,929	2,565,201	56,061	2,925	58,986	10,001 to 15,000.
2,247,804	168,707	2,416,511	40,868	323	41,191	15,001 „ 20,000.
2,827,318	171,378	2,998,696	99,058	290	99,348	20,001 „ 30,000.
2,062,189	125,130	2,187,319	41,055	110	41,165	30,001 „ 40,000.
11,134,049	124,988	11,259,037	55,337	800	56,137	40,001 and upwards.
20,675,632	751,132	21,426,764	292,379	4,448	296,827	Total, 10,001 and upwards.
39,826,382	4,158,733	43,985,115	1,735,736	401,570	2,137,306	Total, New South Wales.

No. 52.—Number and Extent of Alienated Holdings, Area Cultivated, Year ended 31st

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Acres.				
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
A—COASTAL DIVISION.											
1.—North Coast.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.
Rous	581,086	339	4,051	0·70	1,632	40·28	1,859	244,883	42·14	25,678	10·49
Richmond	180,281	74	720	0·40	201	27·91	372	45,574	25·28	5,921	12·99
Clarence	218,478	409	3,489	1·60	2,025	58·03	1,135	132,037	60·43	27,549	20·86
Fitzroy	115,770	12	161	0·14	59	36·64	336	49,981	43·17	3,652	7·31
Raleigh	77,764	44	493	0·63	139	28·19	572	69,482	89·35	10,988	15·81
Dudley	138,159	196	2,267	1·64	1,066	47·02	453	53,636	38·82	10,072	18·77
Macquarie	297,333	319	4,284	1·44	2,006	46·82	1,167	130,032	43·73	19,987	15·37
Total	1,608,871	1,393	15,465	0·96	7,128	46·09	5,894	725,605	45·10	103,847	14·31
2.—Lower Hunter.											
Gloucester	642,089	161	1,913	0·30	580	30·31	999	130,110	20 26	10,162	7·81
Durham	838,328	436	6,132	0·73	3,552	57·92	990	138,342	16·50	15,700	11·35
Northumberland	564,158	1,397	13,671	2·42	5,246	38·37	1,574	175,579	31·12	20,570	11·71
Total	2,044,575	1,994	21,716	1·06	9,378	43·18	3,563	444,031	21·72	46,432	10·46
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)											
Metropolitan	54,048	3,002	17,796	32·93	3,391	19·05	309	23,470	43·43	911	3·88
Ryde	25,664	901	8,423	32·82	3,967	47·09	214	15,281	59·54	3,380	22·12
Parramatta	52,928	1,048	9,857	18 62	4,135	41·94	295	26,800	50·64	4,887	18·23
Liverpool	69,965	923	7,410	10·59	2,032	27·42	180	17,184	24·56	1,286	7·48
Camden (*part of*)	35,601	48	621	1·74	121	19·48	59	8,682	24·39	610	7·03
Campbelltown	50,957	154	1,609	3·16	350	21·75	190	25,267	49·59	1,814	7·18
Wollongong (*part of*)	11,549	35	280	2·42	50	17·86	47	5,166	44·73	185	3·58
Windsor (*part of*)	70,491	332	3,478	4 93	1,336	38·41	421	33,750	47·88	6,279	18·60
Penrith (*part of*)	118,184	629	6,397	5·41	2,032	31·76	376	41,047	34·73	5,530	13·47
Total	489,387	7,072	55,871	11·42	17,414	31·17	2,091	196,647	40·18	24,882	12·65
4.—South Coast											
Camden	655,752	1,267	9,711	1·48	1,211	12·47	2,343	341,335	52·06	22,072	6·47
St. Vincent	321,304	375	2,947	0·92	628	21·31	815	118,993	37·03	8,044	6 76
Dampier	195,196	76	662	0·34	60	9 06	383	61,655	31·59	2,423	3·92
Auckland	344,834	170	1,453	0·42	288	19·82	457	77,368	22·44	3,622	4·68
Total	1,517,086	1,888	14,773	0·97	2,187	14·80	3,998	599,351	39·51	36,161	6 03
Total, Coastal Division	5,659,919	12,347	107,825	1·90	36,107	33·48	15,546	1,965,634	34·73		10·75

&c., in the Counties of each Division, arranged in Area Groups, March, 1899.

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.					Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
	Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
178	106,717	18·36	3,328	3·12	36	82,406	14·18	1,554	1·88	5	143,049	24·62	129	28,610
46	30,219	16·76	931	3·08	15	40,335	22·37	245	0·61	2	63,433	35·19	45	31,717
93	55,012	25·18	2,843	5·17	19	27,940	12·79	310	1·11	..	.....	..	....	....
46	26,855	23·20	869	3·23	12	26,673	23·04	398	1·49	1	12,100	10·45	2	12,100
13	7,789	10·02	337	4·30	..	.....	..	....	..	..	.....	..	....	....
55	33,726	24·41	1,415	4·19	21	48,530	35·13	528	1·09	..	.....	..	....	....
92	58,183	19·57	1,950	3·35	48	104,834	35·26	1,421	1·35	..	.....	..	....	....
523	318,501	19·80	11,673	3·66	151	330,718	20·55	4,456	1·35	8	218,582	13·59	176	27,323
89	55,404	8·63	1,143	2·06	42	108,568	16·91	589	0·54	12	346,094	53·90	114	28,841
200	124,636	14·87	3,220	2·58	137	377,357	45·02	2,664	0·71	9	191,861	22·88	357	21,318
136	82,915	14·70	2,283	2·75	89	229,993	40·77	1,939	0·84	3	62,000	10·99	155	20,667
425	262,955	12·86	6,646	2·53	268	715,918	35·02	5,192	0·72	24	599,955	29·34	626	24,998
13	9,066	16·77	5	0·00	3	3,716	6·87	45	1·21	..	.....	..	....	....
3	1,960	7·64	174	8·87	..	.....	..	....	..	..	.....	..	....	....
9	5,786	10·93	389	6·72	5	10,485	19·81	649	6·19	..	.....	..	....	....
29	18,292	26·14	443	2·42	8	16,062	22·96	94	0·59	1	11,017	15·75	....	11,017
9	6,843	19·22	292	4·27	9	19,455	54·65	184	0·94	..	.....	..	....	....
23	14,101	27·67	420	2·98	5	9,980	19·58	143	1·43	..	.....	..	....	....
2	1,503	13·02	....	..	2	4,600	39·83	....	..	..	.....	..	....	....
12	7,238	10·27	487	6·72	8	14,970	21·24	1,280	8·55	1	11,055	15·68	....	11,055
32	21,939	18·57	482	2·20	25	48,801	41·29	592	1·21	..	.....	..	....	....
132	86,728	17·72	2,692	3·10	65	128,069	26·17	2,987	2·76	2	22,072	4·51	....	11,036
229	134,902	20·57	4,321	3·20	69	149,530	22·80	1,595	1·07	1	20,274	3·09	250	20,274
119	71,268	22·18	2,240	3·14	47	104,896	32·65	974	0·93	2	23,200	7·22	30	11,600
91	57,816	29·62	1,203	2·08	26	57,708	29·56	981	1·70	1	17,355	8·89	199	17,355
176	107,967	31·31	1,472	1·36	74	139,046	40·32	1,634	1·17	1	19,000	5·51	151	19,000
615	371,953	24·52	9,236	2·48	216	451,180	29·74	5,184	1·15	5	79,329	5·26	630	15,966
1,695	1,040,137	18·38	30,247	2·90	700	1,625,885	28·73	17,819	1·09	39	920,438	16·26	1,432	23,601

No. 52.—Number and Extent of Alienated

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Acres.				
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
B.—TABLE-LAND DIVISION.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.
5.—Northern Table-land.											
Buller	55,018	5	8	0·01	....	..	111	18,588	33·79	513	27·56
Clive	145,600	148	851	0·59	244	28·67	325	45,837	31·48	5,051	11·02
Arrawatta	311,967	11	78	0·03	44	57·69	163	28,103	9·01	3,895	13·86
Gough	552,086	100	1,141	0·20	506	44·35	533	75,008	13·59	14,520	19·36
Drake	114,425	12	79	0·07	41	51·90	20	2,973	2·60	222	7·47
Gresham	19,484	2	7	0·03	2	28·57	10	1,372	7·04	71	5·17
Clarke	119,164	6	87	0·07	69	79·31	120	21,949	18·42	1,211	5·52
Hardinge	300,156	12	106	0·03	54	50·94	211	41,002	13·66	3,138	7·65
Murchison	221,761	37	262	0·12	96	36·64	196	33,489	15·10	6,448	19·25
Darling	328,340	41	263	0·08	182	69·20	223	46,189	14·07	8,909	19·29
Inglis	190,790	54	616	0·32	263	42·69	235	36,839	19·31	5,506	14·95
Sandon	541,553	350	2,063	0·38	577	27·96	370	58,424	10·79	11,946	20·45
Vernon	321,014	69	585	0·18	182	31·11	133	23,898	7·45	1,254	5·25
Hawes	99,863	....	....	..	....	..	56	12,895	12·91	81	0·63
Parry	504,982	110	1,174	0·23	939	76·89	281	50,910	10·08	11,989	23·55
Buckland	705,749	123	947	0·13	405	42·76	226	34,074	4·83	7,546	22·14
Total	4,531,952	1,080	8,267	0·18	3,604	43·59	3,213	531,550	11·73	82,300	15·48
6.—Central Table-land.											
Brisbane	847,110	226	1,507	0·18	541	35·90	450	74,753	8·82	5,571	7·45
Bligh	503,541	46	426	0·08	99	23·24	317	54,771	10·88	6,579	12·01
Phillip	310,931	94	915	0·29	463	50·60	574	80,620	25·93	13,742	17·04
Wellington	356,574	462	2,684	0·75	945	35·21	596	90,630	25·42	16,414	18·11
Roxburgh	286,869	247	1,767	0·62	699	39·56	443	58,504	20·39	10,713	18·31
Hunter	136,606	23	314	0·23	109	34·71	188	23,937	17·52	3,468	14·49
Cook	186,820	626	5,680	3·04	1,610	28·34	739	75,571	40·45	9,650	12·77
Westmoreland	223,886	59	723	0·32	238	32·92	445	72,270	32·28	6,969	9·64
Georgiana	342,245	57	583	0·17	236	40·48	400	64,544	18·86	3,439	5·33
Bathurst	766,710	403	3,858	0·50	1,651	42·79	1,069	182,364	23·79	57,477	31·52
Total	3,961,292	2,243	18,457	0·47	6,591	35·71	5,221	777,964	19·64	134,022	17·22
7.—Southern Table-land.											
Monteagle	542,507	251	2,275	0·42	815	35·82	389	60,271	11·11	11,360	18·84
King	608,552	157	1,145	0·19	334	29·17	618	100,749	16·55	9,171	9·11
Argyle	658,091	233	1,968	0·30	512	26·02	740	120,440	18·30	9,686	8·04
Murray	896,931	194	1,492	0·17	476	31·90	471	74,831	8·34	5,594	7·47
Beresford	355,471	89	576	0·16	162	28·12	220	30,210	8·50	1,701	5·63
Cowley	117,602	....	....	..	....	..	64	11,695	9·95	277	2·37
Buccleuch	196,962	48	714	0·36	573	80·25	206	28,271	14·36	5,311	18·79
Wynyard	647,525	336	2,243	0·35	622	28·73	377	58 683	9·06	9,008	17·05
Selwyn	257,814	51	295	0·11	32	10·85	105	20,267	7·86	1,287	6·35
Wallace	412,006	28	162	0·04	60	37·05	224	37,827	9·18	1,412	3·73
Wellesley	495,739	83	668	0·13	148	22·15	247	35,658	7·19	1,520	4·52
Total	5,189,200	1,470	11,538	0·22	3,734	32·36	3,661	578,902	11·16	56,327	9·73
Total, Table-land Division	13,682,444	4,793	38,262	0·28	13,929	36·40	12,095	1,888,416	13·80	272,649	14·44

Holdings, in Area Groups, &c.—*continued.*

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.					Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
	Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
20	13,686	24·88	88	0·64	7	22,736	41·32	35	0·15	..	.....	..	....	....
38	22,094	15·18	1,079	4·88	12	21,332	14·64	536	2·51	3	55,486	38·11	131	18,495
49	31,858	10·21	2,509	7·87	28	71,950	23·06	3,831	5·32	7	179,978	57·69	946	25,711
123	81,056	14·68	5,266	6·50	56	139,882	25·34	3,450	2·47	14	254,999	46·19	1,100	18,214
6	3,395	2·97	37	1·09	1	4,740	4·14	55	1·16	3	103,238	90·22	25	34,412
3	1,837	9·43	21	1·14	3	3,968	20·37	49	1·23	1	12,300	63·13	5	12,300
30	18,530	15·55	423	2·28	23	50,740	42·58	102	2·01	2	27,858	23·38	....	13,929
90	58,018	19·33	2,615	4·51	33	89,514	29·82	865	0·97	7	111,516	37·16	268	15,931
37	23,127	10·43	2,220	9·60	25	86,876	39·17	2,727	3·14	2	78,007	35·18	1,208	39,004
68	43,247	13·17	6,009	13·89	51	147,100	44·80	7,720	5·25	6	91,541	27·88	1,283	15,257
50	30,200	15·83	2,923	9·67	31	79,153	41·49	1,410	1·78	3	43,982	23·05	159	14,661
105	67,154	12·40	4,800	7·15	70	194,470	35·91	2,734	1·40	12	219,442	40·52	509	18,287
44	28,708	8·94	1,031	3·59	25	71,815	22·37	796	1·10	10	196,008	61·06	391	19,601
12	9,029	9·04	17	0·19	5	17,239	17·26	32	0·19	3	60,700	60·79	43	20,233
56	35,083	6·95	5,650	16·1	24	42,535	8·42	2,404	5·65	2	375,280	74·32	626	187,640
70	46,973	6·66	5,266	11·21	48	143,230	20·29	6,614	4·62	9	480,525	68·09	366	53,392
801	513,995	11·34	39,954	7·77	442	1,187,280	26·20	33,360	2·81	84	2,290,860	50·55	7,060	27,272
129	83,997	9·92	2,362	2·81	89	236,785	27·95	4,285	1·81	15	450,068	53·13	1,579	30,004
93	58,004	11·52	3,272	5·64	48	135,692	26·95	2,239	1·65	7	254,648	50·57	604	36,378
65	41,342	13·30	2,886	6·98	37	99,453	31·99	2,223	2·23	4	88,601	28·49	2,027	22,150
93	59,771	16·76	6,541	10·94	44	119,285	33·45	4,370	3·67	5	84,204	23·62	710	16,841
70	43,901	15·30	7,402	16·86	53	140,212	48·88	6,557	4·68	3	42,485	14·81	20	14,162
29	16,348	11·97	593	3·63	11	36,107	26·43	222	0·61	2	59,900	43·85	146	29,950
57	35,112	18·80	1,295	3·69	23	56,457	30·22	470	0·85	1	14,000	7·49	11	14,000
99	61,592	27·51	4,066	6·50	35	89,301	39·89	1,576	1·76	..	.....	..	....	....
124	72,230	21·10	2,326	3·22	72	175,941	51·41	1,768	1·00	2	28,947	8·46	12	14,473
222	137,665	17·96	25,025	18·18	103	249,881	32·59	22,029	8·81	9	192,942	25·16	5,686	21,438
981	609,962	15·40	55,708	9·13	515	1,339,114	33·80	45,739	3·42	48	1,215,795	30·69	10,795	25,329
88	55,731	10·27	8,755	15·70	83	264,024	48·67	21,298	8·07	11	160,206	29·53	26,275	14,564
161	101,796	16·73	5,040	4·95	130	347,111	57·04	4,229	1·22	4	57,751	9·49	361	14,438
204	128,116	19·47	5,134	4·01	103	258,109	39·22	3,498	1·35	9	149,458	22·71	368	16,606
141	92,076	10·27	3,476	3·77	106	270,875	30·20	3,560	1·31	18	457,657	51·02	1,741	25,425
54	34,092	9·59	760	2·23	58	133,940	37·68	1,322	0·99	9	156,653	44·07	1,162	17,406
24	15,199	12·92	293	1·93	25	76,009	64·63	618	0·81	1	14,699	12·50	66	14,699
30	19,270	9·78	552	2·86	42	112,892	57·32	1,447	1·28	3	35,815	18·18	60	11,938
110	72,164	11·14	5,848	8·10	83	201,289	31·09	6,215	3·09	15	313,146	48·36	7,926	20,876
33	19,001	7·37	690	3·63	27	92,901	36·04	558	0·60	7	125,350	48·62	97	17,907
93	63,488	15·41	1,317	2·07	69	210,647	51·13	1,199	0·57	6	99,882	24·24	400	16,647
77	48,131	9·71	971	2·02	76	212,854	42·94	1,069	0·50	9	198,428	40·03	280	22,048
1,015	649,064	12·51	32,836	5·06	802	2,180,651	42·02	45,013	2·06	92	1,769,045	34·09	38,736	19,229
2,797	1,773,021	12·96	128,498	7·25	1,759	4,707,045	34·40	124,112	2·64	224	5,275,700	38·56	56,591	23,552

No. 52.—Number and Extent of Alienated

Counties.	Total Area Alienated.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Acres.				
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
C.—WESTERN SLOPES AND RIVERINA DIVISION.											
8.—North-western Slope.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.
Stapylton	201,989	11	23	0·01	....	..	18	4,167	2·06	5	0·12
Burnett	435,000	32	249	0·06	35	14·06	85	15,349	3·53	1,565	10·20
Courallie	571,311	32	252	0·04	21	8·33	43	5,396	0·95	54	1·00
Benarba	303,138	2	5	0·00	....	..	30	6,012	1·98	....	..
Denham	212,279	..	.....	..	....	..	11	1,981	0·93	28	1·41
Jamison	365,706	2	15	0·00	9	60·00	22	3,888	1·07	58	1·49
Nandewar	286,715	25	306	0·11	148	48·37	140	24,158	8·43	2,634	10·90
Pottinger	914,981	65	455	0·05	159	34·95	174	28,805	3·15	1,909	6·63
White	45,377	31	196	0·43	48	24·49	28	3,461	7·63	188	5·43
Baradine	136,090	21	152	0·11	52	34·21	74	13,240	9·73	1,007	7·60
Leichhardt	629,067	18	246	0·04	38	15·45	70	12,141	1·93	540	4·45
Total	4,101,653	239	1,899	0·05	510	26·86	695	118,598	2·89	7,988	6·74
9.—Central-western Slope.											
Napier	159,632	9	65	0·04	29	44·62	38	5,182	3·25	560	10·81
Gowen	216,695	40	499	0·23	148	29·66	148	22,439	10·35	2,937	13·09
Ewenmar	365,115	3	51	0·01	....	..	72	11,946	3·27	1,240	10·38
Oxley	170,891	49	468	0·28	94	20·09	39	5,593	3·27	225	4·02
Narromine	278,509	60	552	0·20	297	53·80	108	20,044	7·19	4,984	24·86
Lincoln	235,127	71	556	0·24	328	58·99	311	52,224	22·21	16,838	32·22
Gordon	372,097	19	235	0·06	135	57·45	301	58,916	15·83	15,440	26·20
Ashburnham	667,266	425	2,920	0·44	1,209	41·40	713	125,990	18·88	35,048	27·82
Kennedy	154,724	6	27	0·02	7	25·93	24	6,395	4·13	1,679	26·25
Cunningham	373,168	27	243	0·06	32	13·17	76	15,210	4·08	2,342	15·40
Total	2,993,224	709	5,616	0·19	2,279	40·58	1,830	323,939	10·82	81,293	25·09
10.—South-western Slope.											
Gipps	510,483	3	43	0·01	14	32·56	47	9,636	1·89	1,092	11·33
Forbes	441,920	72	1,001	0·22	442	44·16	263	48,836	11·05	12,159	24·90
Bland	782,870	100	660	0·08	151	22·89	329	76,094	9·72	17,899	23·52
Harden	855,601	203	2,259	0·26	713	31·56	418	76,625	8·96	18,185	23·73
Clarendon	609,468	162	1,090	0·18	369	33·85	239	46,044	7·56	16,518	35·87
Bourke	685,587	18	93	0·01	16	17·20	328	80,731	11·78	26,044	32·26
Mitchell	664,255	19	164	0·02	54	32·93	171	32,127	4·84	8,667	26·98
Hume	923,361	99	968	0·10	386	39·88	186	33,525	3·63	11,292	33·68
Goulburn	552,957	118	1,173	0·21	440	37·51	247	38,129	6·90	8,529	22·37
Total	6,026,502	794	7,451	0·12	2,585	34·69	2,228	441,747	7·33	120,385	27·25
Total, Western Slopes	13,121,379	1,742	14,966	0·11	5,374	35·91	4,753	884,284	6·74	209,666	23·71
11.—Riverina.											
Dowling	119,426	1	2	0·00	....	..	15	2,734	2·29	229	8·38
Nicholson	400,872	7	79	0·02	21	26·58	63	9,822	2·45	2,506	25·51
Cooper	722,704	48	257	0·03	39	15·18	57	12,955	1·79	4,873	37·61
Sturt	606,101	..	.....	..	....	..	6	1,405	0·23	324	23·06
Waradgery	937,330	12	98	0·01	34	34·70	33	6,720	0·72	596	8·87
Boyd	661,129	..	.....	..	....	..	12	2,489	0·38	153	6·14
Urana	1,627,858	58	309	0·02	41	13·27	135	27,249	1·67	4,985	18·33
Denison	574,970	23	96	0·01	24	25·00	135	35,504	6·17	20,019	5·64
Townsend	1,683,702	89	699	0·04	97	13·88	94	18,200	1·08	3,286	18·05
Wakool	1,171,450	6	24	0·00	6	25·00	31	6,344	0·54	714	11·25
Cadell	493,073	20	150	0·03	31	20·67	87	18,156	3·68	4,748	26·15
Total	8,998,615	264	1,714	0 00	293	17·09	668	141.578	1·58	42,433	29·97
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	22,119,994	2,006	16,680	0·07	5,667	33·97	5,421	1,025,862	4·64	252,099	24·57

Holdings, in Area Groups, &c.—*continued.*

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.					Holdings from 1,001 to 1 ,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
	Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
26	16,069	7·96	4	0·02	33	86,691	42·92	32	0·04	4	95,039	47·05	75	23,760
37	24,971	5·74	870	3·48	37	123,027	28·28	1,393	1·13	7	271,404	62·39	106	38,772
25	16,250	2·85	18	0·11	42	110,170	19·28	243	0·22	10	439,243	76·88	101	43,924
88	56,697	18·70	3	0·01	29	68,734	22·68	10	0·01	6	171,690	56·64	33	28,615
35	22,331	10·52	13	0·06	17	48,889	23·03	39	0·08	5	139,078	65·52	5	27,815
40	27,348	7·48	325	1·19	46	115,120	31·48	314	0·27	8	219,335	59·97	92	27,417
21	13,537	4·72	785	5·80	24	45,570	15·89	1,542	3·38	6	203,144	70·85	882	33,857
107	66,413	7·26	2,067	3·11	58	158,560	17·33	3,331	2·10	22	660,748	72·21	820	30,034
7	4,622	10·19	....	..	8	26,098	57·51	108	0·41	1	11,000	24·24	17	11,000
32	21,115	15·51	46	0·22	21	52,323	38·45	84	0·16	2	49,260	36·20	12	24,630
74	47,234	7·51	291	0·62	65	196,207	31·19	331	0·17	9	373,239	59·33	134	41,471
492	316,587	7·72	4,422	1·40	380	1,031,389	25·14	7,427	0·72	80	2,633,180	64·20	2,277	32,915
7	5,225	3·27	494	9·45	10	39,500	24·74	205	0·52	4	109,660	68·70	110	27,415
51	33,495	15·46	976	2·91	31	82,662	38·15	657	0·79	3	77,600	35·81	150	25,866
51	32,841	8·99	1,439	4·38	60	154,278	42·26	1,833	1·19	7	165,999	45·47	839	23,714
28	17,366	10·16	408	2·35	25	93,029	54·44	819	0·88	3	54,435	31·85	175	18,145
78	50,489	18·14	4,492	8·90	58	150,408	54·00	8,547	6·35	3	57,016	20·47	3,286	19,005
112	67,916	28·88	14,253	20·99	39	91,217	38·80	11,459	12·56	2	23,214	9·87	900	11,607
98	62,316	16·75	13,405	21·51	34	71,223	19·14	5,667	7·96	9	179,407	48·22	3,173	19,934
268	167,781	25·14	28,549	17·02	90	230,187	34·50	17,417	7·57	10	140,388	21·04	2,992	14,039
62	40,873	26·42	4,753	11·63	34	82,557	53·36	5,353	6·48	2	24,872	16·07	34	12,436
131	91,095	24·41	8,199	9·00	66	120,108	32·19	8,799	7·33	3	146,512	39·26	1,030	48,837
886	569,397	19·02	76,968	13·52	447	1,115,169	37·26	60,756	5·45	46	979,103	32·71	12,689	21,285
73	46,948	9·20	3,280	6·99	50	171,292	33·55	3,807	2·22	11	282,564	55·35	2,357	25,688
79	52,484	11·88	7,230	13·78	67	194,881	44·10	15,968	8·19	8	144,718	32·75	3,022	18,090
152	99,022	12·65	19,994	20·19	98	226,293	28·91	22,055	9·75	14	380,801	48·64	3,979	27,200
161	106,039	12·39	19,745	18·62	117	349,737	40·88	23,283	6·66	10	320,941	37·51	5,642	32,094
89	58,645	9·62	19,264	32·85	62	184,668	30·30	32,903	17·82	15	319,021	52·34	13,397	21,268
209	130,738	19·07	32,793	25·08	102	248,235	36·21	42,605	17·16	7	225,790	32·93	21,107	32,255
91	56,455	8·50	13,638	24·16	59	179,474	27·02	15,305	8·53	17	396,035	59·62	13,500	23,296
103	67,561	7·32	18,602	27·53	96	217,716	23·58	42,229	19·40	19	603,591	65·37	62,409	31,767
57	37,927	6·86	4,744	12·51	67	213,854	38·67	14,124	6·60	8	261,874	47·36	5,551	32,734
1,014	655,819	10·88	139,290	21·24	718	1,986,150	32·96	212,279	10·69	109	2,935,335	48·71	140,964	26,930
2,392	1,541,803	11·75	220,680	14·31	1,545	4,132,708	31·50	280,462	6·79	235	6,547,618	49·90	155,930	27,862
36	23,161	19·39	806	3·48	15	36,418	30·50	701	1·92	3	57,111	47·82	271	19,037
87	59,181	14·76	8,537	14·43	32	74,310	18·54	7,221	9·72	4	257,480	64·23	739	64,370
69	50,926	7·05	8,058	15·82	63	138,226	19·13	15,346	11·10	12	520,340	72·00	1,681	43,362
12	8,138	1·34	885	10·87	17	35,375	5·84	1,530	4·32	7	561,183	92·59	1,977	80,169
49	31,750	3·39	1,551	4·88	62	147,013	15·68	1,954	1·33	12	751,749	80·20	712	62,646
10	6,645	1·00	761	11·45	24	80,710	12·21	3,972	4·92	5	571,285	86·41	3,335	114,257
124	78,841	4·84	11,933	15·14	90	229,918	14·13	18,874	8·21	24	1,291,541	79·34	16,358	53,814
110	71,224	12·39	28,677	40·26	80	191,555	33·32	73,302	38·27	11	276,591	48·11	37,836	25,145
51	33,169	1·97	4,886	14·73	40	128,835	7·65	14,676	11·39	26	1,502,799	89·26	8,741	57,800
59	37,876	3·23	1,855	4·90	51	116,316	9·93	2,784	2·39	19	1,010,890	86·30	3,632	53,205
50	30,611	6·20	8,173	26·70	48	103,415	20·98	16,413	15·87	4	340,741	69·11	5,516	85,185
657	431,522	4·80	76,122	17·64	522	1,282,091	14·25	156,773	12·23	127	7,141,710	79·37	80,798	56,234
3,049	1,973,325	8·92	296,802	15·04	2,067	5,414,799	24·48	437,235	8·07	362	13,689,328	61·89	236,728	37,816

No. 52.—Number and Extent of Alienated

Counties.	Total Alienated Area.	Holdings from 1 to 30 Acres.					Holdings from 31 to 400 Acres.				
		Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area.		Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.
			Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.				Aggregate.	Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.		
D.—WESTERN DIVISION. 12.—Western Plains.	acres.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.
East of Darling—											
Clyde	134,205	12	111	0·08	30	27·02	14	3,410	2·54	....	..
Gregory	592,664	1	28	0·01	17	60·70	27	5,828	0·98	113	1·94
Flinders	71,332	6	48	0·07	8	16·66	9	2,286	3·20	239	10·45
Canbelego	48,274	4	23	0·05	....	..	21	4,370	9·05	78	1·78
Cowper	48,097	12	67	0·14	4	5·97	28	4,111	8·55	17	0·41
Yanda	12,729	..	.....	..	....	..	6	1,135	8·92	20	1·76
Robinson	14,782	26	162	1·10	11	6·79	20	3,270	22·12	21	0·64
Mouramba	11,298	3	19	0·17	2	10·53	37	3,721	32·93	642	17·25
Blaxland	62,885	5	64	0·10	26	40·62	29	3,356	5·34	121	3·61
Franklin	221,740	1	10	0·01	10	100·00	11	2,070	0·93	92	4·44
Mossgiel	28,306	3	12	0·04	....	..	9	1,340	4·73	33	2·46
Booroondarra	3,515	..	.....	..	....	..	5	540	15·36	65	12·04
Rankin	9,728	..	.....	..	....	..	3	293	3·01	....	..
Werunda	3,137	..	.....	..	....	..	3	570	18·17	....	..
Woore	6,905	..	.....	..	....	..	5	560	8·11	60	10·71
Manara	33,942	..	.....	..	....	..	1	80	0·24	....	..
Waljeers	221,136	5	17	0·01	....	..	1	40	0·02	....	..
Kilfera	13,053	..	.....	..	....	..	4	260	1·99	....	..
Caira	386,965	29	184	0·05	44	23·91	14	1,931	0·50	244	12·64
Taila	22,209	15	27	0·12	....	..	4	810	3·65	314	38·76
Wentworth	82,139	20	93	0·11	24	25·81	15	1,932	2·35	37	1·92
Perry	43,072	1	1	0·00	....	..	4	932	2·16	80	8·58
Livingstone	13,808	..	.....	..	....	..	8	1,140	8·26	....	..
Total, East of Darling	2,085,921	143	866	0·04	176	20·32	278	43,985	2 11	2,176	4·95
West of Darling—											
Finch	127,165	8	19	0·02	3	15·78	19	2,311	1·82	16	6·92
Narran	73,368	4	9	0·01	....	..	11	1,880	2·56	6	0·32
Culgoa	11,741	2	4	0·03	....	..	8	1,348	11·48	....	..
Gunderbooka	25,939	22	429	1·66	145	33·80	10	1,056	4·07	30	2·84
Irrara	9,848	1	1	0·01	....	..	8	1,740	17·49	50	2·87
Thoulcanna	3,313	..	.....	..	....	..	..	.....	..	....	..
Barrona	.....	..	.....	..	....	..	..	.....	..	....	..
Landsborough	24,573	1	3	0·01	3	100·00	2	640	2·61	....	..
Killara	8,857	..	.....	..	....	..	2	400	4·51	....	..
Fitzgerald	680	..	.....	..	....	..	2	80	11·76	....	..
Ularara	5,808	2	13	0·22	....	..	2	135	2·32	10	7·41
Delalah	360	..	.....	..	....	..	1	360	100·00	....	..
Tongowoko	2,062	2	2	0·09	....	..	3	180	8·73	....	..
Poole	240	..	.....	..	....	..	2	240	100·00	....	..
Yantara	4,296	..	.....	..	....	..	..	.....	..	....	..
Yungnulgra	9,452	3	22	0·23	....	..	9	620	6·56	10	1·61
Young	23,070	26	112	0·48	15	13·39	7	757	3·28	26	3·43
Tandora	3,361	1	1	0·03	....	..	3	200	5·95	40	20·00
Mootwingee	4,222	1	2	0·05	....	..	2	120	2·84	....	..
Evelyn	1,905	3	5	0·26	....	..	1	300	15·75	....	..
Farnell	6,321	1	1	0·01	....	..	1	320	5·06	....	..
Yancowinna	11,341	183	204	1·80	....	..	17	1,750	15·43	....	..
Menindie	4,286	1	16	0·37	1	6·25	3	120	2·80	....	..
Windeyer	26,456	..	.....	..	....	..	4	536	2·03	....	..
Tara	48,073	2	50	0·10	10	20·00	6	943	1·96	90	9·54
Total, West of Darling	436,837	263	893	0·20	177	19·82	123	16,036	3·67	278	1·73
Total, Western Plains	2,522,758	406	1,759	0·07	353	20·07	401	60,021	2·38	2,454	4·09
Total, New South Wales	43,985,115	19,5	64,526	0·37	56,056	34·07	33,463	4,939,933	11·23	738,524	14·95

NOTE.—Large holdings extending into more than one county

Holdings, in Area Groups, &c.—*continued.*

Holdings from 401 to 1,000 Acres.					Holdings from 1,001 to 10,000 Acres.					Holdings from 10,001 Acres and upwards.				
Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Proportion Cultivated to Aggregate Area of this Series.	Holdings.	Area. Aggregate.	Area. Proportion to Total Alienated Area of County.	Area Cultivated.	Average Area of Holdings in this Series.
No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	per cent.	No.	acres.	per cent.	acres.	acres.
20	12,947	9·65	60	0·46	18	47,920	35·71	12	0·02	3	69,817	52·02	50	23,272
40	25,895	4·37	67	0·26	50	163,923	27·66	132	0·08	12	396,990	66·98	33	33,082
36	23,317	32·69	2,161	9·27	16	26,398	37·01	813	3·08	1	19,283	27·03	..	19,283
30	18,247	37·80	787	4·42	12	25,634	53·10	150	0·58	..	.....	....	..	....
8	5,990	12·45	16	0·27	11	37,929	78·86	17	0·04	..	.....	....	..	....
2	1,280	10·06	....	..	4	10,314	81·02	25	0·24	..	.....	....	..	....
6	3,430	23·20	....	..	6	7,920	53·58	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
5	3,928	34·77	45	1·15	3	3,630	32·13	94	2·59	..	.....	....	..	....
3	1,820	2·89	17	0·93	12	42,102	66·95	1,030	2·45	1	15,543	24·72	70	15,543
11	8,080	3·64	552	6·83	9	24,358	10·99	532	2·18	6	187,222	84·43	403	31,203
7	4,702	16·61	50	1·06	3	8,252	29·16	....	..	1	14,000	49·46	..	14,000
1	540	15·36	....	..	2	2,435	69·28	16	0·66	..	.....	....	..	....
2	1,280	13·16	....	..	2	8,155	83·83	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
4	2,567	81·83	120	4·67	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	4	6,345	91·89	115	1·81	..	.....	....	..	....
1	960	2·83	50	5·21	4	21,778	64·16	215	0·99	1	11,124	32·77	110	11,124
3	2,112	0·95	13	0·62	6	23,492	10·62	73	0·31	3	195,475	88·40	100	65,158
2	1,100	8·43	27	2·45	2	11,693	89·58	112	0·96	..	.....	....	..	....
12	8,340	2·15	468	5·61	8	9,858	2·55	268	2·72	4	366,652	94·75	630	91,663
4	2,523	11·36	120	4·76	2	5,275	23·75	272	5·16	1	13,574	61·12	87	13,574
12	7,340	8·94	352	4·80	6	13,891	16·91	197	1·42	3	58,883	71·69	164	19,628
3	2,014	4·68	44	2·18	1	4,511	10·47	50	1·11	2	35,614	82·69	210	17,807
4	2,680	19·41	20	0·75	3	9,988	72·33	170	1·70	..	.....	....	..	....
216	141,092	6·76	4,969	3·52	184	515,801	24·73	4,293	0·83	38	1,384,177	66·36	1,857	36,426
6	4,006	3·15	....	..	10	38,879	30·57	21	0·05	3	81,950	64·44	39	27,317
15	10,531	14·36	....	..	13	49,142	66·98	46	0·09	1	11,806	16·09	..	11,806
4	3,140	26·75	....	..	4	7,249	61·74	23	0·32	..	.....	....	..	....
3	1,920	7·40	....	..	7	22,534	86·87	77	0·24	..	.....	....	..	....
2	1,637	16·45	....	..	1	6,570	66·05	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
3	1,860	56·14	62	3·33	1	1,453	43·86	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	1	3,930	15·99	....	..	1	20,000	81·39	..	20,000
..	.....	....	....	..	2	8,457	95·49	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	600	88·24	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	680	11·71	....	..	2	4,980	85·75	30	0·60	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	640	31·04	....	..	1	1,240	60·14	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
3	1,950	45·39	....	..	1	2,346	54·61	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	990	10·47	....	..	1	7,820	82·74	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
12	7,797	33·80	214	2·74	6	14,404	62·44	398	2·76	..	.....	....	..	....
5	3,160	94·02	15	0·47	..	.....	....	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
3	1,800	42·63	....	..	1	2,300	54·48	127	5·52	..	.....	....	..	....
1	560	29·40	....	..	1	1,040	54·59	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
..	.....	....	....	..	1	6,000	94·23	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
2	1,480	13·05	....	..	1	7,907	69·72	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	820	19·13	....	..	1	3,330	77·70	....	..	..	.....	....	..	....
1	1,000	3·78	11	1·10	4	12,935	48·89	92	0·71	1	11,985	45·30	150	11,985
5	3,470	7·22	571	16·45	4	12,230	25·44	237	1·94	2	31,380	65·28	30	15,690
70	48,041	11·00	873	1·82	63	214,746	49·16	1,051	0·49	8	157,121	35·97	219	19,640
286	189,133	7·50	5,842	3·09	247	730,547	28·96	5,344	0·73	46	1,541,298	61·09	2,076	33,506
7,827	4,975,616	11·31	461,389	9·27	4,773	12,478,276	28·37	584,510	4·68	671	21,426,764	48·72	296,827	31,933

are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

No. 53.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied under various forms of Lease, Cultivated, &c., also Value of Improvements, in the Counties of each Division, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of—	
									Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.	Crown Lands only.
A.—COASTAL DIVISION.										
1.—North Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
Rous	416,477	104,711	....	311,766	143	1	9,490	10,984	80	6
Richmond	271,664	20,409	....	251,255	45	169	16,498	7,854	62	5
Clarence	342,054	10,867	....	331,187	135	6	4,283	6,309	131	33
Fitzroy	544,924	25,958	....	518,966	70	64	10,499	5,879	95	10
Raleigh	7,015	5,064	....	1,951	155	100	587	2,403	52	9
Dudley	331,437	24,863	....	306,574	93	..	24,028	7,787	66	2
Macquarie	60,651	12,887	....	47,764	10	104	5,553	8,449	98	5
Total	1,974,222	204,759	....	1,769,463	651	444	70,938	49,665	584	70
2.—Lower Hunter.										
Gloucester	214,640	31,526	....	183,114	1,100	..	40,832	28,786	165	84
Durham	128,436	71,747	....	56,689	68	7	55,550	34,159	184	13
Northumberland	21,286	6,017	....	15,269	37	..	1,925	5,087	50	12
Total	364,362	109,290	....	255,072	1,205	7	98,307	68,032	399	109
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)										
Metropolitan	238	.....	....	238	20	..	.....	19,500	2	17
Ryde	.....	.....	....	.....	..	..	.....	.....	....	..
Parramatta	85	.....	....	85	..	..	.....	100	2	3
Liverpool	.....	.....	....	.....	..	..	.....	.....	....	..
Camden (*part of*)	.....	.....	....	.....	..	..	.....	.....	....	..
Campbelltown	150	.....	....	150	..	..	.....	.....	1	..
Wollongong (*part of*)	18,628	.....	....	18,628	..	..	.....	850	....	2
Windsor (*part of*)	528	88	....	440	..	..	.....	20	3	..
Penrith (*part of*)	.....	.....	....	.....	..	..	.....	.....	....	..
Total	19,629	88	....	19,541	20	..	.....	20,470	8	22
4.—South Coast.										
Camden	79,313	38,529	....	40,784	9	222	21,330	11,631	99	10
St. Vincent	120,436	21,267	....	99,169	184	190	4,840	7,829	181	32
Dampier	139,273	12,769	....	126,504	10	190	4,317	4,405	87	5
Auckland	289,014	14,450	....	274,564	209	..	6,372	10,406	100	51
Total	628,036	87,015	....	541,021	412	602	36,859	34,271	467	98
Total—Coastal Division	2,986,249	401,152	....	2,585,097	2,288	1,053	206,104	172,438	1,458	299

No. 53.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.	Holdings consisting of— Crown Lands only.
B.—TABLE-LAND DIVISION.										
5.—Northern Table-land.										
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
Buller	463,607	45,721	9,710	408,176	2	..	25,908	14,795	78	43
Clive	832,896	53,054	3,202	776,640	..	..	36,457	24,917	135	6
Arrawatta	732,928	142,029	17,513	573,386	..	1,046	40,498	33,176	118	10
Gough	530,403	132,674	....	397,729	91	..	66,744	26,883	194	28
Drake	610,635	16,713	....	593,922	1	..	126,677	7,175	18	26
Gresham..	479,108	2,298	....	476,810	6	..	5,140	1,348	8	19
Clarke	611,878	126,283	....	485,595	40	..	34,817	21,763	119	6
Hardinge	628,802	360,376	19,444	248,982	129	326	141,939	58,383	219	41
Murchison	755,712	114,721	27,344	613,647	155	..	196,255	58,827	118	16
Darling	514,046	243,442	652	269,952	898	..	130,611	82,649	216	4
Inglis	300,613	133,709	....	166,904	116	..	55,907	24,366	151	16
Sandon	220,150	137,625	....	82,525	79	3	34,524	24,225	125	26
Vernon	401,745	99,489	4,810	297,446	104	1,350	75,790	24,364	108	7
Hawes	831,505	83,901	....	747,604	39	..	106,626	13,680	67	7
Parry	178,344	79,979	....	98,365	204	..	50,693	26,888	142	15
Buckland	160,853	98,615	6,766	55,472	177	..	72,153	36,208	104	7
Total	8,253,225	1,870,629	89,441	6,293,155	2,041	2,725	1,200,739	479,647	1,920	277
6.—Central Table-land.										
Brisbane	284,797	208,942	....	75,855	34	2	119,969	63,819	256	2
Bligh	358,973	179,992	....	178,981	477	2,535	87,714	71,079	289	5
Phillip	147,318	51,825	4,417	91,076	184	377	29,334	22,681	231	28
Wellington	585,394	149,952	....	435,442	298	..	105,413	72,396	298	58
Roxburgh	424,154	65,406	....	358,748	106	2,472	40,081	35,570	213	39
Hunter..	35,687	8,612	....	27,075	19	..	9,427	1,681	42	1
Cook	78,720	28,429	....	50,291	124	..	11,253	9,901	71	17
Westmoreland ..	185,753	64,246	....	121,507	132	520	21,127	21,578	263	11
Georgiana	415,399	105,870	....	309,529	130	..	20,689	43,612	327	38
Bathurst	292,824	45,151	....	247,673	1,682	1,163	52,477	35,405	203	65
Total	2,809,019	908,425	4,417	1,896,177	3,186	7,069	497,484	377,722	2,193	264
7.—Southern Table-land.										
Monteagle	192,423	83,870	....	108,553	411	118	66,954	28,858	123	18
King	299,405	172,594	5,225	121,586	44	..	109,399	50,814	347	9
Argyle	179,563	52,132	....	127,431	8	..	16,320	16,894	262	15
Murray	309,572	87,985	....	221,587	10	..	35,119	26,506	265	12
Beresford	422,756	43,159	....	379,597	41	150	13,985	14,652	169	11
Cowley	394,182	60,745	....	333,437	..	..	25,750	13,879	80	3
Buccleuch	300,342	125,550	220	174,572	31	2	65,517	24,711	98	11
Wynyard	371,614	114,837	2,446	254,331	365	..	61,166	42,279	133	36
Selwyn	449,654	95,010	....	354,644	35	..	33,442	21,941	67	20
Wallace..	635,374	170,196	....	465,178	34	..	57,106	45,927	243	13
Wellesley	238,278	68,981	....	169,297	11	..	28,048	19,622	137	13
Total	3,793,163	1,075,059	7,891	2,710,213	990	270	512,806	306,083	1,924	161
Total, Table-land Division ..	14,855,407	3,854,113	101,749	10,899,545	6,217	10,064	2,211,029	1,163,452	6,037	702

No. 53.—Area of Crown Lands occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area Crown Lands Occupied.	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area Cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of—	
									Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings.	Crown Lands only.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
C.—WESTERN SLOPES AND RIVERINA DIVISION.										
8.—North-western Slope.										
Stapylton	622,432	300,825	104,003	217,604	..	..	195,464	62,715	71	34
Burnett..	744,973	170,295	15,960	558,718	73	..	219,467	117,064	112	7
Courallie	654,749	464,983	21,482	168,284	..	..	36,610	40,354	73	11
Benarba	1,249,489	398,624	259,267	591,598	10	..	298,935	121,174	139	81
Denham	540,070	200,969	109,525	229,576	13	..	62,284	67,368	55	29
Jamison	969,735	285,466	74,311	609,958	7	..	42,797	81,468	93	44
Nandewar	378,904	148,777	2,484	227,643	78	10	104,039	37,470	73	3
Pottinger	739,533	201,760	39,805	497,968	971	..	154,642	75,655	136	18
White	200,311	68,325	20,623	111,363	80	..	5,717	11,670	20	9
Baradine	991,761	175,897	36,836	779,028	115	..	96,701	63,245	82	31
Leichhardt	1,608,479	533,869	96,310	978,300	209	..	99,331	108,901	169	39
Total	8,700,436	2,949,790	780,606	4,970,040	1,556	10	1,315,987	787,084	1,023	306
9.—Central-western Slope.										
Napier	438,316	25,237	3,382	409,697	204	..	95,168	24,690	36	2
Gowen	721,367	186,078	110,703	424,586	270	..	164,365	67,690	142	32
Ewenmar	814,606	430,538	57,157	326,911	65	..	273,704	101,950	137	26
Oxley	865,332	203,539	63,988	597,805	658	..	122,782	57,545	62	31
Narromine	777,701	309,732	163,250	304,719	1,903	561	342,500	117,620	114	89
Lincoln	579,773	152,464	9,640	417,669	1,028	100	234,000	70,671	188	16
Gordon	475,617	171,039	26,219	278,359	2,164	..	106,451	59,283	187	11
Ashburnham	603,536	225,890	5,634	372,012	1,982	3	256,332	73,531	296	57
Kennedy	930,168	283,516	37,227	609,425	3,239	2,022	584,148	125,355	99	7
Cunningham	1,095,121	311,830	23,487	759,804	5,481	..	728,477	222,634	158	15
Total	7,301,537	2,299,863	500,687	4,500,987	16,994	2,686	2,907,927	920,969	1,419	286
10.—South-western Slope.										
Gipps	1,210,241	369,659	90,827	749,755	3,040	588	808,281	224,172	156	26
Forbes	377,018	187,040	19,166	170,812	612	575	145,301	51,518	132	14
Bland	560,578	262,183	53,216	245,179	3,749	3	324,904	159,538	225	47
Harden	111,539	61,106	....	50,433	129	..	19,716	27,871	110	18
Clarendon	68,412	34,737	....	33,675	738	..	31,603	20,781	46	17
Bourke	531,248	312,542	13,514	205,192	3,983	..	252,821	105,221	117	14
Mitchell	197,619	65,088	10,214	122,317	303	838	85,400	21,327	39	7
Hume	36,203	12,643	....	23,557	200	..	11,682	11,844	24	2
Goulburn	214,446	90,191	....	124,255	57	..	46,921	41,179	80	8
Total	3,307,304	1,395,192	186,937	1,725,175	12,811	2,004	1,726,629	663,451	929	153
Total, Western Slopes	19,309,277	6,644,845	1,468,230	11,196,202	31,361	4,700	5,950,543	2,371,504	3,371	745
11.—Riverina.										
Dowling	834,129	67,970	14,757	751,402	236	..	422,440	232,254	50	12
Nicholson	470,642	257,598	7,231	205,813	4,305	..	16,258	41,678	77	6
Cooper	796,401	150,637	5,848	639,916	2,731	320	156,984	102,792	73	10
Sturt	123,802	54,569	....	69,233	869	..	1,020	6,450	22	1
Waradgery	934,468	314,903	22,371	597,194	608	..	200	98,788	76	47
Boyd	108,991	5,015	....	103,976	550	420	300	11,700	6	21
Urana	243,770	18,919	11,640	213,211	440	1,000	58,404	46,196	44	7
Denison	40,688	1,197	....	39,491	607	..	6,917	2,810	17	4
Townsend	423,328	18,601	25,774	378,953	1,044	..	72,492	67,080	37	10
Wakool	636,624	82,946	10,223	543,455	743	..	136,869	50,494	71	3
Cadell	93,151	598	....	92,553	414	3,600	22,150	5,250	8	3
Total	4,705,994	972,953	97,844	3,635,197	12,547	5,340	894,034	665,492	481	124
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	24,015,271	7,617,798	1,566,074	14,831,399	43,908	10,040	6,844,577	3,036,996	3,852	869

No. 53.—Area of Crown Lands Occupied, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Total area Crown Lands occupied.	Area under Conditional Lease.	Area under Homestead Lease.	Area under Settlement Lease.	Area under other forms of Lease.	Area cultivated.	Area under Permanent Artificially-sown Grasses.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	Value of Improvements.	Holdings consisting of—	
										Crown Lands attached to Alienated Holdings	Crown Lands only.
D.—WESTERN DIVISION.											
12.—Western Plains.											
East of Darling :—	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	£	No.	No.
Clyde	1,249,957	184,320	473,574	65,525	526,538	38	..	219,572	134,649	37	39
Gregory	1,247,435	472,409	.....	54,355	720,671	44	40	227,361	82,010	105	10
Flinders	1,035,343	186,272	.....	..	849,071	1,107	..	302,691	92,104	55	9
Canbelego.. ..	1,091,988	60,172	119,034	45,121	867,661	938	..	573,198	105,976	36	33
Cowper	2,651,619	18,880	1,324,396	1,835	1,306,508	397	..	347,980	311,411	28	60
Yanda	1,353,206	4,657	645,911	10,240	692,398	84	1	9,180	80,230	9	18
Robinson	1,754,657	1,509	266,292	7,967	1,478,889	228	39	299,019	105,420	17	36
Mouramba.. ..	1,020,039	.....	.....	..	1,020,039	220	..	372,862	145,684	10	10
Blaxland	2,011,072	5,795	81,100	..	1,924,177	774	20	1,107,231	190,132	16	24
Franklin	1,059,452	42,405	352,279	..	664,768	926	..	.....	106,061	28	17
Mossgiel	1,387,751	2,925	206,426	..	1,178,400	602	..	8,385	63,981	14	14
Booroondarra ..	853,659	.....	31,040	..	822,619	96	80	92,420	98,075	7	9
Rankin	1,750,813	2,442	110,860	..	1,637,511	390	..	.....	95,425	6	12
Werunda	777,722	1,920	86,853	..	688,949	..	..	.....	48,950	4	2
Woore	1,332,699	.....	.....	..	1,332,699	105	..	.....	97,185	7	..
Manara	2,543,364	.....	198,880	..	2,344,484	81	..	.....	119,143	6	15
Waljeers	1,419,913	14,068	545,012	..	860,833	996	..	.....	98,791	12	35
Kilfera	888,159	.....	169,540	..	718,619	102	..	20	44,892	4	14
Caira	1,516,214	27,776	318,809	..	1,169,629	1,299	..	48,675	52,677	25	20
Taila	377,098	5,000	103,280	..	268,818	805	..	47,270	14,956	9	10
Wentworth ..	2,184,639	8,602	250,450	..	1,925,587	1,576	..	330	90,290	19	21
Perry	2,461,870	2,398	141,406	..	2,318,066	164	..	320	121,597	6	17
Livingstone ..	2,337,816	11,015	114,998	..	2,211,803	187	..	.....	157,639	9	15
Total, East of Darling ..	34,306,485	1,052,565	5,540,140	185,043	27,528,737	11,159	180	3,656,514	2,457,278	469	440
West of Darling :—											
Finch	2,573,724	15,469	978,659	..	1,579,596	99	..	673,243	238,545	34	61
Narran	1,987,000	24,856	622,157	7,953	1,332,034	99	..	35,132	163,288	24	45
Culgoa	1,660,379	14,134	419,351	..	1,226,894	201	..	44,860	135,547	8	32
Gunderbooka ..	1,285,802	17,641	742,106	..	526,055	83	..	26,889	132,947	13	32
Irrara	2,086,611	4,846	613,369	..	1,468,396	57	..	27,610	140,945	8	38
Thoulcanna ..	1,858,712	.....	20,480	..	1,838,232	89	..	1,340	94,871	3	6
Barrona	185,370	.....	20,000	..	165,370	20	..	16	9,700	..	4
Landsborough ..	2,139,996	1,136	307,210	..	1,831,650	353	..	.....	147,940	2	17
Killara	1,568,402	750	129,589	..	1,438,063	67	..	1,000	158,412	4	13
Fitzgerald	180,920	.....	.....	..	180,920	16	..	.....	12,509	1	..
Ularara	1,810,170	.....	10,240	..	1,799,930	37	..	.....	103,350	4	5
Delalah	960,000	.....	.....	..	960,000	25	..	.....	17,500	1	6
Tongowoko ..	1,533,649	.....	15,360	..	1,518,289	..	..	.....	67,924	4	17
Poole	1,038,270	.....	.....	..	1,038,270	..	..	.....	17,883	2	3
Yantara	2,761,791	.....	15,234	..	2,746,557	131	6	.....	131,435	4	4
Yungnulgra ..	3,190,203	.....	101,896	..	3,088,307	197	..	20	120,219	4	23
Young	1,558,238	13,350	89,529	3,480	1,451,879	234	..	.....	68,250	15	8
Tandora	803,054	.....	559,101	..	243,953	182	..	.....	43,020	6	23
Mootwingee ..	2,172,832	.....	6,497	..	2,166,335	190	..	.....	144,135	4	1
Evelyn	2,060,632	.....	26,878	..	2,033,754	110	..	.....	74,939	5	9
Farnell	2,060,341	.....	12,800	..	2,047,541	..	..	.....	38,850	2	7
Yancowinna ..	1,736,319	.....	678,524	..	1,057,795	204	..	.....	1,210,277	17	340
Menindie	1,053,965	240	38,560	..	1,015,165	3	..	.....	68,529	4	4
Windeyer	2,660,382	.....	1,619,104	..	1,041,278	538	..	1,430	167,526	7	33
Tara	1,247,844	17,350	195,192	..	1,035,302	687	..	984	49,978	14	11
Total, West of Darling ..	42,174,606	109,772	7,221,836	11,433	34,831,565	3,622	6	812,524	3,558,519	190	742
Total, Western Plains ..	76,481,091	1,162,337	12,761,976	196,476	62,360,302	14,781	186	4,469,038	6,015,797	659	1,182
Total, New South Wales ..	118,338,018*	13,035,400	12,761,976	1,864,299	90,676,343	67,194	21,343	13,730,748	10,388,683	12,006	3,085

* This total of 118,338,018 acres is that obtained from the returns of holders of land. According to the Lands Department—see table 1, page 1—the total area of Crown Lands occupied on 31 December, 1898, was 127,609,598 acres. The latter figures are, however, in excess of the actual area leased—probably by not less than 4½ million acres—owing to the fact that portions of land held under one form of lease, and in respect to which application has been made for transfer to another form, appear under both forms pending consideration of the application. On the other hand as there are always a few returns which cannot be obtained from the landholders this accounts for a deficiency of about 5 million acres in the table above.

NOTE.—Large holdings extending into more than one county are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

No. 54.—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed in the Counties of each Division, Year ending 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
A.—Coastal Division.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1.—North Coast.						
Rous	45,423	21,044	66,467	59,288	290,722	350,010
Richmond	19,696	165,625	185,321	713	85,630	86,343
Clarence	9,879	19,050	28,929	988	312,137	313,125
Fitzroy	20,684	115,020	135,704	5,274	403,946	409,220
Raleigh	584	360	944	4,480	1,591	6,071
Dudley	21,674	633	22,307	3,189	305,941	309,130
Macquarie	8,654	1,785	10,439	4,233	45,979	50,212
Total	126,594	323,517	450,111	78,165	1,445,946	1,524,111
2.—Lower Hunter.						
Gloucester	25,292	98,370	123,662	6,234	84,744	90,978
Durham	69,369	33,041	102,410	2,378	23,648	26,026
Northumberland ...	3,806	6,954	10,760	2,211	8,315	10,526
Total	98,467	138,365	236,832	10,823	116,707	127,530
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)						
Metropolitan	.....	238	238	.....	.....	.....
Ryde	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parramatta	.....	85	85	.....	.....	.....
Liverpool	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Camden (*part of*) ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Campbelltown	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	150
Wollongong (*part of*)	.....	1	1	.....	18,627	18,627
Windsor (*part of*) ...	1	.....	1	87	440	527
Penrith (*part of*) ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1	324	325	87	19,217	19,304
4.—South Coast.						
Camden	33,339	23,833	57,172	5,190	16,951	22,141
St. Vincent	15,955	21,922	37,877	5,312	77,247	82,559
Dampier	8,504	2,640	11,144	4,265	123,864	128,129
Auckland	9,128	6,906	16,034	5,322	267,658	272,980
Total	66,926	55,301	122,227	20,089	485,720	505,809
Total, Coastal Division	291,988	517,507	809,495	109,164	2,067,590	2,176,754

No. 54.—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
B.—Table-land Division.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
5.—Northern Table-land.						
Buller	39,199	58,824	98 023	6,522	359,062	365,584
Clive	45,726	489,800	535,526	7,328	290,042	297,370
Arawatta	135.999	338,749	474,748	6,030	252,150	258,180
Gough	97,120	145.886	243,006	35.554	251,843	287,397
Drake	16,101	406,608	422,709	612	187,314	187,926
Gresham...	2,298	2,636	4,934	.....	474,174	474,174
Clarke	112,836	127,171	240,007	13,447	358,424	371,871
Hardinge	303,462	150,916	454.378	56,914	117,510	174,424
Murchison	109,990	623,250	733.240	4,731	17,741	22,472
Darling	242,347	269,124	511,471	1,095	1,480	2,575
Inglis	126,742	149,824	276,566	6,967	17,080	24,047
Sandon	134.235	63,364	197,599	3,390	19,161	22,551
Vernon	98,533	62,268	160,801	956	239,988	240,944
Hawes	81,902	218,577	300,479	1,999	529,027	531,026
Parry	74,234	67,375	141,609	5,745	30,990	36,735
Buckland	97,268	59,958	157,226	1,347	2,280	3,627
Total	1,717,992	3,234,330	4,952,322	152,637	3,148,266	3,300,903
6.—Central Table-land.						
Brisbane...	205,758	71,053	276,811	3,184	4,802	7,986
Bligh	174,303	137,641	311,944	5,689	41,340	47,029
Phillip	45,897	53,407	99,304	5,928	42,086	48,014
Wellington	145,244	360,757	506,001	4,708	74,685	79 393
Roxburgh	59,227	307,949	367,176	6,179	50,799	56,978
Hunter	5,186	22,590	27,776	3,426	4,485	7,911
Cook	19,092	33,429	52,521	9,337	16,862	26,199
Westmoreland	58,794	75,076	133,870	5,452	46,431	51,883
Georgiana	97,093	256,111	353,204	8,777	53,418	62,195
Bathurst...	41,899	229,116	271,015	3,252	18,557	21,809
Total	852,493	1,547,129	2,399,622	55,932	353,465	409,397
7.—Southern Table-land.						
Monteagle	82,006	94,297	176,303	1,864	14,256	16,120
King	171,667	111,661	283.328	927	15,150	16,077
Argyle	50,110	68,151	118,261	2,022	59,280	61,302
Murray	84,628	139 170	223,798	3,357	82,417	85,774
Beresford	38,500	101,883	140,383	4,659	277,714	282,373
Cowley	53.689	106,021	159,710	7,056	227,416	234,472
Buccleuch	67,660	131,825	199,485	57,890	42,967	100,857
Wynyard	112,707	249,532	362,239	2,130	7,245	9,375
Selwyn	91,828	95,520	187,348	3,182	259,124	262,306
Wallace	165,244	163,161	328,405	4,952	302,017	306,969
Wellesley	67,221	130,327	197,548	1 760	38.970	40,730
Total	985,260	1,391,548	2,376,808	89,799	1,326,556	1,416,355
Total, Table-land Division	3,555,745	6,173,007	9,728,752	298,368	4 828,287	5,126,655

No. 54.—Area of Crown Lands, Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.						
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
8.—North-western Slope.						
Stapylton	300,825	254,794	555,619	.....	66,813	66,813
Burnett	145,956	534,771	680,727	24,339	39,907	64,246
Courallie	373,971	186,138	560,109	91,012	3,628	94,640
Benarba	396,555	777,687	1,174,242	2,069	73,178	75,247
Denham	199,393	292,759	492,152	1,576	46,342	47,918
Jamison	285,466	582,494	867,960	.....	101,775	101,775
Nandewar	146,712	139,564	286,276	2,065	90,563	92,628
Pottinger	190,193	472,014	662,207	11,567	65,759	77,326
White	67,975	94,286	162,261	350	37,700	38,050
Baradine	168,413	700,777	869,190	7,484	115,087	122,571
Leichhardt	527,749	908,396	1,436,145	6,120	166,214	172,334
Total	2,803,208	4,943,680	7,746,888	146,582	806,966	953,548
9.—Central-western Slope.						
Napier	23,867	391,959	415,826	1,370	21,120	22,490
Gowen	184,117	448,229	632,346	1,961	87,060	89,021
Ewenmar	388,838	380,026	768,864	41,700	4,042	45,742
Oxley	203,539	659,875	863,414	.....	1,918	1,918
Narromine	298,588	448,438	747,026	11,144	19,531	30,675
Lincoln	152,164	395,559	547,723	300	31,750	32,050
Gordon	170,042	269,819	439,861	997	34,759	35,756
Ashburnham	209,083	303,501	512,584	16,807	74,145	90,952
Kennedy	282,663	590,984	873,647	853	55,668	56,521
Cunningham	306,398	753,292	1,059,690	5,432	29,999	35,431
Total	2,219,299	4,641,682	6,860,981	80,564	359,992	440,556
10.—South-western Slope.						
Gipps	367,385	833,882	1,201,267	2,274	6,700	8,974
Forbes	187,040	187,388	374,428	.....	2,590	2,590
Bland	261,383	280,368	541,751	800	18,027	18,827
Harden	58,713	41,778	100,491	2,393	8,655	11,048
Clarendon	33,436	24,531	57,967	1,301	9,144	10,445
Bourke	311,245	204,842	516,087	1,297	13,864	15,161
Mitchell	65,088	122,317	187,405	.....	10,214	10,214
Hume	12,646	23,057	35,703	.....	500	500
Goulburn	88,497	105,366	193,863	1,694	18,889	20,583
Total	1,385,433	1,823,529	3,208,962	9,759	88,583	98,342
Total Western Slopes ...	6,407,940	11,408,891	17,816,831	236,905	1,255,541	1,492,446
11.—Riverina.						
Dowling	67,970	706,579	774,549	.....	59,580	59,580
Nicholson	256,110	203,175	459,285	1,488	9,869	11,357
Cooper	150,637	632,724	783,361	.....	13,040	13,040
Sturt	54,569	69,233	123,802	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	314,903	593,884	908,787	.....	25,681	25,681
Boyd	5,015	75,904	80,919	.....	28,072	28,072
Urana	18,169	224,851	243,020	750	.....	750
Denison	1,197	39,491	40,688	.....	.....	.....
Townsend	18,601	394,010	412,611	.....	10,717	10,717
Wakool	82,946	553,038	635,984	.....	640	640
Cadell	598	87,953	88,551	.....	4,600	4,600
Total	970,715	3,580,842	4,551,557	2,238	152,199	154,437
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	7,378,655	14,989,733	22,368,388	239,143	1,407,740	1,646,883

No. 54.—Area of Crown Lands Enclosed and Unenclosed, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Area Enclosed.			Area Unenclosed.		
	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.	*Conditional Lease.	Other forms of Lease.	Total.
D.—Western Division.						
12.—Western Plains.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
East of Darling—						
Clyde	177,654	1,005,537	1,183,191	6,666	60,100	66,766
Gregory	472,409	729,589	1,201,998	.....	45,437	45,437
Flinders	186,272	845,561	1,031,833	.....	3,510	3,510
Canbelego	60,172	1,015,925	1,076,097	.....	15,891	15,891
Cowper	18,880	2,626,699	2,645,579	.....	6,040	6,040
Yanda	4,657	1,344,419	1,349,076	.....	4,130	4,130
Robinson	765	1,744,340	1,745,105	744	8,808	9,552
Mouramba	.....	1,019,357	1,019,357	.....	682	682
Blaxland	5,795	1,989,002	1,994,797	.....	16,275	16,275
Franklin	42,405	1,015,507	1,057,912	.....	1,540	1,540
Mossgiel	2,925	1,364,186	1,367,111	.....	20,640	20,640
Booroondarra	.....	853,069	853,069	.....	590	590
Rankin	2,442	1,748,371	1,750,813	.....	.....	.....
Werunda	1,920	775,797	777,717	.....	5	5
Woore	.....	1,332,699	1,332,699	.....	.....	.....
Manara	.....	2,533,124	2,533,124	.....	10,240	10,240
Waljeers	14,068	1,405,405	1,419,473	.....	440	440
Kilfera	.....	884,919	884,919	.....	3,240	3,240
Caira	25,966	1,487,798	1,513,764	1,810	640	2,450
Taila	5,000	257,940	262,940	.....	114,158	114,158
Wentworth	8,602	1,894,452	1,903,054	.....	281,585	281,585
Perry	2,398	2,436,759	2,439,157	.....	22,713	22,713
Livingstone	11,015	2,326,767	2,337,782	.....	34	34
Total, East of Darling	1,043,345	32,637,222	33,680,567	9,220	616,698	625,918
West of Darling—						
Finch	15,469	2,532,100	2,547,569	.....	26,155	26,155
Narran	20,387	1,951,482	1,971,869	4,469	10,662	15,131
Culgoa	14,134	1,646,245	1,660,379	.....	.....	.....
Gunderbooka	17,641	1,267,721	1,285,362	.....	440	440
Irrara	4,846	2,057,325	2,062,171	.....	24,440	24,440
Thoulcanna	.....	1,753,112	1,753,112	.....	105,600	105,600
Barrona	.....	185,370	185,370	.....	.....	.....
Landsborough	1,136	2,138,860	2,139,996	.....	.....	.....
Killara	750	1,567,652	1,568,402	.....	.....	.....
Fitzgerald	.....	180,920	180,920	.....	.....	.....
Ularara	.....	1,810,125	1,810,125	.....	45	45
Delalah	.....	320,000	320,000	.....	640,000	640,000
Tongowoko	.....	1,383,600	1,383,600	.....	150,049	150,049
Poole	.....	597,990	597,990	.....	440,280	440,280
Yantara	.....	2,541,292	2,541,292	.....	220,499	220,499
Yungnulgra	.....	3,189,603	3,189,603	.....	600	600
Young	13,350	1,544,888	1,558,238	.....	.....	.....
Tandora	.....	769,866	769,866	.....	33,188	33,188
Mootwingee	.....	2,172,832	2,172,832	.....	.....	.....
Evelyn	.....	1,855,942	1,855,942	.....	204,690	204,690
Farnell	.....	1,577,240	1,577,240	.....	483,101	483,101
Yancowinna	.....	1,653,033	1,653,033	.....	83,286	83,286
Menindie	240	1,035,645	1,035,885	.....	18,080	18,080
Windeyer	.....	2,567,322	2,567,322	.....	93,060	93,060
Tara	17,350	1,197,334	1,214,684	.....	33,160	33,160
Total, West of Darling	105,303	39,497,499	39,602,802	4,469	2,567,335	2,571,804
Total, Western Plains	1,148,648	72,134,721	73,283,369	13,689	3,184,033	3,197,722
Total, New South Wales	12,375,036	93,814,968	106,190,004	660,364	11,487,650	12,148,014

* This form of lease is not granted in the Western Land Division under the existing Act, and of those taken up under the Act of 1884 the area remaining unenclosed, if any, is very small, and the figures have not been obtained. The whole area is returned as enclosed.

Note.—Large holdings extending into more than one county are returned in the county where the homestead is situated.

PART V.

AGRICULTURE,

GRAZING AND DAIRYING,

FORESTRY, WATER CONSERVATION, FISHERIES,

AND MINING.

Agriculture, Grazing and Dairying, Forestry, Water Conservation, Fisheries, and Mining.

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PART V.—Agriculture, Grazing and Dairying, Forestry, Water Conservation, Fisheries, and Mining.

Section I.—AGRICULTURE.

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Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area Farmed on "Shares system" (included in the foregoing).	Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
A.—COASTAL DIVISION.								
1.—North Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Rous	32,321	143	1,099	90,203	1	1,710	155,889	9,490
Richmond	7,343	45	130	3,740	169	634	82,963	16,498
Clarence	32,727	135	1,942	180	6	1,707	69,982	4,283
Fitzroy	4,980	70	.....	1,646	64	677	58,052	10,499
Raleigh	11,464	155	20	7,194	100	2,360	13,965	587
Dudley	13,081	93	341	1,527	...	443	58,530	24,028
Macquarie	25,364	10	220	4,576	104	1,812	61,728	5,553
Total	127,280	651	3,752	109,066	444	9,343	501,109	70,938
2.—Lower Hunter.								
Gloucester	12,588	1,100	493	464	...	4,180	178,676	40,832
Durham...	25,493	68	5,763	2,428	7	1,404	513,150	55,550
Northumberland ...	30,193	37	668	6,911	...	1,752	160,078	1,925
Total	68,274	1,205	6,924	9,803	7	7,336	851,904	98,307
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)								
Metropolitan	4,352	20	.....	240	...	60	2,407	.....
Ryde	7,521	...	62	41	...	113	1,674	.....
Parramatta	10,060	...	.....	185	...	339	11,065	.....
Liverpool	3,855	...	.....	22	...	105	560	.....
Camden (*part of*) ...	1,207	...	.....	...	...	277	6,085	.....
Campbelltown	2,727	...	.....	3	...	377	17,403	.....
Wollongong (*part of*)...	235	...	.....	113	...	10	1,246	.....
Windsor (*part of*) ...	9,382	...	94	2	...	98	253	.....
Penrith (*part of*) ...	8,636	...	196	8,796	...	145	17,449	.....
Total	47,975	20	352	9,402	...	1,524	58,142	.....

No. 1.—Total Area in Cultivation, &c., year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area Farmed on "Shares system" (included in the foregoing).	Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
A.—Coastal Division—*continued.*								
4.—South Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Camden	29,449	9	97	99,255	222	1,322	214,838	21,330
St. Vincent	11,916	184	540	31,616	190	748	119,567	4,840
Dampier	4,866	10	.....	5,087	190	929	144,183	4,317
Auckland	7,167	209	50	4,131	...	608	224,938	6,372
Total	53,398	412	687	140,089	602	3,607	703,526	36,859
Total, Coastal Division	296,927	2,288	11,715	268,360	1,053	21,810	2,114,681	206,104
B.—Table-land Division.								
5.—Northern Table-land.								
Buller	636	2	.....	...	...	258	23,235	25,908
Clive	7,041	...	.....	507	...	3,100	51,770	36,457
Arrawatta	11,225	...	271	61	1,046	470	64,643	40,498
Gough	24,842	91	77	2,968	...	1,238	142,843	66,744
Drake	380	1	.....	...	...	.....	86,124	126,677
Gresham	148	6	1	...	...	18	7,194	5,140
Clarke	1,805	40	.....	43	...	221	31,005	34,817
Hardinge	6,940	129	.....	52	326	692	159,847	141,939
Murchison	12,699	155	462	40	...	1,874	129,318	196,255
Darling	24,103	898	1,544	128	...	5,974	101,232	130,611
Inglis	10,261	116	190	25	...	1,638	98,572	55,907
Sandon	20,566	79	306	36	3	890	193,019	34,524
Vernon	3,654	104	.....	2,516	1,350	3,632	135,315	75,790
Hawes	173	39	.....	...	...	278	73,583	106,626
Parry	21,608	204	210	117	...	3,739	49,095	50,693
Buckland	20,197	177	480	108	...	1,934	200,275	72,153
Total	166,278	2,041	3,541	6,601	2,725	25,956	1,547,070	1,200,739
6.—Central Table-land.								
Brisbane	14,338	34	445	848	2	5,528	489,486	119,969
Bligh	12,793	477	103	382	2,535	622	368,657	87,714
Phillip	21,341	184	1,679	72	377	506	161,565	29,334
Wellington	28,980	298	390	129	...	3,356	179,609	105,413
Roxburgh	25,391	106	20	53	2,472	1,295	127,789	40,081
Hunter	4,538	19	18	2	...	2,077	49,458	9,427
Cook	13,036	124	137	164	...	1,109	43,697	11,253
Westmoreland	12,789	132	299	350	520	3,726	95,241	21,127
Georgiana	7,781	130	.....	...	...	713	93,234	20,689
Bathurst	111,868	1,682	5,432	1,580	1,163	15,013	260,681	52,477
Total	252,855	3,186	8,523	3,580	7,069	33,945	1,869,417	497,484

No. 1.—Total Area in Cultivation, &c., year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area Farmed on "Shares system" (included in the foregoing).	Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*								
7.—Southern Table-land.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Monteagle	68,503	411	27,054	1,183	118	17,019	249,021	66,954
King	19,135	44	677	143	...	8,249	400,580	109,399
Argyle	19,198	8	14	164	...	940	390,605	16,320
Murray	14,847	10	220	564	...	1,954	402,225	35,119
Beresford	5,107	41	126	1,292	150	431	63,188	13,985
Cowley	1,254	...	66	30	...	182	77,569	25,750
Buccleuch	7,943	31	135	400	2	591	170,220	65,517
Wynyard	29,619	365	7,367	1,516	...	4,588	369,009	61,166
Selwyn	2,664	35	.....	2,627	...	3,211	211,849	33,442
Wallace	4,388	34	.....	1,383	...	234	107,671	57,106
Wellesley	3,988	11	75	692	...	26	165,733	28,048
Total	176,646	990	35,734	9,994	270	37,425	2,607,670	512,806
Total, Table-land Division	595,779	6,217	47,798	20,175	10,064	97,326	6,024,157	2,111,029
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.								
8.—North-western Slope.								
Stapylton	116	...	.....	...	...	.....	71,324	195,464
Burnett	3,969	73	425	1	...	1,868	54,524	219,467
Courallie	437	...	.....	...	...	656	68,965	36,610
Benarba	46	10	.....	...	...	.....	121,371	298,935
Denham	85	13	.....	...	...	25	27,236	62,284
Jamison	798	7	.....	...	...	255	53,865	42,797
Nandewar	5,991	78	522	37	10	1,957	196,166	104,039
Pottinger	8,286	971	490	9	...	4,461	219,221	154,642
White	361	80	.....	...	...	214	15,314	5,717
Baradine	1,201	115	.....	...	...	304	33,337	96,701
Leichhardt	1,334	209	50	16	...	147	54,503	99,331
Total	22,624	1,556	1,487	63	10	9,887	915,826	1,315,987
9.—Central-western Slope.								
Napier	1,398	204	.....	...	...	82	134,586	95,168
Gowen	4,868	270	185	22	...	1,152	132,205	164,365
Ewenmar	5,351	65	.....	...	...	1,128	280,096	273,704
Oxley	1,721	658	.....	30	...	768	29,359	122,782
Narromine	21,606	1,903	300	35	561	4,951	106,830	342,500
Lincoln	43,778	1,028	740	547	100	3,707	91,988	234,000
Gordon	37,820	2,164	15,433	778	...	5,309	79,424	106,451
Ashburnham	85,215	1,982	586	1,986	3	10,349	213,790	256,332
Kennedy	11,826	3,239	270	15	2,022	2,883	112,044	584,148
Cunningham	20,402	5,481	1,415	90	...	2,875	291,308	728,477
Total	233,985	16,994	18,929	3,503	2,686	33,204	1,471,630	2,907,927

No. 1.—Total Area in Cultivation, &c., year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Area in Cultivation.		Area Farmed on "Shares system" (included in the foregoing).	Area under Permanent Artificially sown Grasses.		Area Cleared and Prepared for Cultivation on Alienated Holdings.	Area Ringbarked and Partially Cleared.	
	On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.		On Alienated Holdings.	On Crown Lands.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*								
10.—South-western Slope.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Gipps	10,550	3,040	1,000	244	588	3,053	275,608	808,281
Forbes	38,821	612	8,347	2,150	575	11,081	185,712	145,301
Bland	64,078	3,749	4,090	32	3	18,726	420,950	324,904
Harden	67,568	129	3,738	673	...	9,327	414,063	19,716
Clarendon	82,451	738	8,021	409	...	9,825	242,568	31,603
Bourke	122,565	3,983	20,478	...	...	19,114	100,847	252,821
Mitchell	51,164	303	17,798	622	838	21,437	344,217	85,400
Hume	134,918	200	75,384	17,323	...	15,856	406,434	11,682
Goulburn	43,388	57	18,468	289	...	1,878	111,259	46,921
Total	615,503	12,811	157,324	21,742	2,004	110,297	2,501,658	1,726,629
Total, Western Slopes ...	872,112	31,361	177,740	25,308	4,700	153,388	4,889,114	5,950,543
11.—Riverina.								
Dowling	2,007	236	.....	...	...	663	111,152	422,440
Nicholson	19,024	4,305	200	...	...	5,898	12,207	16,258
Cooper	29,997	2,731	2,934	58	320	13,653	219,961	156,984
Sturt	4,716	869	300	...	...	4,197	3,120	1,020
Waradgery	4,847	608	.....	...	...	155	....	200
Boyd	8,221	550	.....	...	420	150	.....	300
Urana	52,191	440	12,893	1,465	1,000	20,361	194,413	58,404
Denison	159,858	607	86,360	6,455	...	17,639	22,753	6,917
Townsend	31,686	1,044	9,965	5,115	...	1,959	307,399	72,492
Wakool	8,991	743	.....	540	...	205	245,839	136,869
Cadell	34,881	414	4,771	8	3,600	10,350	113,732	22,150
Total	356,419	12,547	117,423	13,641	5,340	75,230	1,230,576	894,034
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	1,228,531	43,908	295,163	38,949	10,040	228,618	6,119,690	6,844,577
D.—Western Division.								
12.—Western Plains.								
East of Darling... ...	13,471	11,159	.....	...	180	2,189	299,567	3,656,514
West of Darling ...	2,598	3,622	.....	2	6	443	55,929	812,524
Total	16,069	14,781	.....	2	186	2,632	355,496	4,469,038
Total, New South Wales	2,137,306	67,194	354,676	327,486	21,343	350,386	14,614,024	13,630,748
	*2,204,500			348,829			28,244,772	

* See note to Table No. 4.

No. 2.—Total Area under Crops, Total Value of Produce, and Average Value per Acre for each Year, 1871–99.

Year ended 31st March—	Area under Crops.	Total Value of Produce.	Average Value per acre.	Year ended 31st March—	Area under Crops.	Total Value of Produce.	Average Value per acre.
	acres.	£	£ s. d.		acres.	£	£ s. d.
1871	397,389	2,220,000	5 11 9	1890	947,072	4,459,861	4 14 2
1881	629,180	3,829,660	6 1 9	1891	852,704	4,136,887	4 17 0
1882	583,868	4,194,346	7 3 8	1892	846,383	3,584,490	4 4 8
1883	660,227	3,304,891	5 0 1	1893	1,010,727	3,961,367	3 18 5
1884	702,131	3,806,182	5 8 5	1894	1,206,992	3,861,771	3 4 0
1885	735,021	2,836,697	3 17 2	1895	1,325,964	3,395,571	2 11 3
1886	737,701	3,375,882	4 11 6	1896	1,348,600	4,066,946	3 0 4
1887	837,468	3,943,645	4 14 2	1897	1,659,717	5,321,569	3 4 2
1888	855,627	4,151,692	4 17 1	1898	1,821,829	6,205,953	3 8 1
1889	798,966	3,298,759	4 2 7	1899	2,206,500	4,827,700	2 3 9

No. 3.—Total Area in Cultivation, and Average per Inhabitant, for each Year, 1880–99.

Year ended 31st March—	Area in cultivation, including sown grass-lands.		Year ended 31st March—	Area in cultivation, including sown grass-lands.	
	Total.	Average per inhabitant.		Total.	Average per inhabitant.
	acres.	acres.		acres.	acres.
1880	635,641	0·9	1890	1,164,475	1·1
1881	710,337	0·9	1891	1,241,419	1·1
1882	645,068	0·8	1892	1,179,621	1·0
1883	733,582	0·9	1893	1,372,007	1·2
1884	789,082	0·9	1894	1,509,404	1·2
1885	852,017	0·9	1895	1,688,542	1·4
1886	868,093	0·9	1896	1,649,462	1·3
1887	975,471	1·0	1897	2,043,733	1·6
1888	1,048,305	1·0	1898	2,198,231	1·7
1889	999,298	1·0	1899	2,555,329	1·9

No. 4.—Area under, Production of, and Average Yield per

Crops.	Coastal Division.			Table-land Division.		
	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre. *	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre. *
	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.
Grain Crops.						
Wheat	14,237	173,977	12·2	323,473	3,173,495	9·8
Maize	137,141	5,184,845	37·8	45,457	766,056	16·9
Barley	1,249	22,594	18·1	2,533	33,857	13·4
Oats	517	8,384	16·2	13,775	223,044	16·2
Rye	300	4,839	16·1	1,633	18,646	11·4
Millet	590	10,591	18·0	37	511	13·8
Hay Crops.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
Wheat	4,037	4,843	1·2	64,622	47,312	0·7
Barley	274	410	1·5	764	751	1·0
Oats	19,703	19,797	1·0	69,824	44,571	0·6
Lucerne	13,964	50,004	3·6	13,079	22,735	1·7
Green Crops.						
Maize	8,250	.....	.....	11,902	.....	.....
Barley	2,346	.....	.....	607	.....	.....
Oats	9,085	.....	.....	1,066	.....	.....
Rye	347	.....	.....	872	.....	.....
Millet	1,039	.....	.....	551	.....	.....
Lucerne	3,080	.....	.....	10,630	.....	.....
Sorghum	9,596	.....	.....	655	.....	.....
Root Crops.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
Potatoes	5,810	13,821	2·4	21,647	47,330	2·2
Onions	171	642	3·8	88	238	2·7
Turnips	196	960	4·9	323	1,496	4·6
Mangold-wurzel	33	158	4·8	25	133	5·3
Miscellaneous Crops.		cwt.	cwt.		cwt.	cwt.
Tobacco	8	56	7·0	1,283	12,154	9·5
		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
Sugar-cane—Cut this year	14,577	289,204	19·8	.....	.....	.....
Sugar-cane—Not cut	10,178	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
		gallons.	gallons.		gallons.	gallons.
Grape-vines—For wine-making	1,901	500,168	263	737	107,013	145
		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
Grape-vines—For table use	1,765	3,251	1·8	413	595	1·4
Grape-vines—Not bearing	595	.....	.....	141	.....	.....
		cases.	cases.		cases.	cases.
Orangeries—Productive	8,189	492,240	60	2,215	159,748	72
Orangeries—Not bearing	2,329	.....	.....	1,542	.....	.....
		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
Other Fruit Orchards—Productive	15,557	112,092	7 4	7,221	34,346	4 15
Other Fruit Orchards—Not bearing	4,141	.....	.....	2,113	.....	.....
Market and Kitchen Gardens	4,819	128,614	26 14	1,420	25,249	17 16
Minor Crops.		bushels.	bushels.		bushels.	bushels.
Green Peas	282	11,995	42·5	112	3,346	29·9
Peas and Beans (Dry)	204	4,592	22·5	38	585	15·4
		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
Pumpkins and Melons	2,987	10,957	3·7	1,911	6,389	3·3
		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
All other Crops	679	17,079	26 3	294	1,757	6 0
Total Area under Crops	300,176	.....	.....	603,004	.....	.....

* Land under crops which have failed is reckoned in the

† The actu l area of land cultivated, as given in Table No. 1, is 2,204,500 acres, the difference of 2,000 acres being 1,008 acres ; and in the Western

Acre of Principal Crops, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Western Slopes and Riverina Division.			Western Division.			New South Wales.		
Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre. *	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre. *	Area.	Production.	Average Yield per Acre. *
acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.
972,165	5,914,440	6·1	9,628	24,304	2·5	1,319,503	9,276,216	7·0
10,685	113,886	10·7	3	55	18·3	193,286	6,064,842	31·4
669	7,639	11·4	8	4	0·5	4,459	64,094	14·4
5,470	45,754	8·4	112	825	7·4	19,874	278,007	14·0
89	608	6·8	.....	.....	.....	2,022	24,093	11·9
54	142	2·6	.....	.....	.....	681	11,244	16·5
	tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
223,558	118,585	0·5	20,234	6,262	0·3	312,451	177,002	0·6
396	444	1·1	4	.....	.....	1,438	1,605	1·1
25,460	14,535	0·6	160	108	0·7	115,147	79,011	0·7
5,613	3,797	0·7	92	143	1·6	32,748	76,679	2·3
5,156	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	25,325	.....	.....
211	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,164	.....	.....
132	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,283	.....	.....
73	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	1,294	.....	.....
1,006	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,596	.....	.....
13,172	.....	.....	135	.....	.....	27,017	.....	.....
369	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	10,628	.....	.....
	tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
520	739	1·4	1	10	10·0	27,978	61,900	2·2
72	139	1·9	.....	.....	.....	331	1,019	3·1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	519	2,456	4·7
10	1	0·1	.....	.....	.....	68	292	4·3
	cwt.	cwt.		cwt.	cwt.		cwt.	cwt.
114	496	4·4	.....	.....	.....	1,405	12,706	9·0
	tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
1	2	2·0	.....	.....	.....	14,578	289,206	19·8
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,181	.....	.....
	gallons.	gallons.		gallons.	gallons.		gallons.	gallons.
1,923	237,541	124	12	510	43	4,573	845,232	185
	tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
397	391	1·0	26	27	1·0	2,601	4,264	1·6
161	.....	.....	7	.....	.....	904	.....	.....
	cases.	cases.		cases.	cases.		cases.	cases.
72	775	11	11	505	46	10,487	653,268	62
22	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	3,902	.....	.....
	£	£ s.		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
1,745	11,615	6 13	41	625	15 5	24,564	158,678	6 9
810	.....	.....	110	.....	.....	7,174	.....	.....
613	15,189	24 16	174	6,269	36 0	7,026	175,321	24 19
	bushels.	bushels.		bushels.	bushels.		bushels.	bushels.
30	607	20·2	.....	.....	.....	424	15,948	37·6
10	137	13·7	.....	.....	.....	252	5,314	21·1
	tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.		tons.	tons.
280	485	1·7	39	113	2·9	5,217	17,944	3·4
	£	£ s.		£	£ s.		£	£ s.
1,410	6,972	4 19	17	120	7 1	2,400	25,928	10 16
1,272,470	.....	.....	30,850	.....	.....	2,206,500†	.....	.....

average. The instances of total failure are, however, rare.

the area double-cropped, distributed as follows:—In the Coastal Division, 961 acres; in the Table-land Division, Slopes Division, 31 acres.

No. 5.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops, in the Counties

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.		
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.
A.—Coastal Division.							
1.—North Coast.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Rous	2	.....	12,687	1,083	1	.....	320
Richmond	.....	.....	4,560	38	.....	.....	39
Clarence	.....	.....	23,397	86	1	2	61
Fitzroy	2	4	4,469	154	1	1	8
Raleigh	3	2	11,152	24	.....	2	12
Dudley	.....	5	12,106	102	.....	1	106
Macquarie	491	52	22,935	60	172	2	103
Total	498	63	91,306	1,547	175	8	649
2.—Lower Hunter.							
Gloucester	1,796	23	9,532	155	87	5	58
Durham	5,002	435	6,937	458	252	25	353
Northumberland	4,521	519	9,256	353	346	27	262
Total	11,319	977	25,725	966	685	57	673
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	.....	3	8	123	.....	1	8
Ryde	.....	.....	30	42	.....	3	14
Parramatta	3	15	.....	132	2	38	29
Liverpool	4	19	50	303	5	14	37
Camden (*part of*)	19	75	179	37	11	.....	19
Campbelltown	.....	25	113	214	1	6	46
Wollongong (*part of*)	.....	.....	10	20	.....	.....	2
Windsor (*part of*)	185	941	2,591	162	34	19	114
Penrith (*part of*)	46	67	2,047	160	23	42	101
Total	257	1,145	5,028	1,193	76	123	370
4.—South Coast.							
Camden	288	287	4,165	3,171	270	34	495
St. Vincent	1,703	1,360	4,387	411	22	19	84
Dampier	15	102	2,974	408	7	5	16
Auckland	157	103	3,556	554	14	28	59
Total	2,163	1,852	15,082	4,544	313	86	654
Total, Coastal Division	14,237	4,037	137,141	8,250	1,249	274	2,346
B.—Table land Division.							
5.—Northern Table-land.							
Buller	94	10	288	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clive	2,855	191	2,644	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arrawatta	8,498	491	1,334	44	6	1	3
Gough	7,447	2,425	5,003	32	10	7	18
Drake	.....	.....	311	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gresham	4	5	126	.....	.....	.....	1
Clarke	205	78	200	7	.....	.....	.....
Hardinge	1,549	853	890	4	1	10	14
Murchison	7,729	2,342	1,240	854	5	3	10
Darling	22,061	1,450	425	544	26	19	10
Inglis	8,183	489	116	472	294	2	8
Sandon	4,957	1,858	1,235	1,571	4	2	4
Vernon	1,190	145	327	48	6	10	8
Hawes	.....	.....	138	23	.....	.....	.....
Parry	16,070	1,384	630	735	301	178	10
Buckland	17,093	1,481	686	48	325	5	24
Total	97,935	13,202	15,593	4,382	978	237	110

Note.—For production,

of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.		Sorghum for Green Food.
Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
2	210	1,143	32	74	6	28	10	36	1,020
1	106	111	.....	2	5	.....	4	12	48
13	343	310	5	2	.....	15	67	258	66
1	88	34	1	3	.....	.....	6	5	40
.....	54	83	1	3	.....	1	3	11	40
.....	90	133	.....	3	.....	48	50	150	97
24	373	318	2	.....	65	21	17	66	286
41	1,264	2,132	41	87	76	113	157	538	1,597
50	433	229	3	.....	48	148	141	91	247
17	524	384	4	9	342	167	6,667	726	359
134	718	277	7	10	107	258	5,847	1,173	633
201	1,675	890	14	19	497	573	12,655	1,990	1,239
.....	50	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	37
.....	88	21	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	13	45
.....	473	44	.....	.....	.....	3	7	14	109
1	1,026	85	.....	3	.....	.....	4	8	58
14	562	10	3	4	.....	.....	10	2	38
2	1,225	56	2	11	.....	.....	7	13	338
.....	40	14	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	44
.....	514	66	36	4	.....	16	512	63	118
.....	2,860	74	.....	16	8	3	151	95	174
17	6,838	376	42	38	8	23	692	210	961
126	6,537	4,490	173	107	.....	235	372	254	4,477
78	1,584	465	15	43	.....	5	59	22	960
28	703	123	3	5	8	80	9	10	90
26	1,102	609	12	48	1	10	20	56	272
258	9,926	5,687	203	203	9	330	460	342	5,799
517	19,703	9,085	300	347	590	1,039	13,964	3,080	9,596
1	57	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	30	16	.....
19	692	2	1	11	.....	2	10	.....	.....
15	50	3	3	.....	.....	.....	365	109	21
1,751	6,305	36	2	3	.....	17	258	227	74
.....	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	4	.....
.....	13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
394	367	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
714	1,638	3	8	41	.....	.....	39	28	10
.....	123	5	1	.....	.....	22	166	129	25
.....	8	.....	.....	.....	6	21	245	49	17
45	83	20	.....	.....	.....	18	296	10	3
668	7,002	304	16	18	.....	2	9	14	1
561	1,002	.....	9	3	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
1	22	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	1	1	3
.....	49	.....	.....	.....	5	6	1,849	37	14
2	68	.....	1	12	10	39	428	123	41
4,171	17,533	373	45	92	21	127	3,700	758	209

see page 490.

No. 5.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops in the Counties

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.		
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*							
6.—Central Table-land.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Brisbane	8,619	619	710	627	376	42	29
Bligh	9,646	706	1,657	168	78	20	21
Phillip	13,181	671	4,212	96	55	30	25
Wellington	16,773	2,868	2,998	500	121	79	80
Roxburgh	12,436	4,844	1,639	160	18	24	17
Hunter	1,144	70	2,349	64	52	1	25
Cook	276	215	3,334	230	14	14	60
Westmoreland	2,314	427	1,495	375	103	22	17
Georgiana	2,579	574	118	194	19	43	6
Bathurst...	58,468	19,499	3,530	1,769	166	37	41
Total	125,436	30,493	22,042	4,183	1,002	312	321
7.—Southern Table-land.							
Monteagle	51,375	9,099	448	465	8	23	9
King	10,160	1,512	807	505	108	32	8
Argyle	6,109	1,579	597	766	146	48	86
Murray	7,452	1,616	321	874	108	54	22
Beresford	826	326	7	26	17	15	8
Cowley	563	114	218	17	3	.....	2
Buccleuch	4,076	280	2,678	144	13	5	3
Wynyard	16,977	5,843	2,442	530	98	8	11
Selwyn	446	48	304	5	14	6	3
Wallace	1,064	100	.....	1	18	7	3
Wellesley	1,054	410	.....	4	20	17	21
Total	100,102	20,927	7,822	3,337	553	215	176
Total, Table-land Division... ...	323,473	64,622	45,457	11,902	2,533	764	607
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.							
8.—North-western Slope.							
Stapylton	.....	77	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
Burnett	3,152	226	48	390	.....	2	.....
Courallie	36	346	.....	22	.....	.....	.....
Benarba	.....	42	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denham	.....	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamison	346	403	.....	.....	.....	.....	1
Nandewar	3,516	1,546	85	331	.....	.....	15
Pottinger	6,368	1,901	192	126	8	9	23
White	33	365	23	.....	.....	3	2
Baradine	583	495	122	7	.....	.....	2
Leichhardt	243	1,145	.....	61	.....	.....	5
Total	14,277	6,630	470	941	8	14	48

Note.—For Production,

of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.		Sorghum for Green Food.
Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
.....	355	17	.....	1	1	8	1,492	613	52
43	203	.....	5	6	.....	4	306	274	6
67	615	3	29	27	.....	6	1,232	551	34
249	2,125	33	29	37	4	78	1,409	264	77
277	3,981	152	123	25	.....	22	203	466	15
.....	31	14	.....	.....	.....	2	198	67	21
100	1,918	44	18	26	.....	5	506	33	88
2,444	4,317	56	207	21	.....	6	93	3	5
452	2,677	20	113	99	.....	8	42	20	.....
2,696	12,899	57	507	202	6	229	1,359	1,969	71
6,328	29,121	396	1,031	444	11	368	6,840	4,260	369
82	1,891	74	7	22	.....	1	365	4,150	23
394	3,382	35	83	65	2	34	187	70	1
594	5,898	29	138	62	1	6	139	90	10
334	3,265	37	125	97	.....	.....	69	64	7
76	1,540	95	50	2	.....	1	1,325	457	9
7	142	.....	1	37	.....	.....	4	120	.....
80	375	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	5	.....
475	2,146	15	28	2	.....	2	105	316	20
512	1,027	.....	30	28	.....	.....	.....	21	3
549	1,731	12	41	15	.....	.....	245	300	3
173	1,773	.....	54	6	2	12	97	19	1
3,276	23,170	297	557	336	5	56	2,539	5,612	77
13,775	69,824	1,066	1,633	872	37	551	13,079	10,630	655
.....	27	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....
.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	38	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....
.....	5	46	.....	.....	.....	83	253	3	3
10	60	2	.....	4	3	3	329	57	.....
.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
.....	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	6	3	1
.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	42	5	.....
10	227	48	.....	4	3	93	743	106	15

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No. 5.—Area under Grain, Hay, and Green Crops in the Counties

Counties.	Wheat.		Maize.		Barley.		
	Grain.	Hay.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*contd.*							
9.—Central-western Slope.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Napier	753	317	365	.....	1	.....	.....
Gowen	2,238	1,619	837	124	7	6	4
Ewenmar	2,532	2,674	36	109	.....	.....	.....
Oxley	569	1,661	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Narromine	14,035	8,450	.....	284	.....	.....	7
Lincoln	29,075	11,401	1,143	822	44	121	22
Gordon	31,322	3,359	2,665	95	64	45	25
Ashburnham	62,459	13,789	4,364	786	63	3	9
Kennedy	10,929	3,924	.....	91	50	.....	.....
Cunningham	20,068	5,387	.....	13	.....	.....	.....
Total	173,980	52,581	9,410	2,329	229	175	67
10.—South-western Slope.							
Gipps	6,976	5,677	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Forbes	27,391	10,063	379	491	30	40	24
Bland	53,042	10,361	.....	322	5	.....	6
Harden	50,701	9,910	354	564	47	21	26
Clarendon	60,968	11,447	72	420	48	76	20
Bourke	101,567	21,694	.....	35	4	5	.....
Mitchell	38,481	10,498	.....	19	2	.....	1
Hume	115,691	11,717	.....	.....	117	.....	.....
Goulburn	35,945	4,069	.....	7	53	22	8
Total	490,762	95,436	805	1,858	316	164	85
Total, Western Slopes	679,019	154,647	10,685	5,128	553	353	200
11.—Riverina.							
Dowling	541	1,691	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nicholson	15,364	7,938	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cooper	26,708	5,857	.....	.....	.....	14	.....
Sturt	3,829	1,752	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	1,024	4,279	.....	28	.....	5	11
Boyd	6,476	1,781	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Urana	38,135	11,756	.....	.....	8	10	.....
Denison	144,325	14,696	.....	.....	100	.....	.....
Townsend	20,845	10,882	.....	.....	4	14	.....
Wakool	4,828	4,343	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cadell	31,071	3,936	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Total	293,146	68,911	.....	28	116	43	11
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	972,165	223,558	10,685	5,156	669	396	211
D.—Western Division.							
12.—Western Plains.							
East of Darling	9,184	14,880	.....	4	.....	4	.....
West of Darling	444	5,354	3	13	8	.....	.....
Total	9,628	20,234	3	17	8	4	.....
Total, New South Wales	1,319,503	312,451	193,286	25,325	4,459	1,438	3,164

Note.—For Production,

of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Oats.			Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.		Sorghum for Green Food.
Grain.	Hay.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Grain.	Green Food.	Hay.	Green Food.	
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
.....	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	113	.....	.....
1	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	103	18	5
.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	7	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	40	.....
.....	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	18	645	.....
.....	102	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	433	1,180	37
1	144	.....	17	23	31	26	418	1,067	29
161	1,433	22	7	6	16	86	715	2,407	7
30	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
127	77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	45	30
320	1,845	22	26	29	47	158	1,988	5,409	108
57	56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	343	450	.....
164	229	.....	8	10	.....	.....	115	335	.....
494	3,142	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	290	14
484	5,085	10	5	27	.....	4	44	94	30
1,310	5,619	50	.....	3	4	.....	343	2,249	42
565	2,181	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	10
130	920	2	2	.....	.....	1	.....	1,343	8
791	2,315	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	1,497	8
390	2,115	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	60
4,385	21,662	62	61	40	4	5	955	6,568	172
4,715	23,734	132	87	73	54	256	3,686	12,083	295
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	48
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	3	15
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	510	.....	.....
83	1,314	.....	2	.....	.....	750	500	32	.....
619	344	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	28	5
35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	520	.....
.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	236	5
755	1,726	.....	2	.....	.....	750	1,927	1,089	74
5,470	25,460	132	89	73	54	1,006	5,613	13,172	369
112	130	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	53	68	8
.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	67	.....
112	160	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	92	135	8
19,874	115,147	10,283	2,022	1,294	681	2,596	32,748	27,017	10,628

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No. 6.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor Crops, in the

Counties.	Root Crops.				Miscellaneous		
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangold-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	
						Cut this year.	Not cut.
A.—Coastal Division.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1.—North Coast.							
Rous	228	5	4	1	.....	9,000	5,957
Richmond	68	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,275	1,000
Clarence	790	3	3	.....	1	4,286	3,196
Fitzroy	199	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raleigh	55	1	4	.....	.....	16	23
Dudley	110	5	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Macquarie	136	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1,586	15	19	1	1	14,577	10,176
2.—Lower Hunter.							
Gloucester	96	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Durham	1,023	101	26	.....	2	.....	.....
Northumberland	481	37	18	8	5	.....	2
Total	1,600	140	44	8	7	.....	2
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ryde	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parramatta	17	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Liverpool	27	1	11	5	.....	.....	.....
Camden (*part of*)	2	1	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Campbelltown	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wollongong (*part of*)	24	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Windsor (*part of*)	561	.....	24	2	.....	.....	.....
Penrith (*part of*)	12	4	12	10	.....	.....	.....
Total	658	6	52	17	.....	.....	.....
4.—South Coast.							
Camden	998	1	74	5	.....	.....	.....
St. Vincent	452	4	5	1	.....	.....	.....
Dampier	228	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Auckland	288	4	2	1	.....	.....	.....
Total	1,966	10	81	7	.....	.....	.....
Total, Coastal Division	5,810	171	196	33	8	14,577	10,178
B.—Table-land Division.							
5.—Northern Table-land.							
Buller	58	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clive	299	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Arrawatta	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gough	835	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	.....
Drake	2	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....
Gresham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarke	554	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hardinge	1,086	.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....
Murchison	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Darling	35	2	1	.....	11	.....	.....
Inglis	93	1	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
Sandon	2,288	3	26	6	.....	.....	.....
Vernon	396	4	14	2	.....	.....	.....
Hawes	12	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Parry	79	2	2	.....	111	.....	.....
Buckland	57	5	1	.....	7	.....	.....
Total	5,869	17	100	9	150	.....	.....

Note.—For Production,

Counties of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Crops.								Minor Crops.			
Grape-vines.			Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
For wine-making.	For table use.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing					
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
3	11	1	19	.....	217	66	116	3	2	128	49
27	19	4	.....	.....	3	6	48	...	...	12	...
14	16	1	12	.....	33	8	157	4	5	159	32
2	1	.....	.....	.....	13	.....	4	1	2	7	...
5	3	1	4	.....	35	7	23	...	...	48	3
5	6	2	12	1	33	7	33	...	1	21	44
40	19	2	4	5	55	24	64	4	2	139	2
96	75	11	51	6	389	118	445	12	12	514	130
67	12	6	44	6	187	66	109	2	...	43	2
250	79	26	114	51	326	54	58	70	47	738	20
1,137	277	341	329	216	1,324	341	701	14	20	451	101
1,454	368	373	487	273	1,837	461	868	86	67	1,232	123
.....	19	.....	481	130	810	257	2,443	27	...	11	67
9	315	19	1,779	615	3,714	647	89	31	1	12	30
60	142	14	4,004	801	3,426	439	194	16	2	13	62
8	431	59	14	6	973	426	216	16	1	13	45
2	21	1	3	6	97	76	7	3	1	2	...
105	83	37	.....	4	208	176	28	6	2	9	6
3	2	.....	.....	.....	43	15	14	...	...	.....	1
5	80	28	1,110	343	1,129	205	25	2	6	364	123
145	164	48	191	90	1,117	477	99	21	2	467	15
337	1,257	206	7,582	1,995	11,517	2,718	3,115	122	15	891	349
4	41	4	56	55	1,488	749	268	48	40	94	73
3	14	.....	6	.....	195	33	61	1	...	108	...
.....	1	.....	4	.....	24	5	6	1	1	19	...
7	9	1	3	.....	107	57	56	12	69	129	4
14	65	5	69	55	1,814	844	391	62	110	350	77
1,901	1,765	595	8,189	2,329	15,557	4,141	4,819	282	204	2,987	679
2	1	.....	2	.....	25	.....	7	...	...	11	31
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	232	54	8	...	...	41	...
40	21	3	22	16	100	36	.....	...	3	10	...
74	19	10	9	4	196	42	17	3	...	83	10
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	...	...	1	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	...	...	.....	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	20	6	...	...	.....	...
40	1	1	1	1	64	17	7	...	...	25	2
3	11	.....	2	.....	53	10	21	...	...	56	2
.....	2	.....	.....	.....	34	5	1	1	2	24	...
67	11	.....	.....	.....	84	6	17	...	...	38	10
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	517	84	32	2	1	11	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	9	3	1	3	1	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	...	...	4	1
2	7	.....	.....	.....	100	14	108	...	2	114	3
8	18	2	1	.....	87	8	7	1	1	37	9
236	91	16	37	21	1,501	305	240	8	12	456	68

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No. 6.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor Crops, in the

Counties	Root Crops.				Miscellaneous		
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangold-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	
						Cut this Year.	Not Cut.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*							
6.—Central Table-land.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Brisbane	114	3	10	.....	6	.....	.....
Bligh	9	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Phillip	81	1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wellington	719	8	5	1	27	.....	.....
Roxburgh	513	5	4	1	112	.....	.....
Hunter	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cook	398	.....	34	.....	.....	.....	.....
Westmoreland	856	2	2	.....	.....	.....	.....
Georgiana	772	3	4	.....	31	.....	1
Bathurst	8,279	29	55	5	256	.....	.....
Total	11,753	52	117	7	432	.....	1
7.—Southern Table-land.							
Monteagle	6	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
King	1,217	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Argyle	1,449	8	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Murray	262	1	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Beresford	207	4	52	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cowley	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Buccleuch	54	.....	.....	.....	301	.....	.....
Wynyard	105	1	1	.....	400	.....	.....
Selwyn	205	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wallace	234	.....	41	2	.....	.....	.....
Wellesley	264	.....	10	4	.....	.....	.....
Total	4,025	19	106	9	701	.....	.....
Total, Table-land Division	21,647	88	323	25	1,283	.....	1
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.							
8.—North-western Slope.							
Stapylton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burnett	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Courallie	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Benarba	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamison	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nandewar	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pottinger	24	4	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
White	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Baradine	17	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Leichhardt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	75	6	.....	.....	6	1	.....

Note.—For Production,

Counties of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Crops.								Minor Crops.			
Grape Vines.			Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
For Wine-making.	For Table Use.	Not Bearing.	Productive.	Not Bearing.	Productive.	Not Bearing.					
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
110	22	3	1	8	141	40	39	1	...	673	19
.....	14	.....	1	14	38	12	6	...	...	33	...
98	82	60	.....	.....	188	27	89	1	...	104	1
33	72	6	2	6	502	28	109	17	...	69	1
.....	9	4	1	1	246	85	89	6	...	11	8
6	47	13	92	37	227	17	3	...	2	67	1
46	11	.....	2,077	1,437	1,254	696	101	10	6	180	29
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	11	89	6	...	86	2
1	2	.....	.....	.....	89	22	13	1	...	3	5
20	10	14	3	10	645	176	268	43	2	122	108
314	269	100	2,177	1,513	3,367	1,114	806	85	10	1,348	174
105	26	6	.....	.....	549	127	27	...	6	19	...
4	.....	.....	1	.....	393	147	13	5	...	14	...
.....	10	2	.....	8	969	293	126	4	...	35	2
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	33	29	...	1	1	1
5	2	.....	.....	.....	66	11	13	...	1	1	6
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	...	...	.....	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	6	19	...	1	16	...
73	14	17	.....	.....	162	69	110	...	2	12	...
.....	1	.....	.....	.....	45	4	6	...	...	9	13
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	4	17	2	2	.....	8
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	13	8	3	.....	22
187	53	25	1	8	2,353	694	374	19	16	107	52
737	413	141	2,215	1,542	7,221	2,113	1,420	112	38	1,911	294
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...
.....	2	.....	.....	.....	3	2	6	...	...	11	1
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	...	...	.....	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...
.....	6	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	8	...	...	.....	...
5	7	25	.....	.....	32	36	27	2	...	11	9
.....	8	1	.....	.....	62	17	19	1	...	18	2
.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2	.....	.....	1	...	2	...
4	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	.....	25	...	...	4	...
.....	4	.....	5	.....	4	2	15	...	...	3	...
9	27	26	6	.....	132	57	133	4	...	49	12

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No. 6.—Area under Root Crops, Miscellaneous and Minor Crops, in the

Counties.	Root Crops.				Miscellaneous		
	Potatoes.	Onions.	Turnips.	Mangold-wurzel.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	
						Cut this year.	Not cut.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*							
9.—Central-western Slope.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Napier	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gowen	35	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ewenmar	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oxley	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narromine	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lincoln	39	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gordon	46	13	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Ashburnham	205	32	.....	.....	70	.....	.....
Kennedy	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cunningham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	354	51	.....	.....	71	.....	.....
10.—South-western Slope.							
Gipps	5	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....
Forbes	8	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bland	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harden	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clarendon	8	4	.....	8	30	.....	.....
Bourke	4	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	2
Mitchell	3	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hume	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goulburn	30	4	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Total	81	12	.....	10	37	.....	2
Total, Western Slopes	510	69	.....	10	114	1	2
11.—Riverina.							
Dowling	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nicholson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cooper	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sturt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Boyd	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Urana	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denison	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Townsend	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wakool	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cadell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	10	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	520	72	.....	10	114	1	2
D.—Western Division.							
12.—Western Plains.							
East of Darling	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West of Darling	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, New South Wales	27,978	331	519	68	1,405	14,578	10,181

Note.—For Production,

Counties of each Division, during the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Crops.								Minor Crops.			
Grape-vines.			Orangeries.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.	Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
For Wine-making.	For table use.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.	Productive.	Not bearing.					
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	2	8	...	...	...	...
2	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	4	14	...	...	19	3
.....	2	.....	1	.....	15	1	4	...	3	...	...
.....	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	2	...	...	...	...
5	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	8	5	...	...	8	...
16	54	18	8	.....	176	52	19	...	...	35	1
33	5	3	.....	.....	150	254	2	...	...	67	80
29	58	25	8	4	282	62	83	...	...	18	5
.....	4	1	.....	3	21	2	.....	...	...	6	...
5	1	1	.....	.....	26	5	8	1	1	8	...
90	125	48	17	7	734	390	145	1	4	161	89
.....	.....	.....	.....	3	9	2	.....	...	...	...	...
18	5	6	1	4	16	69	18	1	...	3	3
6	8	.....	.....	.....	56	27	13	...	...	1	...
10	13	9	1	.....	159	37	35	...	...	6	...
32	82	14	35	1	118	100	58	2	...	23	3
12	45	5	.....	1	59	9	6	20	...	13	10
2	1	.....	.....	3	28	9	9	...	...	4	...
1,334	51	52	1	.....	116	46	29	...	...	1	1,240
392	15	1	.....	1	209	19	67	2	2	10	1
1,806	220	87	38	13	770	318	235	25	2	61	1,257
1,905	372	161	61	20	1,636	765	513	30	6	271	1,358
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	...	...	...	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	25	...	...	...	...
.....	1	.....	.....	1	6	12	12	...	...	4	...
.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	...	...	...	...
.....	1	.....	1	.....	4	10	28	...	...	2	...
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	...	...	...	...
3	7	.....	1	1	2	1	17	...	4	2	...
15	8	.....	2	.....	40	12	4	...	...	...	50
.....	4	.....	3	.....	39	.....	3	...	...	...	2
.....	.....	.....	3	.....	2	.....	2	...	...	...	...
.....	3	.....	1	.....	10	10	2	...	...	1	...
18	25	.....	11	2	109	45	100	...	4	9	52
1,923	397	161	72	22	1,745	810	613	30	10	280	1,410
10	14	.....	9	9	37	14	85	...	...	3	3
2	12	7	2	.....	4	96	89	...	...	36	14
12	26	7	11	9	41	110	174	...	...	39	17
4,573	2,601	904	10,487	3,902	24,564	7,174	7,026	424	252	5,217	2,400

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No. 7.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and Hay Crops

Counties.	Wheat.					Maize.	
	Grain.		Straw.	Hay.			
	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre
A.—Coastal Division.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.
1.—North Coast.							
Rous	30	15·0	.....	.....	...	393,334	31·0
Richmond	.....	...	.....	.....	...	155,587	34·1
Clarence	.....	...	.....	.....	...	1,092,728	46·7
Fitzroy	40	20·0	.....	13	3·3	161,185	36·1
Raleigh	30	10·0	.....	4	2·0	485,346	43·5
Dudley	.....	...	.....	24	4·8	598,162	49·4
Macquarie	5,383	11·0	151	53	1·0	959,209	41·8
Total	5,483	11·0	151	94	1·5	3,845,551	42·1
2.—Lower Hunter.							
Gloucester	20,511	11·4	170	11	0·5	338,462	35·5
Durham	62,879	12·6	349	624	1·4	166,715	24·0
Northumberland	51,026	11·3	572	691	1·3	214,437	23·2
Total	134,416	11·9	1,091	1,326	1·4	719,614	28·0
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)							
Metropolitan	.....	...	.....	1	0·3	240	30·0
Ryde	.....	...	.....	.....	...	775	25·7
Parramatta	.....	...	.....	19	1·3	.....	...
Liverpool	62	15·5	.....	11	0·6	355	7·1
Camden (*part of*)	346	18·2	6	72	1·0	4,475	25·0
Campbelltown	.....	...	.....	29	1·2	1,135	10·0
Wollongong (*part of*)	.....	...	.....	.....	...	35	3·5
Windsor (*part of*)	2,882	15·6	126	1,450	1·5	105,001	40·5
Penrith (*part of*)	501	10·9	.....	84	1·3	41,431	20·2
Total	3,791	14·8	132	1,666	1·5	153,447	30·5
4.—South Coast.							
Camden	4,620	16·0	117	319	1·1	84,489	20·3
St. Vincent	22,498	13·2	426	1,180	0·9	129,081	29·4
Dampier	288	19·2	.....	115	1·1	105,455	35·5
Auckland	2,881	18·4	52	143	1·4	147,208	41·4
Total	30,287	14·0	595	1,757	1·0	466,233	30·9
Total, Coastal Division	173,977	12·2	1,969	4,843	1·2	5,184,845	37·8
B.—Table-land Division.							
5.—Northern Table-land.							
Buller	1,261	13·4	.....	8	0·8	8,899	30·9
Clive	29,082	10·2	565	186	1·0	50,666	19·2
Arrawatta	76,980	9·1	40	298	0·6	9,792	7·3
Gough	52,747	7·1	212	1,277	0·5	48,566	9·7
Drake	.....	...	.....	.....	...	12,647	40·7
Gresham	40	10·0	.....	10	2·0	4,040	32·1
Clarke	1,504	7·3	39	48	0·6	11,755	58·8
Hardinge	13,714	8·9	348	448	0·5	13,277	14·9
Murchison	65,847	8·5	16	1,098	0·5	12,400	10·0
Darling	181,421	8·2	4	1,576	1·1	5,943	14·0
Inglis	83,070	10·2	76	306	0·6	1,605	13·8
Sandon	45,749	9·2	933	794	0·4	19,381	15·7
Vernon	16,231	14·5	768	90	0·6	3,260	9·7
Hawes	.....	...	.....	.....	...	2,070	15·0
Parry	216,798	13·5	152	1,552	0·4	3,618	5·7
Buckland	178,364	10·4	25	1,738	1·2	8,010	11·7
Total	962,808	9·8	3,178	9,429	0·7	215,929	13·8

in the Counties of each Division, for the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Barley.				Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.	
Grain.		Hay.		Grain.		Hay.						Hay.	
Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Average Yield per acre	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total Yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.
bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
10	10·0	...	...	40	20·0	280	1·3	670	20·9	20	3·3	20	2·0
...	...	...	...	10	10·0	152	1·4	...	...	20	4·0	4	1·0
10	10·0	4	2·0	114	8·8	520	1·5	60	12·0	...	...	262	3·9
10	10·0	...	...	.....	...	120	1·4	28	28·0	...	...	6	1·0
...	...	7	3·5	.....	...	104	1·9	8	8·0	...	...	14	4·7
...	...	...	...	.....	...	238	2·6	...	...	...	...	162	3·2
2,434	14·1	4	2·0	416	17·3	362	1·0	30	15·0	1,965	30·2	46	2·7
2,464	14·1	15	1·9	580	14·2	1,776	1·4	796	19·4	2,005	26·4	514	3·2
1,356	15·6	8	1·6	545	10·1	475	1·1	30	10·0	576	12·0	409	2·9
4,593	18·2	29	1·2	105	6·2	597	1·1	83	20·8	5,701	16·7	26,749	4·0
5,898	17·1	35	1·3	1,650	12·3	967	1·4	82	11·7	1,947	18·2	19,788	3·4
11,847	17·3	72	1·3	2,300	11·4	2,039	1·2	195	13·9	8,224	16·6	46,946	3·7
...	...	1	1·0	.....	...	70	1·4	...	...	...	...	4	4·0
...	...	5	1·7	.....	...	133	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
20	10·0	12	0·3	.....	...	490	1·0	...	...	...	...	31	4·4
14	2·8	51	3·6	10	10·0	967	0·9	...	...	...	...	8	2·0
110	10·0	...	...	160	11·4	458	0·8	12	4·0	...	...	17	1·7
8	8·0	9	1·5	35	17·5	1,246	1·0	18	9·0	...	...	4	0·6
...	...	...	...	.....	...	65	1·6	15	15·0	...	...	...	...
745	21·9	7	0·4	.....	...	846	1·6	462	12·8	...	...	1,344	2·6
720	31·3	106	2·5	.....	...	2,440	1·1	...	...	252	31·5	315	2·1
1,617	21·3	191	1·6	205	12·1	6,715	1·0	507	12·1	252	31·5	1,723	2·5
5,883	21·8	29	0·9	1,798	14·3	6,011	0·9	2,884	16·7	...	...	558	1·5
250	11·4	39	2·1	1,291	16·6	1,454	0·9	172	11·5	...	...	220	3·7
180	25·7	6	1·2	570	20·4	793	1·1	55	18·3	80	10·0	3	0·3
353	25·2	58	2·1	1,640	63·1	1,009	0·9	230	19·2	30	30·0	40	2·0
6,666	21·3	132	1·5	5,299	20·5	9,267	0·9	3,341	16·5	110	12·2	821	1·8
22,594	18·1	410	1·5	8,384	16·2	19,797	1·0	4,839	16·1	10,591	18·0	50,004	3·6
...	...	...	...	10	10·0	68	1·2	50	12·5	...	...	69	2·3
...	...	...	...	310	16·3	414	0·6	25	25·0	...	...	16	1·6
44	7·3	1	1·0	292	19·5	19	0·4	36	12·0	...	...	64	0·2
280	28·0	3	0·4	38,389	21·9	4,082	0·7	27	13·5	...	...	238	0·9
...	...	..	...	.....	...	83	1·5	...	...	...	...	9	2·3
...	...	...	...	.....	...	20	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	8,480	21·5	275	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...
14	14·0	6	0·6	12,035	16·9	1,028	0·6	145	18·1	...	...	38	1·0
42	8·4	2	0·7	.....	...	118	1·0	15	15·0	...	...	111	0·7
214	8·2	17	0·9	.....	...	20	2·5	...	...	90	15·0	259	1·1
3,136	10·7	2	1·0	20	0·4	40	0·5	...	...	...	...	746	2·5
38	9·5	1	0·5	10,056	15·1	2,589	0·4	80	5·0	...	...	11	1·2
71	11·8	13	1·3	9,992	17·8	1,003	1·0	155	17·2	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	20	20·0	21	1·0	...	...	...	...	4	4·0
1,296	4·3	174	1·0	.....	...	52	1·1	...	...	50	10·0	5,430	2·9
5,185	16·0	2	0·4	.....	...	75	1·1	...	...	130	13·0	959	2·2
10,320	10·6	221	0·9	79,604	19·1	9,907	0·6	533	11·8	270	12·9	7,954	2·2

No. 7.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and Hay Crops

Counties.	Wheat.					Maize.	
	Grain.		Straw.	Hay.			
	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.	Total yield.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.
6.—Central Table-land.							
Brisbane	113,865	11·3	449	661	1·1	12,623	17·8
Bligh	158,049	16·4	182	948	1·3	16,443	9·9
Phillip	212,671	16·1	2,413	850	1·3	76,212	18·1
Wellington	292,561	17·4	6,064	3,775	1·3	35,533	11·9
Roxburgh	76,768	6·2	1,099	1,840	0·4	14,351	8·8
Hunter	15,596	13·6	39	62	0·9	49,546	21·1
Cook	3,785	13·7	15	267	1·2	104,526	31·4
Westmoreland	12,301	5·3	165	177	0·4	27,368	18·3
Georgiana	27,339	10·6	649	390	0·7	1,259	10·7
Bathurst	501,143	8·6	10,645	14,040	0·7	22,787	6·5
Total	1,414,078	11·3	21,720	23,010	0·8	360,648	16·4
7.—Southern Table-land.							
Monteagle	190,369	3·7	52	3,355	0·4	778	1·7
King	108,645	10·7	921	1,359	0·9	7,346	9·1
Argyle	76,299	12·5	1,943	1,312	0·8	7,474	12·5
Murray	75,052	10·1	1,380	1,172	0·7	3,141	9·8
Beresford	1,697	2·1	2	110	0·3	140	20·0
Cowley	6,535	11·6	21	117	1·0	8,720	40·0
Buccleuch	83,184	20·4	91	417	1·5	107,620	40·2
Wynyard	230,983	13·6	936	6,563	1·1	42,092	17·2
Selwyn	7,763	17·4	89	73	1·5	12,168	39·7
Wallace	8,000	7·5	.....	78	0·8	.....	...
Wellesley	8,082	7·7	106	317	0·8	.....	...
Total	796,609	8·0	5,541	14,873	0·7	189,479	24·2
Total, Table-land Division	3,173,495	9·8	30,439	47,312	0·7	766,056	16·9
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.							
8.—North-western Slope.							
Stapylton	.....	...	.....	29	0·4	.....	...
Burnett	13,208	4·2	2	80	0·4	96	2·0
Courallie	.....	...	.....	28	0·8	.....	...
Benarba	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Denham	.....	...	.....	32	0·4	.....	...
Jamison	1,600	4·6	.....	292	0·7	.....	...
Nandewar	19,830	5·6	36	1,164	0·8	340	4·0
Pottinger	47,832	7·5	73	1,553	0·8	1,075	5·6
White	191	5·8	4	184	0·5	345	15·0
Baradine	6,000	10·3	7	222	0·5	1,406	11·5
Leichhardt	1,400	5·8	.....	113	1·0	.....	...
Total	90,061	6·9	122	3,697	0·6	3,262	6·9

in the Counties of each Division, for the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Barley.				Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.	
Grain.		Hay.		Grain.		Hay.						Hay.	
Total Yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge Yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.
bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
5,583	14·9	62	1·5	.....	...	419	1·2	...	...	32	32·0	2,073	1·4
1,123	14·4	23	1·2	1,064	24·7	236	1·2	52	10·4	...	...	446	1·5
1,425	26·1	63	2·1	1,014	15·1	696	1·1	452	15·6	...	...	3,168	2·6
2,343	19·4	97	1·2	4,016	16·1	2,040	1·0	227	7·8	64	16·0	3,973	2·8
405	22·5	9	0·4	3,980	14·4	1,687	0·4	553	4·5	...	...	190	0·9
927	17·8	1	1·0	.....	...	34	1·1	...	...	...	...	379	1·9
270	19·3	13	0·9	1,752	17·5	1,571	0·8	260	14·4	...	...	1,403	2 8
1,285	12·3	14	0 6	28,360	11·6	1,520	0·4	2,414	11·7	...	...	26	0·3
208	11·0	39	0·9	6,955	15·4	1,912	0·7	1,536	13·6	...	...	39	0·9
1,509	9·1	28	0·8	39,014	14·5	7,074	0·6	5,751	11·3	70	11·7	1,272	0·9
15,078	15·1	349	1·1	86,155	13·6	17,189	0·6	11,245	10·9	166	15·1	12,969	1·9
33	4·1	16	0·7	407	5·0	971	0·5	35	5·0	...	...	279	0·8
1,654	15·3	27	0·8	6,971	17·7	2,793	0·8	1,060	12·8	9	4·5	91	0·5
1,957	13·4	41	0·9	9,441	15·9	4,267	0·8	1,796	13·0	4	4·0	41	0·3
1,857	17·2	59	1·1	4,342	13·0	2,126	0·7	1,213	9·7	...	...	54	0·8
53	3·0	3	0·2	220	2·9	420	0·3	526	10·5	...	...	915	0·7
100	33·3	...	...	170	24·3	135	1·0	27	27·0	...	...	5	1·3
335	25·8	3	0·6	2,589	32·4	571	1·5	...	...	...	...	12	4·0
1,613	16·5	11	1·4	10,611	22·3	2,483	1·2	256	9·1	...	...	174	1·7
322	23·0	6	1·0	11,979	23·4	1,399	1·4	454	15·1	...	...	...	...
244	13·6	8	1·1	8,410	15·3	1,330	0·8	841	20·5	...	...	226	0·9
291	14·6	7	0·4	2,145	12·4	980	0·6	660	12·2	62	31·0	15	0·2
8,459	15·3	181	0·8	57,285	17·5	17,475	0·8	6,868	12·3	75	15·0	1,812	0·7
33,857	13·4	751	1·0	223,044	16·2	44,571	0·6	18,646	11·4	511	13·8	22,735	1·7
...	...	...	...	.....	...	24	0·9	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	28	0·4	...	...	...	...	14	0·2
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	0·7
...	...	...	...	.....	...	2	0·4	...	...	...	...	226	0·9
224	28·0	5	0·6	.....	...	40	0·7	...	...	...	...	413	1·3
...	...	2	0·7	.....	...	2	0·7	...	...	...	...	7	1·8
...	...	...	...	.....	...	9	0·3	...	...	...	...	8	1·3
...	...	...	...	.....	...	4	0·5	...	...	...	...	8	0·2
224	28·0	7	0·5	.....	...	109	0·5	...	...	...	...	686	0·9

No. 7.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Grain and Hay Crops

Counties.	Wheat.					Maize.	
	Grain.		Straw.	Hay.			
	Total yield.	Average yield per acre.	Total yield.	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*							
9.—Central-western Slope.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.
Napier	9,839	13·1	22	255	0·8	5,474	15·0
Gowen	27,684	12·4	148	919	0·6	13,421	16·0
Ewenmar	25,011	9·9	200	1,902	0·7	435	12·1
Oxley	2,900	5·1	.....	652	0·4	.....	...
Narromine	187,062	13·3	249	9,298	1·1	.....	...
Lincoln	492,804	17·0	1,051	14,265	1·3	18,112	15·8
Gordon	529,037	16·9	666	3,786	1·1	17,775	6·7
Ashburnham	599,530	9·6	1,125	10,328	0·8	47,264	10·8
Kennedy	89,992	8·2	.....	2,537	0·7	.....	...
Cunningham	123,584	6·1	245	2,990	0·6	.....	...
Total	2,087,443	12·0	3,706	46,932	0·9	102,481	10·9
10.—South-western Slope.							
Gipps	30,281	4·3	.....	3,298	0·6	.....	...
Forbes	105,447	3·9	154	5,619	0·6	3,078	8·1
Bland	183,020	3·5	.....	2,939	0·3	.....	...
Harden	350,038	6·9	632	6,334	0·6	4,345	12·3
Clarendon	263,812	4·3	1,034	4,021	0·4	720	10·0
Bourke	249,976	2·5	86	5,147	0·2	.....	...
Mitchell	211,779	5·5	215	4,466	0·4	.....	...
Hume	1,083,727	9·4	657	9,060	0·8	.....	...
Goulburn	607,867	16·9	1,814	6,396	1·6	.....	...
Total	3,085,947	6·3	4,592	47,280	0·5	8,143	10·1
Total, Western Slopes	5,263,451	7·8	8,420	97,909	0·6	113,886	10·7
11.—Riverina.							
Dowling	2,735	5·1	10	577	0·3	.....	...
Nicholson	10,060	0·7	.....	602	0·1	.....	...
Cooper	23,822	0·9	4	786	0·1	.....	...
Sturt	814	0.2	.....	169	0·1	.....	...
Waradgery	600	0·6	10	909	0·2	.....	...
Boyd	1,860	0·3	.....	192	0·1	.....	...
Urana	73,716	1·9	.....	2,665	0·2	.....	...
Denison	285,287	2·0	.....	4,806	0·3	.....	...
Townsend	65,226	3·1	30	4,742	0·4	.....	...
Wakool	33,417	6·9	.....	2,379	0·5	.....	...
Cadell	143,452	4·6	23	2,849	0·7	.....	...
Total	640,989	2·2	77	20,676	0·3	.....	...
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	5,904,440	6·1	8,497	118,585	0·5	113,886	10·7
D.—Western Division.							
12.—Western Plains.							
East of Darling	23,433	2·6	15	4,715	0·3	.....	...
West of Darling	871	2·0	.....	1,547	0·3	55	18·3
Total	24,304	2·5	15	6,262	0·3	55	18·3
Total, New South Wales	9,276,216	7·0	40,920	177,002	0·6	6,064,842	31·4

in the Counties of each Division, for the Year ended 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Barley.				Oats.				Rye.		Millet.		Lucerne.	
Grain.		Hay.		Grain.		Hay.						Hay.	
Total yield.	Average yeld peri acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Average yield per acre	Total yield.	Av'ge yield per acre.
bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.	bush.	bush.	bush.	bush.	tons.	tons.
30	30·0	...	...	.....	...	44	1·4	...	...	...	...	73	0·7
35	5·0	7	1·2	12	12·0	21	0·5	...	...	...	...	109	1·1
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	0·6
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	34	0·4
...	...	...	...	.....	...	4	0·6	...	...	...	...	10	0·6
596	13·6	231	1·9	.....	...	54	0·5	...	...	...	...	458	1·1
1,076	16·8	60	1·3	24	24·0	184	1·3	214	12·6	104	3·4	984	2·4
941	14·9	2	0·7	2,875	17·9	1,285	0·9	51	7·3	30	1·9	646	0·9
300	6·0	...	...	260	8·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	554	4·4	34	0·4	...	...	...	...	80	1·0
2,978	13·0	300	1·7	3,725	11·6	1,626	0·9	265	10·2	134	2·9	2,405	1·2
130	13·0	...	...	698	12·2	41	0·7	...	...	...	...	134	0·4
121	40·0	25	0·6	905	5·5	127	0·6	12	1·5	...	...	105	0·9
37	7·4	...	...	2,588	5·2	847	0·3	200	5·0	...	...	...	...
677	14·4	17	0·8	4,635	9·6	3,063	0·6	23	4·6	...	...	39	0·9
298	6·2	33	0·4	4,425	3·4	1,936	0·3	...	...	8	2·0	310	0·9
20	5·0	2	0·4	2,720	4·8	735	0·3	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	5·0	...	...	1,678	12·9	518	0·6	...	...	...	...	...	...
2,184	18·7	...	...	13,225	16·7	1,906	0·8	...	...	...	...	110	1·0
894	16·9	44	2·0	9,441	24·2	3,416	1·6	98	16·3	...	...	...	...
4,371	13·8	121	0·7	40,315	9·2	12,589	0·6	333	5·6	8	2·0	698	0·7
7,573	13·7	428	1·2	44,040	9·3	14,324	0·6	598	6·9	142	2·6	3,789	1·0
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	60	3·3	2	0·1	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	2	0·4	.....	...	15	0·4	...	...	...	...	4	1·0
...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16	2·0	...	...	580	7·0	136	0·1	10	5·0	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	654	1·1	56	0·2	...	...	...	...	...	...
40	10·0	14	1·0	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	420	12·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10	2·5	...	...	.....	...	2	0·5	...	...	...	...	2	0·2
66	0·6	16	0·4	1,714	2·3	211	0·1	10	5·0	...	...	8	0·0
7,639	11·4	444	1·1	45,754	8·4	14,535	0·6	608	6·8	142	2·6	3,797	0·7
...	...	...	...	825	7·4	89	0·7	...	...	...	...	50	0·9
4	0·5	...	...	.....	...	19	0·6	...	...	...	...	93	2·4
4	0·5	...	...	825	7·4	108	0·7	...	...	...	...	143	1·6
64,094	14·4	1,605	1·1	278,007	14·0	79,011	0·7	24,093	11·9	11,244	16·5	76,679	2·3

No. 8.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Root and Miscellaneous Year ended

Counties.	Root Crops.								Miscellaneous			
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Sugar-cane.	
	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.
A.—Coastal Division.												
1.—North Coast.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.	tons.
Rous	693	3·0	19	3·8	14	3·5	2	2·0	...	...	176,494	19·6
Richmond	179	2·6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,234	24·5
Clarence	2,061	2·6	12	4·0	...	...	...	...	9	9·0	80,976	18·9
Fitzroy	556	2·8	...	...	5	1·3	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Raleigh	186	3·4	1	1·0	19	4·8	...	...	...	...	500	31·2
Dudley	333	3·0	5	1·0	8	2·7	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Macquarie	330	2·4	3	3·0	10	10·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total	4,338	2·7	40	2·7	56	3·0	2	2·0	9	9·0	289,204	19·8
2.—Lower Hunter.												
Gloucester	186	1·9	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Durham	2,153	2·1	445	4·4	136	5·2	...	...	14	7·0	.....	...
Northumberland	923	1·9	123	3·3	66	3·7	48	6·0	33	6·6	.....	...
Total	3,262	2·0	572	4·1	202	4·6	48	6·0	47	6·7	.....	...
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)												
Metropolitan	2	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Ryde	7	0·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Parramatta	39	2·3	...	...	6	6·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Liverpool	57	2·1	4	4·0	45	4·1	20	4·0	...	...	.....	...
Camden (*part of*)	7	3·5	1	1·0	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Campbelltown	3	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Wollongong (*part of*) ...	57	2·4	...	...	4	2·0	...	...	..	...	.....	...
Windsor (*part of*) ...	1,604	2·9	...	...	243	10·1	12	6·0	...	...	.....	...
Penrith (*part of*)	25	2·1	8	2·0	13	1·1	50	5·0	...	...	.....	...
Total	1,801	2·7	13	2·2	315	6·1	82	4·8	...	...	.....	...
4.—South Coast.												
Camden	2,303	2·3	1	1·0	366	4·9	24	4·8	...	...	.....	...
St. Vincent	897	2·0	7	1·8	19	3·8	1	1·0	...	...	.....	...
Dampier	501	2·2	3	3·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Auckland	719	2·5	6	1·5	2	1·0	1	1·0	...	...	.....	...
Total	4,420	2·3	17	1·7	387	4·8	26	3·7	...	...	.....	...
Total, Coastal Division	13,821	2·4	642	3·8	960	4·9	158	4·8	56	7·0	289,204	19·8
B.—Table-land Division.												
5.—Northern Table-land.												
Buller	141	2·4	...	...	3	3·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Clive	603	2·0	...	...	5	2·5	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Arrawatta	51	1·7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Gough	2,004	2·4	...	...	74	4·6	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Drake	3	1·5	...	...	20	10·0	2	2·0	...	...	.....	...
Gresham	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Clarke	1,476	2·7	...	...	17	1·4	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Hardinge	2,314	2·1	...	...	60	2·7	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Murchison	34	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Darling	32	0·9	5	2·5	2	2·0	...	...	220	20·0	.....	...
Inglis	175	1·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	160	7·6	.....	...
Sandon	4,657	2·0	4	1·3	47	1·8	10	1·7	...	...	.....	...
Vernon	1,650	4·2	6	1·5	74	5·3	16	8·0	...	...	.....	...
Hawes	35	2·9	...	...	8	8·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Parry	141	1·8	4	2·0	7	3·5	...	...	1,742	15·7	.....	...
Buckland	55	1·0	9	1·8	2	2·0	...	...	100	14·3	.....	...
Total	13,371	2·3	28	1·7	319	3·2	28	3·1	2,222	14·8	.....	...

Crops, and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of each Division, for the 31st March, 1899.

Crops.												Minor Crops.			
Grape-vines.					Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.			Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All other Crops.
Wine.		Brandy.	Table Fruit.												
Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ℔ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ℔ acre.		Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
gals.	gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases	£	£ s.	£	£ s.		bush.	bush.	tons.	£
180	60	...	22	2·0	1,720	90	1,800	8 6	1,982	17 2		60	100	420	436
1,141	42	...	21	1·1	.....	...	20	6 13	560	11 14		...	...	53	...
1,510	108	...	11	0·7	197	16	405	12 6	2,830	18 0		290	240	517	128
200	100	...	2	2·0	.....	...	49	3 16	88	22 0		16	20	32	...
350	70	...	10	3·3	885	221	375	10 14	454	19 15		...	...	135	30
890	178	...	17	2·8	2,544	212	423	12 16	305	9 5		...	...	63	555
4,760	119	...	26	1·4	350	87	331	6 0	793	12 8		71	11	181	2
9,031	94	...	109	1·5	5,696	112	3,403	8 15	7,012	15 15		437	371	1,401	1,151
7,740	115	...	12	1·0	1,112	25	1,013	5 8	1,044	9 11		62	...	159	20
58,242	233	...	299	3·8	10,420	91	2,113	6 10	995	17 3		1,787	1,003	2,166	93
324,160	285	984	464	1·7	28,119	85	12,650	9 11	13,546	19 6		717	892	1,535	2,011
390,142	268	984	775	2·1	39,651	81	15,776	8 12	15,585	17 19		2,566	1,895	3,860	2,124
.....	...	...	42	2·2	39,283	82	8,171	10 2	86,241	35 6		1,950	...	28	5,500
2,090	232	...	565	1·8	128,359	72	35,609	9 12	1,214	13 12		1,600	2	45	2,524
9,560	159	30	257	1·8	212,560	53	23,604	6 18	5,315	27 8		770	80	34	2,604
985	123	...	913	2·1	625	45	4,670	4 16	3,260	15 2		535	10	28	440
860	430	...	57	2·7	240	80	492	5 1	110	15 14		104	15	16	...
12,850	122	66	79	1·0	.....	...	884	4 5	270	9 12		290	40	28	30
400	133	...	4	2·0	.....	...	285	6 12	206	14 14		...	...	...	6
2,200	440	1	120	1·5	52,315	47	5,369	4 15	580	23 4		65	184	1,426	1,471
69,120	477	273	236	1·4	9,596	50	3,838	3 8	868	8 15		1,060	34	2,461	44
98,065	291	370	2,273	1·8	442,978	58	82,922	7 4	98,064	31 10		6,374	365	4,066	12,619
1,030	257	...	48	1·2	3,015	54	7,313	4 18	5 427	20 5		2,534	761	474	1,162
700	233	...	22	1·6	450	75	1,776	9 2	1,173	19 4		44	...	487	...
.....	...	...	1	1·0	400	100	180	7 10	85	14 3		...	20	104	...
1,200	171	...	23	2·6	50	17	722	6 15	1.268	22 12		40	1,180	565	23
2,930	209	...	94	1·5	3.915	57	9,991	5 10	7,953	20 6		2,618	1,961	1,630	1,185
500,168	263	1,354	3,251	1·8	492,240	60	112,092	7 4	128,614	26 14		11,995	4,592	10,957	17,079
200	100	...	2	2·0	100	50	368	14 14	103	14 14		...	...	36	37
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1,028	4 8	100	12 10		...	...	158	...
10,020	250	200	25	1·2	1,200	55	535	5 7	...	...		...	60	15	...
5,851	79	22	12	0·6	499	55	661	3 7	600	35 6		56	...	140	18
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	90	45 0		...	...	20	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	43	10 15		...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	3	1 10	50	8 6		...	...	...	...
7,650	191	222	1	1·0	20	20	243	3 16	150	21 8		...	...	61	20
200	67	...	11	1·0	12	6	141	2 13	236	11 4		...	...	55	...
.....	...	...	2	1·0	.....	...	157	4 12	15	15 0		30	22	59	40
6,800	101	133	22	2·0	.....	...	332	3 19	88	5 3		...	...	52	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1,977	3 16	451	14 2		18	10	15	98
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	43	7 3	150	50 0		6	68	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	10	10 0	...	...		...	...	5	10
880	440	...	11	1·6	.....	...	566	5 13	1,216	11 5		...	20	317	16
1,700	212	...	27	1·5	12	12	534	6 2	52	7 8		110	15	108	41
33,301	141	577	113	1·2	1,843	50	6,598	4 8	3.344	13 18		220	195	1,041	280

No. 8.—Total Production and Average Yield per Acre of Root and Miscellaneous Year ended

Counties.	Root Crops.								Miscellaneous			
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Sugar-cane.	
	Total Production	Average yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average yield per acre.	Total Production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.	Total production.	Average yield per acre.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.	tons.
6.—Central Table-land.												
Brisbane	181	1·6	12	4·0	21	2·1	...	...	2	0·3	.....	...
Bligh	20	2·2	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Phillip	201	2·5	1	1·0	16	5·3	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Wellington	1,430	2·0	37	4·6	17	3·4	4	4·0	425	15·7	.....	...
Roxburgh	1,530	3·0	8	1·6	19	4·8	10	10·0	563	5·0	.....	...
Hunter	18	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Cook	1,017	2·6	...	...	192	5·6	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Westmoreland	1,948	2·3	3	1·5	5	2·5	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Georgiana	1,868	2·4	3	1·0	5	1·3	...	...	246	7·9	.....	...
Bathurst	16,037	1·9	88	3·0	87	1·6	25	5·0	2,357	9·2	.....	...
Total	24,250	2·1	153	2·9	362	3·1	39	5·6	3,593	8·3	.....	...
7.—Southern Table-land.												
Monteagle	7	1·2	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
King	3,106	2·6	7	1·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Argyle	3,896	2·7	29	3·6	...	...	40	20·0	...	...	.....	...
Murray	540	2·1	5	5·0	4	4·0	1	1·0	...	...	.....	...
Beresford	273	1·3	12	3·0	508	9·8	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Cowley	41	1·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Buccleuch	100	1·9	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,885	9·6	.....	...
Wynyard	274	2·6	3	3·0	3	3·0	...	...	3,454	8·6	.....	...
Selwyn	485	2·4	...	...	2	2·0	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Wallace	391	1·7	...	...	248	6·1	11	5·5	...	...	.....	...
Wellesley	596	2·3	...	...	50	5·0	14	3·5	...	...	.....	...
Total	9,709	2·4	57	3·0	815	7·7	66	7·3	6,339	9·0	.....	...
Total, Table-land Division	47,330	2·2	238	2·7	1,496	4·6	133	5·3	12,154	9·5	.....	...
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.												
8.—North-western Slope.												
Stapylton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Burnett	3	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2·0
Courallie	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Benarba	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Denham	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Jamison	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Nandewar	4	0·1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Pottinger	11	0·5	8	2·0	...	...	...	...	82	13·7	.....	...
White	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Baradine	18	1·1	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Leichhardt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total	36	0·5	9	1·5	...	...	...	...	82	13·7	2	2·0

Crops, and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of each Division, for the 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Crops.											Minor Crops.			
Grape-vines.					Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
Wine.		Brandy.	Table Fruit.											
Total production	Average yield ₱ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average yield ₱ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ₱ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ₱ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ₱ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
gals.	gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	bush.	bush.	tons.	£
23,060	210	263	36	1·6	28	28	1,385	9 16	789	20 5	100	...	2,089	66
.....	...	...	17	1·2	16	16	196	5 3	105	17 10	...	...	74	...
13,690	140	35	108	1·3	.....	...	1,169	6 4	1,218	13 14	20	...	304	5
3,040	92	20	117	1·6	75	38	2,851	6 14	3,564	32 14	790	...	263	10
.....	...	...	15	1·7	5	5	1,518	6 3	3,276	36 16	200	...	21	125
1,000	167	...	104	2·2	9,304	101	1,942	8 11	11	3 13	...	4	193	5
15,000	326	1,000	16	1·5	148,477	71	6,564	5 5	1,236	12 4	750	215	912	156
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	183	4 19	1,010	11 7	90	...	970	12
100	100	...	2	1·0	.....	...	328	3 14	344	26 9	21	...	7	75
3,650	183	73	15	1·5	.....	...	3,377	5 5	4,291	16 0	982	59	238	675
59,540	190	1,391	430	1·6	157,905	73	19,513	5 16	15,844	19 13	2,953	278	5,071	1,129
2,410	23	...	17	0·7	.....	...	1,022	1 17	394	14 12	...	...	16	...
800	200	...	...	...	.....	...	1,595	4 1	195	15 0	55	...	17	...
.....	...	...	13	1·3	.....	...	3,396	3 10	1,873	14 17	71	...	71	20
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	322	3 18	650	22 8	...	10	2	10
1,500	300	90	6	3·0	.....	...	152	2 6	535	41 3	...	20	2	20
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	6	2 0	10	10 0	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	177	3 12	282	14 7	...	10	80	...
9,462	130	20	15	1·1	.....	...	1,152	7 2	1,495	13 12	...	12	28	...
.....	...	...	1	1·0	.. ...	...	247	5 9	102	17 0	...	...	61	148
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	137	5 19	175	10 6	16	10	...	45
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	29	2 8	350	26 18	31	50	...	105
14,172	76	110	52	1·0	.....	...	8,235	3 10	6,061	16 4	173	112	277	348
107,013	145	2,078	595	1·4	159,748	72	34,346	4 15	25,249	17 16	3,346	585	6,389	1,757
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	2	1·0	.....	...	35	11 13	155	25 16	...	...	13	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	1,000	30 6	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	7	1·2	.....	...	40	2 0	140	17 10	...	...	...	...
60	12	...	2	0·3	.....	...	94	2 19	360	13 6	...	...	4	...
.....	...	...	6	0·8	.....	...	325	5 5	213	11 4	27	...	56	10
.....	...	...	...	...	2	2	10	5 0	...	...	...	...	2	...
180	45	...	...	...	.....	...	63	7 0	1,130	45 4	...	...	11	...
.....	...	...	6	1·5	120	24	43	10 15	600	40 0	...	...	1	...
240	26	...	23	0·9	122	20	610	4 12	3,598	27 1	27	...	87	10

No. 8.—Total Production and Average Yield per acre of Root and Miscellaneous Year ended

Counties.	Root Crops.								Miscellaneous			
	Potatoes.		Onions.		Turnips.		Mangold-wurzel.		Tobacco.		Sugar-cane.	
	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ℔ acre.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina District—*continued.*												
9.—Central-western Slope.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons	tons.	tons.	cwt.	cwt.	tons.	tons.
Napier	12	1·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Gowen	60	1·7	5	2·5	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Ewenmar	3	0·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Oxley	3	0·3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Narromine	6	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Lincoln	78	2·0	15	3·8	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Gordon	87	1·9	37	2·9	...	...	...	...	4	4·0	.....	...
Ashburnham	319	1·6	52	1·6	...	...	...	...	350	5·0	.....	...
Kennedy	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Cunningham	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total	568	1·6	109	2·1	...	...	...	...	354	5·0	.....	...
10.—South-western Slope.												
Gipps	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Forbes	11	1·4	2	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Bland	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Harden	30	1·4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Clarendon	19	2·4	6	1·5	...	...	1	0·1	...	...	.....	...
Bourke	3	0·8	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Mitchell	1	0·3	2	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Hume	2	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Goulburn	62	2·1	4	1·0	...	...	...	...	60	8·6	.....	...
Total	128	1·6	15	1·3	...	...	1	0·1	60	1·6	.....	...
Total, Western Slopes	732	1·4	133	1·9	...	...	1	0·1	496	4·4	2	2·0
11.—Riverina.												
Dowling	5	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Nicholson	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Cooper	.....	...	4	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Sturt	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Waradgery	.....	...	2	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Boyd	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Urana	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Denison	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Townsend	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Wakool	1	1·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Cadell	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	.....	...
Total	7	0·7	6	2·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	739	1·4	139	1·9	...	...	1	0.1	496	4·4	2	2·0
D.—Western Division.												
12.—Western Plains												
East of Darling	10	10·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
West of Darling	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total	10	10·0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	...
Total, New South Wales...	61,900	2·2	1,019	3·1	2,456	4·7	292	4·3	12,706	9·0	289,206	19·8

Crops, and Production of Minor Crops, in the Counties of each Division, for the 31st March, 1899—*continued.*

Crops.											Minor Crops.			
Grape-vines.					Oranges.		Other Fruit Orchards.		Market Gardens.		Green Peas.	Peas and Beans (dry).	Pumpkins and Melons.	All Other Crops.
Wine.		Brandy.	Table Fruit.											
Total production.	Average yield ₱ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Average yield ₱ acre.	Total production.	Average yield ₱ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ₱ acre.	Value of total production.	Average value ₱ acre.	Total production.	Total production.	Total production.	Value of total production.
gals.	gals.	gals.	tons.	tons.	cases.	cases	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	bush.	bush.	tons.	£
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	110	27 10	200	25 0	...	...	...	...
360	180	...	...	...	.....	...	206	7 1?	405	2? 1?	...	...	64	22
.....	...	...	1	0·5	10	10	115	7 13	156	39 0	...	12	...	...
.....	...	...	1	1·0	.....	...	10	10 0	50	25 0	...	...	...	...
320	64	...	...	...	.....	...	375	11 14	200	40 0	...	...	8	...
5,320	33?	...	47	0·9	150	19	1,932	10 19	1,220	64 4	...	...	101	3
4,050	123	...	4	0·8	.....	...	1,436	9 11	65	32 10	...	...	82	4co
4,380	151	200	93	1·6	50	6	1,680	5 19	1,930	23 5	...	...	46	10
.....	...	...	2	0·4	.....	...	27	1 6	...	...	...	...	11	...
.... .	...	...	1	1·0	.....	...	372	14 6	41	5 2	20	60	2	...
14,430	160	200	149	1·2	210	12	6,263	8 10	4,267	29 8	20	72	314	435
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5,028	279	...	1	0·2	70	70	318	19 18	235	13 1	10	...	5	1
430	7?	5	6	0·8	.....	...	178	3 4	125	9 12	...	...	1	...
900	90	...	8	0·6	.....	...	575	3 12	480	13 14	...	...	8	...
2,430	76	...	50	0·6	13	...	310	2 12	1,100	18 19	510	...	20	20
780	65	...	68	1·5	.....	...	481	8 3	8	1 7	...	...	10	40
100	50	...	1	1·0	.....	...	60	2 3	280	31 2	...	...	4	...
156,996	118	59	52	1·0	10	10	710	6 2	976	33 13	...	...	...	6,200
54,397	139	190	18	1·2	.....	...	1,222	5 16	708	10 11	40	65	9	6
221,061	122	254	204	0.9	93	2	3,854	5 0	3,912	16 13	560	65	57	6,267
235,731	124	454	376	1·0	425	7	10,727	6 11	11,777	22 19	607	137	458	6,712
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	...	...	52	13 0	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	20	10 0	570	22 16	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	1	1·0	... ..	...	10	1 13	780	65 0	...	...	10	...
.....	...	...	2	2·0	.....	...	...	...	50	16 13	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	4	4·0	100	100	45	11 5	1,275	45 10	...	...	12	...
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	6	1 10	...	...	...	...	...	...
60	20	...	1	0·1	30	30	6	3 0	430	25 6	...	...	...	...
1,750	117	...	3	0·4	25	13	111	2 15	125	31 5	...	...	...	250
.....	...	...	2	0·5	151	50	585	15 0	50	16 13	...	...	...	10
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	5	2 10	30	15 0	...	...	...	...
.....	...	...	2	0·7	44	44	100	10 0	50	25 0	...	...	5	...
1,810	101	...	15	0·6	350	32	888	8 3	3,412	34 2	...	...	27	260
237,541	124	454	391	1·0	775	11	11,615	6 13	15,189	24 16	607	137	485	6,972
150	10	...	4	0·3	460	51	602	16 5	2,746	32 6	...	...	8	30
360	180	...	23	1·9	45	23	23	5 15	3,523	39 12	...	...	105	90
510	43	...	27	1·0	505	46	625	15 5	6,269	36 0	...	...	113	120
845,232	185	3,886	4,264	1·6	653,268	62	158,678	6 9	175,321	24 19	15,948	5,314	17,944	25,928

No. 9.—Number of, Area affected by, and Causes of

Crops.	Causes of Failures.											
	Drought.		Flood.		Excessive Rains.		Hailstorms.		Frost.		Bush-fires.	
	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
A.—Coastal Division.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
Wheat (grain)	174	1,356	2	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8
„ (hay)	83	439	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Maize	407	4,517	17	161	9	182	...	...	...	...	2	12
Barley (grain)	26	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ (hay)	7	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	22	94	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ (hay)	536	3,758	2	22	1	15	...	...	...	...	1	6
Rye	11	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millet	2	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	...
Lucerne Hay	21	108	12	229	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	237	297	14	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Onions	6	7	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turnips	7	22	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar-cane	3	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	119	7	206
Grapes for Wine	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ Fruit	24	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oranges	5	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruit	228	671	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Market Gardens	81	328	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry)	11	19	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	8	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons	36	79	2	2	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...
Rape	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	20	27	3	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Coastal Division	1,960	11,967	56	487	10	197	...	...	26	128	11	232
B.—Table-land Division.												
Wheat (grain)	1,396	85,613	...	...	...	...	1	2	6	32	3	98
„ (hay)	938	23,715	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...
Maize	914	10,203	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	13	...	...
Barley (grain)	61	474	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
„ (hay)	30	105	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	267	2,981	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...
„ (hay)	1,385	21,539	...	...	...	...	3	9	3	34	...	...
Rye	58	204	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millet	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lucerne Hay	181	3,403	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	349	657	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	135	...	...
Onions	7	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turnips	12	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mangold-Wurzel	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	10	124	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grapes for Wine	9	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	50	...	...
„ Fruit	17	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	17	...	...
Oranges	5	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruit	198	563	...	...	...	...	2	18	9	35	...	...
Market Gardens	20	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry)	8	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	4	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons	55	135	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...
Rape	3	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	21	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Table-land Division	5,951	150,155	...	...	...	...	8	35	83	321	3	98

Failures of Crops, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Causes of Failures.													
Rust.		Blight.		Rabbits and Hares.		Locusts.		Vermin.		Not stated and Other Causes.		Total.	
No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
	acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
22	164	1	7	1	5	...	.....	...	.....	3	16	204	1,569
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	7	85	446
...	.....	4	44	...	.....	...	.....	1	4	4	29	444	4,949
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	26	63
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	19
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	...	.....	23	97
1	6	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	541	3,807
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	11	24
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	18
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	33	337
...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	1	1	254	329
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	9
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	23
...	.....	1	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	33	37	404
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	5
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	25	43
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	12	42	18	65
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	9	17	104	249	784
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	81	328
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	12	20
...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	9	16
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	4	40	88
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	20	24	75
23	170	7	55	2	6	...	.....	8	19	44	258	2,147	13,519
...	.....	...	.....	2	7	...	.....	3	24	3	71	1,414	85,847
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	940	23,718
...	.....	...	.....	1	18	...	.....	16	181	2	19	939	10,434
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	62	477
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	30	105
...	.....	...	.....	1	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	269	2,988
...	.....	...	.....	5	54	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,396	21,636
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	58	204
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	2
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	181	3,403
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	7	3	2	406	802
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	10
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	12	30
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	3
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	10	124
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	11	131
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	21	52
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	9
...	.....	3	2	...	.....	1	13	2	7	3	11	218	649
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	6	22	63
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	18
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	16
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	56	139
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3	61
...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	22	118
...	.....	3	2	10	83	1	13	23	219	15	113	6,097	151,039

No. 9.—Number of, Area affected by, and

Crops.	Causes of Failures.											
	Drought.		Flood.		Excessive Rains.		Hailstorms.		Frost.		Bush Fires.	
	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
Wheat (grain) ...	2,365	501,955	...	...	...	...	1	5	2	2,164	3	220
,, (hay)	2,522	111,007	...	...	...	...	5	32	...	...	...	...
Maize	134	1,642	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Barley (grain)... ...	17	207	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, (hay)	9	109	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	71	3,537	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, (hay)	214	11,607	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rye	6	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millet	4	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lucerne Hay	53	2,891	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	39	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Onions	5	11	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Mangold-wurzel ...	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	2	31	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grapes for Wine ...	15	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Fruit ...	36	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
Oranges	7	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruits	70	213	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	14	...	...
Market Gardens ...	16	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry)...	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	2	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons..	10	30	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rape	7	1,299	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	5	509	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division...	5,613	635,431	...	...	...	...	6	37	12	2,180	3	220
D.—Western Division—												
All crops*	519	22,069	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
ls for N.S.W.—												
Wheat (grain)... ...	4,022	596,020	2	13	...	...	2	7	8	2,196	7	326
,, (hay)	3,934	149,865	...	...	...	...	6	34	...	...	...	...
Maize	1,455	16,362	17	161	9	182	...	...	6	13	2	12
Barley (grain)... ...	104	744	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, (hay)	47	237	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Oats (grain)	362	6,724	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...
,, (hay)	2,139	36,933	2	22	1	15	3	9	3	34	1	6
Rye	75	245	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Millet	7	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	...
Lucerne Hay	259	6,435	12	229	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Potatoes	625	1,026	14	28	...	...	...	...	52	136	...	...
Onions	18	28	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turnips	19	52	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mangold-wurzel ...	4	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco	12	155	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sugar-cane	3	43	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	119	7	206
Grapes for Wine ...	30	129	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	50	...	...
,, Fruit ...	85	208	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	19	...	...
Oranges	22	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Fruits	501	1,464	...	...	...	...	2	18	17	49	...	...
Market Gardens ...	123	437	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas and Beans (dry)...	21	41	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peas (green)	14	52	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pumpkins and Melons..	103	245	2	2	...	...	...	...	2	7	...	...
Rape	11	1,361	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Crops	48	679	3	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grand Total, N.S.W. ...	14043	819,622	56	487	10	197	14	72	121	2,629	17	550

* Wheat grain, 7,096 acres; wheat hay,

Causes of Failures of Crops, &c.—*continued.*

Causes of Failures.													
Rust.		Blight.		Rabbits and Hares.		Locusts.		Vermin.		Not stated and Other Causes.		Total.	
No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.	No.	Area.
	acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.		acres.
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	239	2	22	2	680	2,377	505,285
1	40	...	.....	2	70	1	100	...	.....	2	132	2,533	111,381
...	.....	...	.....	1	2	...	.....	1	2	...	.....	136	1,646
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	17	207
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	9	109
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	71	3,537
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	214	11,607
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	6	17
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	21
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	53	2,891
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	39	72
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	11
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	10
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	31
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	5	16	39
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	..	.....	...	.....	...	.....	38	122
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	50
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	78	227
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	16	34
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	4
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	21
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	10	30
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	7	1,299
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	5	509
1	40	...	.....	3	72	3	339	3	24	5	817	5,649	639,160
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	519	22,069
22	164	1	7	3	12	2	239	5	46	8	767	4,082	599,797
1	40	...	.....	2	70	1	100	...	.....	5	140	3,949	150,249
...	.....	4	44	2	20	...	.....	18	187	6	48	1,519	17,029
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	3	105	747
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	47	237
...	.....	...	.....	1	3	...	.....	1	3	...	.....	365	6,734
1	6	...	.....	5	54	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2,155	37,079
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	75	245
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	8	41
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	271	6,664
...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	3	9	4	3	699	1,203
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	20	30
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	20	53
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4	13
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	12	155
...	.....	1	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	33	37	404
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	5	33	184
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	2	92	229
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	1	12	42	35	132
...	.....	3	2	...	.....	1	13	6	16	20	115	550	1,677
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2	6	125	443
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	22	42
...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	15	53
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	4	108	258
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	11	1,361
...	.....	...	.....	1	1	...	.....	...	.....	1	20	53	728
24	210	10	57	15	161	4	352	34	262	64	1,188	14,412	825,787

14,704 acres; other crops, 269 acres.

No. 10.—Area under

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.			Productive.	Unproductive.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1890	419,758	173,836	5,440	22,358	1,114	459	17,551	3,239	7,348	11,382
1891	333,233	191,152	4,937	14,102	672	251	19,406	1,148	8,344	12,102
1892	356,666	174,577	4,459	12,958	720	297	22,560	886	8,623	13,639
1893	452,921	167,549	4,618	20,890	1,251	496	18,502	848	11,560	15,191
1894	593,810	205,885	6,113	34,148	1,154	677	26,559	854	11,755	16,357
1895	647,483	208,308	10,396	30,636	879	1,115	30,089	716	14,204	18,705
1896	596,684	211,104	7,590	23,750	753	865	24,722	1,231	14,398	18,529
1897	866,112	211,382	6,453	39,530	1,487	621	31,170	2,744	18,194	12,859
1898	993,350	209,588	5,151	28,605	2,032	897	23,816	2,181	12,936	12,929
1899	1,319,503	193,286	4,459	19,874	2,022	681	27,978	1,405	14,578	10,181

No. 11.—Production of

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.	Tobacco.
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.		
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	cwt.
1890	6,570,335	5,354,827	113,109	543,330	18,239	9,818	50,096	27,724
1891	3,649,216	5,713,205	81,383	256,659	9,129	2,417	52,791	14,021
1892	3,963,668	5,721,706	93,446	276,259	11,390	5,079	62,283	9,314
1893	6,817,457	5,037,256	91,701	466,603	20,356	3,732	52,105	8,344
1894	6,502,715	7,067,576	114,272	701,803	19,522	9,244	83,838	10,858
1895	7,041,378	5,625,533	179,348	562,725	13,315	12,460	86,170	8,132
1896	5,195,312	5,687,030	96,119	374,196	8,078	9,725	56,179	10,548
1897	8,853,445	5,754,217	110,340	834,633	22,000	7,627	84,214	27,468
1898	10,560,111	6,713,060	99,509	543,946	26,145	13,071	55,332	19,718
1899	9,276,216	6,064,842	64,094	278,007	24,093	11,244	61,900	12,706

No. 12.—Average Yield

Year ended 31st March—	Grain Crops.						Potatoes.	Tobacco.
	Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Rye.	Millet.		
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	cwt.
1890	15·7	30·8	20·8	24·3	16·4	21·4	2·9	8·6
1891	11·0	29·9	16·5	18·2	13·6	9·6	2·7	12·2
1892	11·1	32·8	21·0	21·3	15·8	17·1	2·8	10·5
1893	15·0	30·0	19·9	22·3	16·3	7·5	2·8	9·8
1894	10·9	34·3	18·7	20·5	16·9	13·6	3·2	12·7
1895	10·9	27·0	17·3	18·4	15·2	11·2	2·8	11·4
1896	8·7	27·0	12·7	15·8	10·7	13·7	2·3	8·6
1897	10·2	27·2	17·1	21·1	14·8	12·3	2·7	10·0
1898	10·6	32·0	19·3	19·0	12·9	14·6	2·3	9·0
1899	7·0	31·4	14·4	14·0	11·9	16·5	2·2	9·0
Average for 10 years ...	10·4	30·2	17·5	19·6	14·3	13·3	2·7	9·8

Various Crops, 1890–99.

Hay.				Lucerne, Maize, Oats, Barley, Sorghum, &c., &c., for green food.	Grape Vines.	Gardens and Orchards.	Orangeries.	All other Crops.	Total Number of Acres under Crop.	Permanent Artificially Sown Grasses.	Year ended 31st March—
Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne.								
acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	
82,880	2,160	103,129	23,937	27,916	7,867	24,276	9,804	2,618	947,072	217,403	1890
83,827	938	70,463	20,014	37,473	8,044	27,453	11,288	7,857	852,704	388,715	1891
66,435	978	76,589	19,861	32,138	8,281	28,746	11,370	6,600	846,383	333,238	1892
89,396	1,701	101,981	21,390	44,424	8,264	31,661	11,158	6,926	1,010,727	361,280	1893
101,875	997	82,750	19,802	43,506	7,375	32,822	11,967	8,586	1,206,992	302,412	1894
125,797	953	96,856	21,637	53,029	7,577	36,265	12,204	9,115	1,325,964	362,578	1895
172,614	1,744	120,857	24,081	66,833	7,519	35,679	11,956	7,691	1,348,600	300,862	1896
161,136	1,615	133,946	30,512	74,472	8,061	39,379	12,489	7,555	1,659,717	384,016	1897
213,720	1,509	152,598	33,246	61,801	8,083	37,403	13,943	8,041	1,821,829	376,402	1898
312,451	1,438	115,147	32,748	80,307	8,078	38,764	14,389	9,211	2,206,500	348,829	1899

Various Crops, 1890–99.

Sugar-cane.	Hay.				Grape Vines.			Oranges.	Year ended 31st March—
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne.	Wine.	Brandy.	Table Grapes.		
tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gals.	gals.	tons.	doz.	
168,862	140,348	3,691	156,920	65,270	688,685	3,702	2,951	11,074,392	1890
277,252	96,014	1,179	71,305	44,536	842,181	6,704	3,355	11,562,000	1891
185,258	75,883	1,590	86,077	45,867	913,107	6,114	3,694	10,417,500	1892
264,832	116,061	2,719	132,426	50,928	931,542	5.355	5,916	10,383,990	1893
252,606	100,482	1,342	94,128	39,647	748,929	4,650	3,216	9,600,290	1894
264,254	136,837	1,285	95,517	48,234	731,683	6,356	4,617	8,703,252	1895
207,771	99,679	1,398	79,635	48,959	885,673	7,149	4,017	5,954,940	1896
320,276	118,337	2,141	142,957	71,467	794,256	7,134	2,885	5,845,896	1897
269,068	181,645	2,008	138,546	83,154	864.514	10,790	4,230	6,330,096	1898
289,206	177,002	1,605	79,011	76,679	845,232	3,886	4,264	7,839,216	1899

of Crops per acre, 1890–99.

Sugar-cane.	Hay.				Grape Vines.		Oranges.	Year ended 31st March—
	Wheat.	Barley.	Oats.	Lucerne.	Wine.	Table Grapes.		
tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	tons.	gals.	tons.	doz.	
23·0	1·7	1·7	1·5	2·7	191	1·7	1,130	1890
33·2	1·2	1·3	1·1	2·2	216	1·6	1,024	1891
21·5	1·1	1·6	1·1	2·3	237	1·7	916	1892
22·9	1·3	1·6	1·3	2·4	225	2·7	1,200	1893
21·5	1·0	1·4	1·1	2·0	181	1·5	1,039	1894
18·6	1·1	1·3	1·0	2·2	164	2·0	941	1895
14·4	0·6	0·8	0·7	2·0	202	1·6	680	1896
17·6	0·7	1·3	1·1	2·3	172	1·1	699	1897
20·8	0·8	1·3	0·9	2·5	193	1·6	627	1898
19·8	0·6	1·1	0·7	2·3	185	1·6	747	1899
20·5	0·9	1·4	1·0	2·3	196	1·7	980	Average for 10 years.

No. 13.—Breadstuffs.—Importation, Production, Consump-

Year.	Imports. Year ended 31st December.				Exports. Year ended 31st December.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.
1887	1,368,420	3,421,050	278,105	3,699,155	424,110	1,060,275	135,920	1,196,195
1888	1,317,780	3,294,450	1,538,568	4,833,018	384,132	960,330	149,882	1,110,212
1889	1,315,360	3,288,400	2,832,849	6,121,249	361,236	903,090	137,721	1,040,811
1890	1,104,640	2,761,600	352,486	3,114,086	410,991	1,027,477	219,228	1,246,705
1891	1,279,820	3,199,550	900,079	4,099,629	254,747	636,868	322,074	958,942
1892	976,140	2,440,350	931,402	3,371,752	63,785	159,462	8,586	168,048
1893	536,280	1,340,700	471,788	1,812,488	35,686	89,215	14,750	103,965
1894	662,660	1,656,650	256,550	1,913,200	33,032	82,580	6,045	88,625
1895	385,560	963,900	359,152	1,323,052	38,057	95,142	1,879	97,021
1896	1,125,832	2,814,580	2,502,478	5,317,058	456,039	1,140,097	588,555	1,728,652
1897	1,119,879	2,799 697	909,935	3,709,632	682,715	1,706,787	1,379,933	3,086,720
1898	410,737	1,026,842	523,762	1,550,604	533,761	1,334,402	1,338,960	2,673.362

* Includes that required for area sown for Hay as well as for Grain. † Inclusive or exclusive, as the case may be, of the

No. 14.—Breadstuffs.—Average Yearly Importation, Production, Consump-

Period.	AVERAGE PER ANNUM. Imports.				Exports.			
	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.	Flour.	Equivalent in Wheat.	Wheat.	Total.
Years.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	cwt.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.
1862–66	426,757	1,066,893	801,765	1,868,658	169,074	422,686	26,176	448,862
1867–71	362,216	905,540	750,705	1,656,245	118,184	295,460	34,892	330,352
1872–76	404,846	1,012,105	838,388	1,850,493	82,967	207,418	95,801	303,219
1877–81	611,656	1,529,140	545,914	2,075,054	143,368	358,421	103,765	462,186
1882–86	1,013,858	2,534,645	613,180	3,147,825	259,770	649,426	71,988	721,414
1887–91	1,277,204	3,193,010	1,180,417	4,373,427	367,043	917,608	192,965	1,110,573
1892–96	737,294	1,843,236	904,274	2,747,510	125,319	313,299	123,963	437,262
1896–98	765,308	1,913,270	716,848	2,630,118	608,238	1,520,594	1,459,446	2,880,041

* Exclusive of wheat required for seed.

No. 15.—Breadstuffs.—Imports and Exports,

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.
	£	£	£
1880	486,374	83,251	403,123
1881	447,093	238,751	208,342
1882	836,074	248,039	588,035
1883	539,164	210,412	328,752
1884	606,122	186,677	419,445
1885	619,862	121,364	498,498
1886	869,657	106,341	763,316
* 1887	734,220	237,066	497,154
1888	920,220	215,992	704,228
1889	1,378,738	230,474	1,148,264

tion, and Deficiency in Home Production, 1887–98.

Excess of Imports over Exports. Year ended 31st Dec.	Home Produce. Acreage under Wheat for Grain. Year ended 31st March.	Home Produce. Wheat Crop. Year ended 31st March.	Home Produce. *Seed for following Season.	Home Produce. Balance available for Food.	† Total available for Food.	†‡ Apparent Consumption of Wheat per Head.	‡ Home Produce per Head.	Apparent Deficiency per Head.	Year.
bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
2,502,960	337,730	5,868,844	562,162	5,306,682	7,809,642	7·8	5·3	2·5	1887
3,722,806	389,390	4,695,849	509,551	4,186,298	7,909,104	7·6	4·0	3·6	1888
5,080,438	304,803	1,450,503	628,297	822,206	5,902,644	5·5	0·8	4·7	1889
1,867,381	419,758	6,570,335	521,325	6,049,010	7,916,391	7·2	5·5	1·7	1890
3,140,687	333,233	3,649,216	528,876	3,120,340	6,261,027	5·5	2·7	2·8	1891
3,203,704	356,666	3,963,668	677,896	3,285,772	6,489,476	5·5	2·8	2·7	1892
1,708,523	452,921	6,817,457	869,606	5,947,851	7,656,374	6·3	4·9	1·4	1893
1,824,575	593,810	6,502,715	966,600	5,536,115	7,360,690	5·9	4·5	1·4	1894
1,226,031	647,483	7,041,378	961,623	6,079,755	7,305,786	5·8	4·8	1·0	1895
3,588,406	596,684	5,195,312	1,284,060	3,911,252	7,499,658	5·8	3·0	2·8	1896
622,912	866,112	8,853,445	1,509,169	7,344,276	7,967,188	6·1	5·6	0·5	1897
1,122,758§	993,350	10,560,111	2,039,943	8,520,168	7,397,410	5·5	6·4	0·9‖	1898

quantity added to or taken from stocks. ‡ Exclusive of wheat required for seed. § Excess of Exports. ‖ Surplus.

tion, and Deficiency in Home Production, in Quinquennial Periods, 1862–98.

AVERAGE PER ANNUM. Excess of Imports over Exports.	Home Produce. Acreage under Crop.	Home Produce. Wheat Crop.	Home Produce. Wheat required for Seed.	Home Produce. Balance available for Food.	Total available for Food.	*Consumption of Wheat per head.	*Home Produce per head.	Deficiency per head.	Period.
bushels.	acres.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	
1,419,796	114,353	1,146,046	168,703	977,343	2,397,139	6·2	2·5	3·7	1862–66
1,325,893	165,166	1,929,494	216,875	1,712,619	3,038,512	6·4	3·6	2·8	1867–71
1,547,274	160,286	2,301,752	210,945	2,090,807	3,638,081	6·4	3·7	2·7	1872–76
1,612,868	208,410	3,121,486	319,177	2,802,310	4,415,178	6·4	4·0	2·4	1877–81
2,426,411	259,820	3,759,665	443,170	3,316,495	5,742,906	6·5	3·8	2·7	1882–86
3,262,854	356,983	4,446,949	550,042	3,896,907	7,159,761	6·7	3·6	3·1	1887–91
2,310,248	529,513	5,904,106	952,005	4,952,101	7,262,349	5·9	4·0	1·9	1892–96
249,923†	929,731	9,706,778	1,774,556	7,932,222	7,682,299	5·8	6·0	0·2‡	1897–98

† Excess of Exports. ‡ Surplus.

showing the Excess of Imports, 1880–98.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Excess of Imports.
	£	£	£
1890	594,231	243,473	350,758
1891	898,206	194,136	704,070
1892	699,298	37,792	661,506
1893	299,206	19,505	279,701
1894	242,604	13,668	228,936
1895	203,023	16,561	186,462
1896	1,095,665	359,666	735,999
1897	814,691	718,098	96,593
1898	302,020	514,998	212,978*

* Excess of Exports.

No. 16.—Value of Implements and Machinery in use during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Division.	Farming.	Dairying.	Pastoral.
Coastal Division.	£	£	£
North Coast ...	99,382	34,467	3,150
Lower Hunter	92,257	33,025	3,954
County of Cumberland	53,670	6,684	289
South Coast ...	59,761	68,985	2,012
Total, Coastal Division	305,070	143,161	9,405
Table-land Division.			
Northern Table-land	201,544	3,785	42,219
Central Table-land ...	243,771	9,767	45,209
Southern Table-land	158,808	13,860	34,848
Total, Table-land Division	604,123	27,412	122,276
Western Slopes and Riverina Division.			
North-western Slope	37 764	1,057	105,154
Central-western Slope	239,699	1,078	49,865
South-western Slope	374,522	5,863	63,832
Total, Western Slopes	651,985	7,998	218,851
Riverina	184,054	3,814	90,376
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	836,039	11,812	309,227
Western Division	9,185	806	317,427
Total, New South Wales	1,754,417	183,191	*758,335

* This includes, in many cases, Agricultural Implements used on Pastoral Holdings.

No. 17.—Number of Silos and Quantity of Ensilage made, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Division.	Silos.		En-silage made.	Division.	Silos.		En-silage made.
	Pit.	Stack			Pit.	Stack	
Coastal Division.	No.	No.	Tons.		No.	No.	Tons.
North Coast...	1	8	195	Western Slopes and Riverina Division.			
Lower Hunter	13	11	613	North-western Slope ...	...	1	1
County of Cumberland	2	6	470	Central-western Slope....	...	2	105
South Coast...	3	29	1,141	Southern-western Slope	6	3	452
Total, Coastal Division	19	54	2,419	Total, Western Slopes	6	6	558
Table-land Division.				Riverina..	2	2	76
Northern Table-land	...	...	...	Total, Western Slopes & Riverina Division	8	8	634
Central Table-land ...	2	11	580	Western Division ...	...	..	...
Southern Table-land	3	11	320	Total, New South Wales	32	84	3,953
Total, Table-land Division	5	22	900				

No. 18.—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax, 1894–99.

Year ended 31st March—	Bee Hives.		Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax.
	Productive.	Unproductive.			
	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1894	44,693	8,790	1,139,557	25·5	39,242
1895	35,685	13,355	1,135,128	31·8	29,326
1896	27,392	10,350	1,123,209	41·0	27,520
1897	32 557	9,343	1,378,039	42·3	31,842
1898	38,017	15,174	1,876,719	49·4	48,747
1899	51,681	7,604	2,974,830	57·6	52,904

No. 19.—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Bee Hives.		Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax.
	Productive.	Unproductive.			
A.—Coastal Division.					
1.—North Coast.	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Rous	2,547	256	192,078	75·4	2,054
Richmond	1,720	28	107,401	62·4	1,219
Clarence	1,422	701	38,627	27·2	1,163
Fitzroy	83	1	2,600	31·3	42
Raleigh	727	111	33,319	45·8	921
Dudley	355	108	28,290	79·7	592
Macquarie	3,284	678	140,336	42·7	1,324
Total	10,138	1,883	542,651	53·3	7,315
2.—Lower Hunter.					
Gloucester	3,579	483	190,302	53·2	1,966
Durham	2,156	399	108,507	50·3	2,334
Northumberland	4,869	933	290,081	59·6	5,347
Total	10,604	1,815	588,890	55·5	9,647
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)					
Metropolitan	289	62	10,176	35·2	56
Ryde	480	49	36,996	77·1	374
Parramatta	720	44	19,459	27·0	924
Liverpool	1,989	364	70,605	35·5	1,714
Camden (*part of*)	30	.....	1,000	33·3	100
Campbelltown	488	244	29,764	61·1	264
Wollongong (*part of*)	92	47	3,507	38·1	115
Windsor (*part of*)	915	146	35,004	38·3	701
Penrith (*part of*)	1,207	61	102,310	84·8	1,837
Total	6,210	1,017	308,821	49·7	6,085
4.—South Coast.					
Camden	3,098	546	112,512	36·3	1,532
St. Vincent	1,378	53	68,225	49·5	1,750
Dampier	442	81	22,419	50·7	1,523
Auckland	171	37	6,346	37·1	177
Total	5,089	717	209,502	41·2	4,982
Total, Coastal Division	32,041	5,432	1,649,864	51·5	28,029
B.—Table-land Division.					
5.—Northern Table-land.					
Buller	106	15	8,340	79·6	56
Clive	202	12	5,389	26·7	390
Arrawatta	24	.....	220	9·2	.....
Gough	637	121	89,600	140·7	1,588
Drake	66	27	8,000	121·2	.....
Gresham	3	.....	50	16·7	20
Clarke	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hardinge	25	7	814	32·6	89
Murchison	81	27	3,650	45·1	80
Darling	91	2	3,465	38·1	.....
Inglis	1,643	112	112,047	68·3	3,390
Sandon	273	20	11,216	41·1	60
Vernon	16	9	400	25·0	5
Hawes	1	1	30	30·0	.....
Parry	1,081	38	109,242	101·1	2,838
Buckland	892	66	84,446	94·7	1,205
Total	5,141	457	436,909	85·0	9,721

No. 19.—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax—*continued.*

Counties.	Bee Hives.		Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax
	Productive.	Unproductive.			
	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*					
2.—Central Table-land.					
Brisbane	1,669	163	125,333	75·1	1,594
Bligh	279	11	22,520	80·7	231
Phillip	337	26	10,000	29·7	448
Wellington	667	63	49,827	74·7	784
Roxburgh	1,485	71	113,666	76·5	821
Hunter	404	23	27,799	68·8	322
Cook	1,332	255	90,508	68·0	1,180
Westmoreland	158	13	10,810	68·4	125
Georgiana	93	8	5,040	54·2	272
Bathurst	933	122	48,523	52·0	931
Total	7,357	755	504,026	68·5	6,708
7.—Southern Table-land.					
Monteagle	261	21	9,837	37·7	211
King	348	37	20,479	58·8	481
Argyle	491	110	11,166	22·7	381
Murray	139	23	7,712	55·5	114
Beresford	20	42	790	39·5	57
Cowley	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Buccleuch	120	13	3,735	31·1	100
Wynyard	443	94	17,300	39·0	574
Selwyn	9	9	270	30·0	16
Wallace	85	3	3,070	36·1	40
Wellesley	25	2	500	20·0	.....
Total	1,941	359	74,859	38·6	1,974
Total, Table-land Division ...	14,439	1,571	1,015,794	70·3	18,403
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.					
8.—North-western Slope.					
Stapylton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burnett	6	8	300	50·0	12
Courallie	21	.....	580	27·6	.....
Benarba	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Denham	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamison	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nandewar	181	5	10,750	59·4	374
Pottinger	462	9	27,332	59·2	485
White	23	.....	870	37·8	31
Baradine	11	.....	324	29·5	10
Leichhardt	1	.....	15	15·0	.....
Total	705	22	40,171	57·0	912

No. 19.—Number of Bee Hives and Production of Honey and Beeswax—*continued.*

Counties.	Bee Hives.		Honey.	Average Yield of Honey per Hive.	Beeswax.
	Productive.	Unproductive.			
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*					
9.—Central-western Slope.	No.	No.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Napier	53	2	3,300	62·3	250
Gowen	170	3	11,335	66·7	525
Ewenmar	30	15	760	25·3	20
Oxley	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narromine	102	5	6,120	60·0	100
Lincoln	565	101	22,604	64·0	650
Gordon	270	5	14,352	53·2	136
Ashburnham	924	24	86,676	93·8	1,708
Kennedy	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cunningham	60	2	5,600	93·3	20
Total	2,174	157	150,747	69·3	3,409
10.—South-western Slope.					
Gipps	30	.....	1,600	53·3	.....
Forbes	243	21	20,110	82·8	281
Bland	111	19	6,340	57·1	125
Harden	378	74	17,083	45·2	294
Clarendon	447	191	20,083	44·9	658
Bourke	52	16	1,464	28·2	2
Mitchell	24	.....	340	14·2	8
Hume	198	16	10,930	55·2	229
Goulburn	602	30	31,690	52·6	390
Total	2,085	367	109,640	52·6	1,987
Total, Western Slopes	4,964	546	300,558	60·5	6,308
11.—Riverina.					
Dowling	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nicholson	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cooper	4	.....	60	15·0	22
Sturt	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	12	5	100	8·3	4
Boyd	62	.....	897	14·5	50
Urana	14	8	100	7·1	.....
Denison	12	.....	300	25·0	.....
Townsend	32	14	677	21·2	33
Wakool	.....	1	.....	.....	.....
Cadell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	136	28	2,134	15·7	109
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	5,100	574	302,692	59·4	6,417
D.—Western Division.					
12.—Western Plains.					
East of Darling	77	25	4,580	59·5	.....
West of Darling	24	2	1,900	79·2	55
Total	101	27	6,480	64·2	55
Total, New South Wales	51,681	7,604	2,974,830	57·6	52,904

No. 20. — Average Wholesale Prices at Sydney of the principal kinds of Agricultural and Farm-yard Produce during 1898.

Description.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Milling Produce.												
Wheat—												
Australian ℔ bushel	4/–	4/–	4/–	4/–	4/3½	4/2½	3/8	3/4½	3/2½	2/11	3/4	3/–
Chick .. .. ,,	3/1½	3/1½	2/9½	2/8½	3/1½	3/–	2/9	2/8½	2/7	2/6	2/8	2/8
Flour—												
Roller—												
N.S. Wales .. ℔ ton.	10/15/–	10/7/6	10/6/–	10/5/–	11/17/6	11/12/6	10/–/–	9/15/–	8/17/–	8/6/–	8/10/–	8/10/–
Bran .. .. ..℔ bushel	–/7¼	–/7	–/7	–/8	–/9½	–/8½	–/7¼	–/7	–/7	–/6½	–/7	–/7½
Pollard .. .. ,,	–/8½	–/8	–/8	–/8½	–/9½	–/8¾	–/7½	–/7½	–/7½	–/7¼	–/7¾	–/9
Feed Grains.												
Barley (Cape) ..℔ bushel	2/8	3/1	2/9½	2/8	2/10½	2/9	2/7½	2/4	2/3	2/3	2/3	2/3
,, (English) .. ,,	3/3	3/3	3/3	3/3	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Oats .. .. .. ,,	2/3½	2/5½	2 3½	2/3	2/6½	2/8½	2/6½	2/4½	2/6	2/6	2/4½	2/4
Maize .. .. .. ,,	3/1	2/10	2/7½	2/6	2/4½	2/3	2/2½	2/3½	2/5	2/9	2/8½	3/2
Root Crops.												
Potatoes—												
Tasmanian .. ℔ ton.	6/10/–	6/15/–	7/–/–	6/–/–	6/10/–	7/10/–	8/4/–	8/2/6	7/7/6	*	*	*
New South Wales ,,	6/15/–	6/2/6	5/12/6	5/7/6	5/12/6	6/16/–	7/11/–	7/8/6	7/2/6	8/3/6	8/–/–	9/5/–
Victorian .. .. ,,	5/19/–	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	9/5/–	*	*
New Zealand .. ,,	*	6/10/–	*	*	5/17/6	7/7/6	7/17/6	8/1/–	6/15/–	8/6/–	8/15/–	*
Onions .. .. ,,	3/11/3	5/5/–	6/6/–	6/7/6	7/2,6	8/10/–	11/5/–	13/–/–	14/10/–	13/10/–	11/5/–	5/5/–
Fodder.												
Hay .. .. .. ℔ ton.	3/10/–	3/10/–	3/10/–	3 9/–	3/17/6	3/15/–	3/10/–	3/15/–	3/–/–	3/3/–	2/18/–	3/–/–
Lucerne .. .. ,,	2/2/–	2/2/–	2/–/–	2/18/–	2/16/–	2/11/–	2/2/–	2/2/–	2/–/–	1/19/–	2/–/–	2/8/9
Straw .. .. .. ,,	2/7/6	2/15/–	2/1/3	2/–/–	2/5/–	2/1/–	2/–/6	2/–/–	2/–/–	1/15/6	1/15/6	1/19/–
Derrick pressed .. ,,	2/5/–	2/10/–	2/1/3	1/18/9	2/–/–	2/–/–	2/1/–	1/18/–	1/16/–	1/10/–	1/15/–	2/–/–
Chaff .. .. .. ,,	4/–/–	3/16/3	3/10/–	3/13/6	3/15/–	3 10/–	3 3/6	3/–/–	2/15/–	3/–/–	2/17/6	3/2/6
Imported .. .. ,,	3/13/6	3/12/6	3/10/–	3/8/6	3/16/–	3/10/–	3/3/6	3/–/–	2/15/–	2/17/6–	2/17/6	3/–/–
Farm-yard and Dairy Produce.												
Butter—												
Creamery .. .. ℔ lb.	–/8	–/7¾	–/8½	1/–	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/1	–/9	–/9	–/9	–/9¼
Factory .. .. ,,	–/7½	–/7	–/7¼	–/11¼	1/1¼	1/1¼	1/1¼	1/–	–/8	–/8½	–/8½	–/8¼
Cheese—												
Large .. .. ,,	–/4½	–/4⅝	–/4½	–/4	–/4	–/4	–/4½	–/4½	–/4½	–/5⅜	–/5¼	–/5
Loaf .. .. ,,	–/5¼	–/5¼	–/5	–/5	–/4½	–/4⅜	–/5	–/5½	–/5½	–/6¼	–/5⅜	–/5
Bacon .. .. ,,	–/7½	–/7½	–/7½	–/7½	–/7½	–/6¾	–/6	–/6	–/6	–/7	–/7	–/7
Hams—												
N.S. Wales .. ,,	–/8½	–/8½	–/8½	–/8½	–/8½	–/8	–/8	–/8	–/8	–/8	–/8¼	–/8¼
Lard—												
Bladder .. .. ,,	–/5¼	–/4⅜	–/4⅜	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/5	–/4½
Eggs—												
North Coast .. ℔ doz.	–/9¼	–/11⅜	–/11	1/3	1/3½	1/3⅜	–/10½	–/7½	–/6½	–/6⅜	–/6	–/8½
South Coast .. ,,	–/10	1/0½	1/–	1/3⅜	1/4½	1/4⅜	–/11½	–/8¼	–/7	–/7¼	–/6⅜	–/9¼
Poultry—												
Fowls .. .. ℔ pair	3/9	3/2	2/7½	2/9	2/3	2/7½	3/–	3/–	3/2	3/3	3/–	3/–
Ducks .. .. ,,	3/6	3/1	2/7½	2/10½	2/7½	2/10½	3/–	3/3	3/3	3/6	3/3	3/3
Geese .. .. ,,	5/–	3/9	4/6	5/–	4/6	4/6	5/–	5/–	4/6	5/6	5/3	5/9
Turkeys—												
Cocks .. .. ,,	13/9	12/–	7/6	7/9	7/6	7/9	9/–	10/6	11/–	10/6	10/–	12/–
Hens .. .. ,,	5/9	5/6	4/3	4/6	4/–	4/6	4/6	5/3	5/6	5/6	5/9	5/6
Bee Produce—												
Honey .. .. ℔ lb.	–/2½	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2½	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼	–/2¼
Wax .. .. ,,	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–	1/–
Pigs—												
Porkers .. .. each	24/–	24/6	23/–	23/–	21/–	23/–	23/–	24/–	23/6	22/–	22/–	21/6
Fresh Pork .. ℔ lb.	–/5	–/5	–/4¾	–/4¾	–/4	–/4½	–/4½	–/4¾	–/4¾	–/4½	–/4½	–/4½
Milk .. .. .. ℔ gal.	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10	–/10

* No quotations.

No. 21.—Operations of the Hawkesbury Agricultural College and Farm for the Year 1898–99.

	Acres.		
Total Area	3,430	Number of Resident Students	96
Total Area cultivated	1,000	Diplomas awarded during the year ...	7
Area under Grain and Hay Crops ...	700	Hands employed (excluding Students) ...	30
Area under Fruit Trees and Vines ...	42	Value of Plant and Machinery	£4,698
Area under Root and other Crops ...	258	Value of Produce for the year	£6,200

Principal Crops Grown.

	Acres	Yield per acre.		Acres	Yield per acre.
Wheat for Grain	30	16 bushels	Other Fruit Orchards (not bearing)	5	.....
„ Hay	140	1½ tons	Grape Vines for Wine (not bearing)	2	.....
Maize for Grain	170	38 bushels	Grape Vines for Fruit ...	8	2 tons
„ Silage	70	7½ tons	Potatoes	5	3 „
Barley for Grain	40	22 bushels	Turnips...	30	15 „
„ Green Food ...	85	5 tons	Mangold-wurzel	2	12 „
Oats for Grain...	10	18 bushels	Tobacco	...	
„ Hay	70	1¼ tons	Market Garden Produce ...	6	£38 5s.
Lucerne for Hay	28	2½ „	Peas and Beans (dry)... ...	20	14 bushels
Sorghum for Green Food ...	55	10 „	Pumpkins	50	7½ tons
Hungarian Millet for Green Food	10	4 „	Melons	20	74 dozen
Mulberries	12		Cow Pea	20	16 bushels
Rape for Green Food... ...	20	Fed off	All other crops...	64	.....
Oranges (not bearing)... ...	4	.....			
Other Fruit Orchards... ...	24	£8 5s.			

Live Stock and Dairying.

Number of Horses, 59; Dairy Cows, 213; Bullocks, 20; Sheep, 520; Swine, 150; Yield of Milk, 43,573 gals.; Butter, 8,494 lb.; Cheese, 6,196 lb.; Bacon, 1,830 lb.; Number of Sheep killed, 720; Pigs killed, 45; Pigs sold, 166.

No. 22.—Operations of the Wagga Wagga Experimental Farm for the Year 1898–99.

	Acres.		
Total Area	3,300	Applications for Seed Wheat—	
Total Area cultivated	944	Total Quantity applied for ...	953 bushels
Area under Cereals	713	Quantity supplied	769 „
Area under Forage Plants, &c.	118	Price per Bushel	3s. 4d. to 7s. 6d.
Area under Grape Vines	45	Number of Students	12
Area under Fruit Trees	65	Number of Hands employed	13
Area under Olive Trees	3	Value of Plant and Machinery ...	£1,800
		Value of Produce for the Year ...	£950
		Total Capacity of Dams	56,000 cubic yards.

Principal Crops under Experiment.

Wheat (340 varieties).	Prunes, Apricots, Peaches, Raisins, Sultanas, Currants — Drying.	Peas.
Barley.		Grasses.
Oats.		Lucerne.
Millet.		Sorghum.
Fruit (2,000 varieties).		

No. 23.—Operations of the Coolabah Experimental Farm for the Year 1898-99.

	Acres.		
Total Area resumed for Farm	15,000	Hands employed—	
Area enclosed	207		
Area cleared	203	Clearing, fencing, and building ...	35
Area cultivated	186	In farming operations	4
Area under Cereals	156	Value of Machinery and Plant ...	£450
Area under Root and other Crops ...	20	Value of Produce for the year ...	Nil.
Area bare fallow	10	Total capacity of Tank	1,160 c. yds.

PRINCIPAL CROPS UNDER EXPERIMENT.

	Varieties.		Varieties.		Varieties.
Wheat	246	Peas	5	Saltbushes	4
Barley	2	Beans	4	Rape	2
Maize	4	Potatoes	2	Turnips	2
Millets	3	Grasses	4	Cotton	1
Lucerne	1				

No. 24.—Operations of the Bathurst Experimental Farm for the Year 1898-99.

	Acres.		
Total Area	810	Number of Resident Students	10
Total Area cultivated	360	Hands employed	22
Area irrigated	18	Value of Plant and Machinery	£650
Area under Grain and Hay Crops ...	283	Value of Produce sold during the year ...	£420
Area under Fruit Trees	30		
Area under Root and other Crops ...	47		

PRINCIPAL CROPS GROWN.

	Acres	Yield per acre.		Acres	Yield per acre.
Wheat for Grain	104	12 bushels	Fruit Orchards...	30	Not bearing
,, Hay	20	1¼ tons	Potatoes	6	6 tons
Maize for Grain	16	30 bushels	Onions	3	5 ,,
Barley for Grain	3	20 ,,	Carrots	5	3 ,,
,, Green Food ...	16		Turnips...	5	3 ,,
Oats for Grain	36	28 ,,	Mangold-wurzel	5	5 ,,
,, Hay	16	1 ton	Other Crops—		
Rye for Grain	10	25 bushels	Tomatoes, cow-pea, sorghum, pumpkins, grasses, fodders, and other miscellaneous crops	23	
,, Green Food	30	.....			
Millet for Green Food ...	20	.....			
Lucerne for Hay	12	1 ton			

LIVE STOCK AND DAIRYING.

Number of Horned Cattle, 9; Sheep and Lambs, 950: Lambs marked during the year, 380; Swine, 18; Bacon made, 500 lb.; Butter, 500 lb.

No. 25.—Operations of the Wollongbar Experimental Farm for the Year 1898-99.

	Acres.		
Total Area	263	Value of Machinery and Plant ...	£400
Total Area cultivated	48	Free distribution of Seeds, Grasses, &c.:—	
Area under Fruit Trees, Vines, and Bananas	18	Sugar-cane	11,611 sets
Area under Crops	30	Grasses	2,459 roots
Area under Grasses	35	Ramie	302 ,,
Area cleared ready for Grass Seed ...	20	Pineapples	623 ,,
Area partially cleared	93	Economic Plants	133 ,,
Felled Scrub	48	Grass Seeds, &c.	87 pkts.
Standing Scrub	19		

Experimental Crops.

Arrowroot.	Linseed.	Potatoes.	Teosinte.
Beans.	Maize.	Pineapples.	Turmeric.
Barley.	Millet.	Peas.	Tomatoes.
Chicory.	Melons.	Ramie.	Turnips.
Coffee.	Mangels.	Rye.	Vegetables.
Cow-pea.	Onions.	Rape.	Wheat.
Ginger.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	
Lucerne.	Pumpkins.	Sorghum.	

Principal Crop Yields.

	Per acre.		Per acre.
Algerian Oats	40 bushels	Maize—Mastodon	57 bushels
Allora Spring Wheat	5½ ,,	Golden King	56 ,,
White Rye	20 ,,	Hawkesbury	49 ,,
Barley	Cut for straw	Potatoes	3 tons 11 cwt.
Millet	,, silo	Arrowroot Tubers	33 tons
Sorghum	,, ,,	Arrowroot Flour (3 tons 10 cwt. 2 qr.)	£49 10s.

Sugar-cane in different values, from 2s. 6d. to 12s. 9d. per ton, according to quality.

No. 26.—Plantation Trial Stations.

Plantation Station.	Road where situated.	Area.
Native Dog Bore	Bourke to Barringun	42 acres.
Barringun Bore	,, ,, ...	4 ,,
Belalie Bore	,, ,, ...	4½ ,,
Enngonia Bore	Enngonia...	30 ,,
Coolabah Tank	Coolabah	Small.
Byerock Tank	Byerock	,,
Waddell Tank	Bourke to Byerock	,,
Moongulla Bore	Collarendabri to Angledool	12 acres.
Dungle Ridge Bore	,, ,, ...	10 ,,
Pera Bore	Bourke to Wanaaring	66¾ ,,
Brigalow Bore	Ledknapper to Culgoa River	5 ,,
Walkden's Bore	Bourke to Hungerford	125 ,,
Tenandra Bore	Warren to Coonamble	18 ,,
Moree Bore	Moree	6 ,,
Woolabra	Narrabri to Moree	Small.
Tooloora	Walgett to Coonamble	,,

Note.—The Plantations consist chiefly of fruit and forest trees and date-palms; sugar-cane, cereals, grasses, and potatoes are also cultivated. At the Pera and Moongulla Bores blocks have been leased for Irrigation Farms.

No. 27.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
A.—Coastal Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1.—North Coast.								
Rous	2,658	23	1,697	1,071	4,355	1,094	189	5,638
Richmond	558	29	258	169	816	198	65	1,079
Clarence	1,874	25	564	484	2,438	509	130	3,077
Fitzroy	437	5	70	65	507	70	81	658
Raleigh	695	10	64	52	759	62	11	832
Dudley	732	19	257	147	989	166	94	1,249
Macquarie	1,503	8	458	368	1,961	376	228	2,565
Total	8,457	119	3,368	2,356	11,825	2,475	798	15,098
2.—Lower Hunter.								
Gloucester	1,321	14	517	346	1,838	360	242	2,440
Durham	2,145	265	994	805	3,139	1,070	339	4,548
Northumberland ...	3,274	244	828	997	4,102	1,241	567	5,910
Total	6,740	523	2,339	2,148	9,079	2,671	1,148	12,898
3.—County of Cumberland.								
(*Police Districts.*)								
Metropolitan	1,620	3	305	43	1,925	46	30	2,001
Ryde	1,165	176	19	11	1,184	187	2	1,373
Parramatta	1,200	62	20	10	1,220	72	34	1,326
Liverpool	901	36	53	8	954	44	38	1,036
Camden (*part of*) ...	171	3	19	2	190	5	4	199
Campbelltown	241	5	166	56	407	61	57	525
Wollongong (*part of*) ...	22	1	11	5	33	6	1	40
Windsor (*part of*) ...	726	26	15	10	741	36	9	786
Penrith (*part of*) ...	803	19	90	21	893	40	28	961
Total	6,849	331	698	166	7,547	497	203	8,247
4.—South Coast.								
Camden	2,580	26	2,619	1,831	5,199	1,857	317	7,373
St. Vincent	1,171	123	963	465	2,134	588	189	2,911
Dampier	384	1	495	306	879	307	118	1,304
Auckland	529	7	1,044	665	1,573	672	82	2,327
Total	4,664	157	5,121	3,267	9,785	3,424	706	13,915
Total, Coastal Division	26,710	1,130	11,526	7,937	38,236	9,067	2,855	50,158

No. 27.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
B.—Table-land Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
5.—Northern Table-land.								
Buller	81	2	13	1	94	3	123	220
Clive	322	25	4	133	326	158	85	569
Arrawatta	343	120	.....	13	343	133	183	659
Gough	1,012	95	82	270	1,094	365	304	1,763
Drake	36	.....	3	.....	39	.....	49	88
Gresham	15	2	1	4	16	6	24	46
Clarke	147	3	.....	8	147	11	143	301
Hardinge	373	12	4	25	377	37	298	712
Murchison	409	34	.....	49	409	83	163	655
Darling	497	16	19	41	516	57	219	792
Inglis	397	19	5	10	402	29	205	636
Sandon	758	131	21	195	779	326	384	1,489
Vernon	217	.....	6	24	223	24	156	403
Hawes	21	.....	3	9	24	9	97	130
Parry	667	89	2	32	669	121	173	963
Buckland	528	5	21	95	549	100	380	1,029
Total	5,823	553	184	909	6,007	1,462	2,986	10,455
6.—Central Table-land.								
Brisbane	896	46	85	150	981	196	439	1,616
Bligh	465	42	7	20	472	62	294	828
Phillip	884	178	105	200	989	378	180	1,547
Wellington	1,113	71	121	149	1,234	220	430	1,884
Roxburgh	823	108	25	88	848	196	192	1,236
Hunter	335	24	36	42	371	66	78	515
Cook	1,170	12	25	18	1,195	30	90	1,315
Westmoreland	573	9	54	211	627	220	203	1,050
Georgiana	601	99	171	163	772	262	293	1,327
Bathurst	2,518	283	50	416	2,568	699	239	3,506
Total	9,378	872	679	1,457	10,057	2,329	2,438	14,824
7.—Southern Table-land.								
Monteagle	997	117	21	57	1,018	174	252	1,444
King	1,151	286	159	255	1,310	541	409	2,260
Argyle	1,110	150	360	335	1,470	485	447	2,402
Murray	869	88	81	140	950	228	486	1,664
Beresford	183	21	81	127	264	148	369	781
Cowley	58	2	2	16	60	18	128	206
Buccleuch	311	32	9	28	320	60	202	582
Wynyard	585	16	40	93	625	109	330	1,064
Selwyn	134	1	18	61	152	62	205	419
Wallace	251	53	117	162	368	215	347	930
Wellesley	268	17	149	74	417	91	406	914
Total	5,917	783	1,037	1,348	6,954	2,131	3,581	12,666
Total, Table-land Division	21,118	2,208	1,900	3,714	23,018	5,922	9,005	37,945

No. 27.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.								
8.—North-western Slope.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Stapylton	3	.....	.....	1	3	1	275	279
Burnett	137	11	2	19	139	30	334	503
Courallie	36	.....	6	1	42	1	214	257
Benarba	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	448	449
Denham	1	.....	4	.....	5	.....	170	175
Jamison	19	1	.....	.....	19	1	400	420
Nandewar	220	15	2	3	222	18	149	389
Pottinger	360	20	4	10	364	30	563	957
White	23	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	52	75
Baradine	60	3	2	.....	62	3	184	249
Leichhardt	58	2	2	10	60	12	409	481
Total	918	52	22	44	940	96	3,198	4,234
9.—Central-western Slope.								
Napier	52	1	.....	.....	52	1	95	148
Gowen	289	11	2	27	291	38	197	526
Ewenmar	150	16	.....	3	150	19	345	514
Oxley	58	5	1	3	59	8	262	329
Narromine	420	41	6	9	426	50	210	686
Lincoln	821	45	28	58	849	103	196	1,148
Gordon	722	64	10	33	732	97	127	956
Ashburnham	1,491	158	22	67	1,513	225	242	1,980
Kennedy	196	.....	.....	4	196	4	134	334
Cunningham	398	2	.....	8	398	10	244	652
Total	4,597	343	69	212	4,666	555	2,052	7,273
10.—South-western Slope.								
Gipps	208	5	.....	2	208	7	302	517
Forbes	560	38	5	31	565	69	143	777
Bland	769	21	11	120	780	141	323	1,244
Harden	1,110	216	91	115	1,201	331	348	1,880
Clarendon	721	5	22	31	743	36	161	940
Bourke	1,041	9	11	9	1,052	18	159	1,229
Mitchell	488	118	5	11	493	129	292	914
Hume	895	28	26	77	921	105	312	1,338
Goulburn	644	18	87	84	731	102	295	1,128
Total	6,436	458	258	480	6,694	938	2,335	9,967
Total, Western Slope	11,951	853	349	736	12,300	1,589	7,585	21,474
11.—Riverina.								
Dowling	34	.....	.....	.....	34	.....	115	149
Nicholson	215	96	.....	.....	215	96	143	454
Cooper	302	3	.....	5	302	8	168	478
Sturt	57	13	.....	.....	57	13	152	222
Waradgery	109	18	2	6	111	24	405	540
Boyd	85	27	.....	7	85	34	214	333
Urana	555	36	9	12	564	48	533	1,145
Denison	891	19	5	15	896	34	108	1,038
Townsend	319	55	20	63	339	118	482	939
Wakool	96	3	2	3	98	6	273	377
Cadell	332	1	2	74	334	75	111	520
Total	2,995	271	40	185	3,035	456	2,704	6,195
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	14,946	1,124	389	921	15,335	2,045	10,289	27,669

No. 27.—Number of Persons Employed in Agricultural and Pastoral Pursuits—*continued.*

Counties.	Persons Employed in Agricultural pursuits principally, including Dairy Farming.						In Pastoral pursuits.	Total employed in Rural occupations.
	Agriculture.		Dairy.		Total.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		
D.—Western Division. 12.—Western Plains.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
East of Darling—								
Clyde	20	1	8	2	28	3	262	293
Gregory	1	1	.....	.....	1	1	357	359
Flinders	66	.....	2	5	68	5	128	201
Canbelego	17	.....	.....	.....	17	.....	109	126
Cowper	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	231	232
Yanda	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	112	112
Robinson	9	.....	5	3	14	3	100	117
Mouramba	51	.....	.....	.....	51	.....	50	101
Blaxland	29	5	1	2	30	7	233	270
Franklin	19	6	.....	.....	19	6	169	194
Mossgiel	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	119	125
Booroondarra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	54	54
Rankin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	64
Werunda	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	51	54
Woore	7	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	42	49
Manara	10	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	99	109
Waljeers	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	175	181
Kilfera	3	2	.....	.....	3	2	54	59
Caira	47	1	2	4	49	5	151	205
Taila	36	11	1	3	37	14	30	81
Wentworth	48	.....	.....	.....	48	.....	116	164
Perry	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118	118
Livingstone	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	12	132
Total, East of Darling	383	27	19	19	402	46	2,952	3,400
West of Darling—								
Finch	8	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	336	344
Narran	14	.....	1	1	15	1	283	299
Culgoa	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	143	146
Gunderbooka	5	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	109	114
Irrara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	141	141
Thoulcanna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68	68
Barrona	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	6
Landsborough	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	191	191
Killara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	82	82
Fitzgerald	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	6
Ularara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	35
Delalah	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	14
Tongowoko	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	62
Poole	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27	27
Yantara	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118	118
Yungnulgra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	205	205
Young	19	.....	3	5	22	5	114	141
Tandora	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	88
Mootwingee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	118	118
Evelyn	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	67	73
Farnell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	66	66
Yancowinna	32	16	29	21	61	37	174	272
Menindie	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	110	111
Windeyer	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	166	169
Tara	25	11	.....	.....	25	11	56	92
Total, West of Darling	116	27	33	27	149	54	2,785	2,988
Total, Western Plains	499	54	52	46	551	100	5,737	6,388
Total, New South Wales	63,273	4,516	13,867	12,618	77,140	17,134	27,886	122,160

No. 28.—Number of Cultivated Holdings in each County; also Holdings cultivating each of the Principal Crops, Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Total Cultivated Holdings.	Holdings Cultivating—										
		Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.	Market Garden Produce.
A.—Coastal Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1.—North Coast.												
Rous	1,746	1	1,287	52	192	151	...	741	10	6	84	43
Richmond	379	...	308	9	38	34	...	154	35	...	7	16
Clarence...	1,304	...	1,185	47	130	338	1	538	16	3	35	40
Fitzroy	293	5	276	5	51	57	...	...	1	...	6	4
Raleigh...	520	...	501	15	78	87	...	1	6	15	55	12
Dudley	526	2	522	78	101	79	...	...	5	14	38	18
Macquarie	1,206	96	1,172	108	191	183	...	1	16	8	63	62
Total	5,974	104	5,251	314	781	929	1	1,435	89	46	288	195
2.—Lower Hunter.												
Gloucester	929	268	784	73	170	111	...	...	16	18	97	62
Durham...	1,384	526	1,019	282	222	484	1	...	97	55	207	37
Northumberland ...	2,102	503	940	215	255	323	1	1	202	44	337	258
Total	4,415	1,297	2,743	570	647	918	2	1	315	117	641	357
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)												
Metropolitan	870	1	45	4	24	1	...	...	6	135	323	492
Ryde	779	...	29	10	42	8	...	...	156	389	684	29
Parramatta	808	8	68	28	182	12	...	...	116	477	665	42
Liverpool	692	8	114	32	228	36	...	...	261	7	435	77
Camden (*part of*) ...	83	17	43	12	58	3	...	...	22	4	25	2
Campbelltown	233	9	90	23	120	5	...	...	51	2	97	17
Wollongong (*part of*)...	47	...	12	2	16	18	...	...	2	...	21	8
Windsor (*part of*) ...	534	136	231	28	132	106	...	...	49	212	287	8
Penrith (*part of*) ...	708	36	293	66	349	16	...	...	123	40	351	32
Total	4,754	215	925	205	1,151	205	...	...	786	1,266	2,888	707
4.—South Coast.												
Camden...	2,502	146	1,513	230	1,480	645	...	...	23	24	613	70
St. Vincent	884	262	516	50	391	313	...	...	6	3	125	18
Dampier	354	25	291	13	163	164	...	...	1	1	18	3
Auckland	553	72	416	32	293	264	...	...	7	2	78	21
Total	4,293	505	2,736	325	2,327	1,386	...	...	37	30	834	112
Total, Coastal Division	19,436	2,121	11,655	1,414	4,906	3,438	3	1,436	1,227	1,459	4,651	1,371
B.—Table-land Division.												
5.—Northern Table-land.												
Buller	67	9	45	...	21	26	...	...	2	1	4	7
Clive	355	199	275	...	143	190	...	...	...	...	66	4
Arrawatta	191	178	78	5	7	13	...	...	12	4	16	...
Gough	654	386	422	14	396	315	...	...	20	5	78	5
Drake	24	...	18	1	11	3	...	...	...	...	1	2
Gresham	14	2	10	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Clarke	104	33	19	...	56	77	...	...	...	...	2	1
Hardinge	272	168	132	8	126	150	...	...	7	1	33	2
Murchison	251	237	120	9	6	26	...	...	6	1	46	4
Darling	315	270	81	9	3	31	4	...	3	...	37	2
Inglis	270	226	110	13	37	54	4	...	7	...	30	8
Sandon	579	375	291	5	386	339	...	...	...	...	75	2
Vernon	183	124	75	7	136	130	...	...	...	...	10	2
Hawes	31	...	25	...	8	6	...	...	...	...	1	...
Parry	408	302	161	19	12	46	23	...	4	...	55	27
Buckland	387	335	85	27	9	17	1	...	13	1	67	4
Total	4,105	2,844	1,947	119	1,359	1,423	32	...	74	13	521	73

No. 28.—Number of Cultivated Holdings in each County; also Holdings cultivating each of the Principal Crops—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Cultivated Holdings.	Holdings Cultivating—										
		Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.	Market Garden Produce.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*												
6.—Central Table-land.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Brisbane	533	395	213	53	46	106	1	...	43	4	128	6
Bligh	357	325	192	15	23	6	...	...	3	1	29	4
Phillip	616	501	435	39	102	75	...	...	56	1	113	12
Wellington	867	637	392	74	221	191	5	...	37	3	138	32
Roxburgh	568	316	173	21	234	172	13	...	7	2	87	8
Hunter	206	101	161	26	18	12	...	...	22	25	76	4
Cook	972	126	340	53	279	149	...	...	6	316	514	27
Westmoreland	471	177	162	25	343	271	...	...	...	...	23	10
Georgiana	464	331	85	24	317	31	11	1	2	...	31	4
Bathurst	1,526	1,219	513	51	683	801	30	...	10	9	240	49
Total	6,580	4,128	2,666	381	2,266	1,814	60	1	186	361	1,379	156
7.—Southern Table-land.												
Monteagle	624	535	95	17	129	5	...	...	9	...	100	10
King	786	657	267	70	421	308	...	...	2	...	86	5
Argyle	927	584	314	116	618	474	...	...	7	...	319	27
Murray	602	440	159	71	353	163	...	...	...	...	51	12
Beresford	290	131	12	17	178	132	...	...	1	...	15	4
Cowley	64	44	18	4	34	16	...	...	...	...	2	1
Buccleuch	238	165	111	11	80	35	29	...	...	...	19	4
Wynyard	592	369	148	36	220	62	29	...	16	...	105	27
Selwyn	146	42	14	8	103	79	...	...	2	...	45	4
Wallace	285	125	1	19	218	179	...	...	...	...	20	7
Wellesley	323	163	1	26	233	184	...	...	...	...	10	5
Total	4,877	3,255	1,140	395	2,587	1,637	58	...	37	...	772	106
Total, Table-land Division	15,562	10,227	5,753	895	6,212	4,874	150	1	297	374	2,672	335
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.												
8.—North-western Slope.												
Stapylton	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Burnett	106	86	21	1	7	4	...	1	2	...	3	2
Courallie	12	9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Benarba	6	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Denham	14	13	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jamison	30	22	5	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	2
Nandewar	149	140	14	5	2	8	...	...	5	...	16	4
Pottinger	262	216	44	16	15	14	1	...	5	...	35	8
White	28	25	4	2	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
Baradine	85	70	20	2	6	10	...	...	3	...	6	5
Leichhardt	84	76	11	1	3	...	...	...	2	1	3	2
Total	781	664	121	28	36	37	1	1	19	2	69	26

No. 28.—Number of Cultivated Holdings in each County; also Holdings cultivating each of the Principal Crops—*continued.*

Counties.	Total Cultivated Holdings.	Holdings Cultivating— Wheat.	Maize.	Barley.	Oats.	Potatoes.	Tobacco.	Sugar-cane.	Grape-vines.	Oranges.	Fruit.	Market Garden Produce.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*												
9.—Central-western Slope	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Napier	49	41	33	1	4	4	...	...	...	...	6	1
Gowen	219	196	120	9	8	20	...	...	2	...	23	4
Ewenmar	116	129	14	...	3	2	...	...	1	1	5	1
Oxley	69	64	1	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	1	1
Narromine	224	217	23	3	1	3	...	...	1	...	14	1
Lincoln	466	438	163	19	2	23	...	...	16	...	76	4
Gordon	401	385	187	21	12	28	1	...	8	...	44	2
Ashburnham	1,201	1,139	355	25	84	63	...	...	32	3	136	20
Kennedy	92	92	6	1	2	2	...	...	2	2	10	...
Cunningham	201	199	2	...	13	...	...	...	5	...	11	2
Total	3,038	2,900	904	79	129	147	1	...	69	6	326	36
10.—South-western Slope												
Gipps	149	147	...	1	8	1	...	...	...	1	3	...
Forbes	409	398	55	10	11	5	...	...	6	1	34	3
Bland	511	476	5	4	67	...	...	...	7	...	40	4
Harden	672	605	83	31	174	16	...	...	10	2	40	11
Clarendon	411	369	29	12	88	4	1	...	25	1	50	12
Bourke	551	555	3	2	66	2	...	1	16	1	27	3
Mitchell	262	250	4	2	40	1	...	...	4	1	11	2
Hume	399	363	...	13	105	1	...	...	91	...	71	9
Goulburn	384	260	4	17	186	27	1	...	67	1	92	32
Total	3,748	3,423	183	92	745	57	2	1	226	8	368	76
Total, Western Slopes	7,567	6,987	1,208	199	910	241	4	2	314	16	763	138
11.—Riverina.												
Dowling	51	49	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	4
Nicholson	131	127	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
Cooper	165	162	...	1	2	1	...	...	3	1	4	3
Sturt	28	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Waradgery	104	92	10	4	2	...	...	...	2	1	9	7
Boyd	33	33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Urana	268	265	...	2	19	3	...	...	5	4	2	6
Denison	311	309	...	1	25	...	...	...	6	...	14	2
Townsend	149	147	...	2	...	2	...	...	4	3	11	1
Wakool	100	97	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	3	1
Cadell	163	163	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	2	1
Total	1,503	1,472	10	11	50	9	...	...	23	11	48	30
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	9,070	8,459	1,218	210	960	250	4	2	337	27	811	168
D.—Western Division.												
12.—Western Plains.												
East of Darling ...	489	459	...	2	9	2	...	...	11	8	21	32
West of Darling ...	189	135	9	1	6	...	...	...	22	2	19	37
Total	678	594	9	3	15	2	...	...	33	10	40	69
Total, New South Wales	44,746	21,401	18,635	2,522	12,093	8,564	157	1,439	1,914	1,870	8,174	1,943

Section II.—GRAZING AND DAIRY FARMING.

No. 29.—Number of each kind of Live Stock in the Counties of each Division on the 31st December, 1898.

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
A.—Coastal Division.								
1.—North Coast.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Rous	12,786	32,961	88,347	13,959	388	.....	19,726	...
Richmond	4,126	6,415	41,808	9,113	116	.....	2,975	1
Clarence	12,546	18,807	35,328	10,201	717	156	8,315	15
Fitzroy	3,329	2,408	25,118	3,445	336	273	4,141	5
Raleigh	2,270	2,399	5,440	722	220	.....	4,755	60
Dudley	4,296	7,962	24,720	5,130	94	.....	6,907	...
Macquarie	8,234	11,198	32,033	4,562	1,055	109	13,942	8
Total	47,587	82,150	252,794	47,132	2,926	538	60,761	89
2.—Lower Hunter.								
Gloucester	6,582	12,553	44,986	10,434	1,261	95	10,949	107
Durham	12,276	23,069	78,576	10,820	127,295	25,021	14,125	49
Northumberland ...	14,166	15,112	34,289	4,597	15,833	2,025	11,566	558
Total	33,024	50,734	157,851	25,851	144,389	27,141	36,640	714
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)								
Metropolitan ...	23,268	8,184	2,581	106	6,421	2	5,841	1,393
Ryde	1,280	904	507	23	362	1	806	94
Parramatta	3,025	2,146	1,345	62	733	.....	2,026	317
Liverpool	1,940	1,870	2,087	417	570	.....	1,499	121
Camden (*part of*) ...	693	1,653	1,769	279	1,820	172	369	16
Campbelltown ...	1,259	2,714	2,715	475	164	12	599	35
Wollongong (*part of*)	248	262	321	33	94	27	172	82
Windsor (*part of*) ...	2,700	1,738	2,669	312	1,610	416	1,889	17
Penrith (*part of*) ...	3,216	3,661	6,480	772	1,059	111	1,817	100
Total	37,629	23,132	20,474	2,479	12,833	741	15,018	2,175
4.—South Coast.								
Camden	13,863	60,041	45,683	6,399	48,573	6,278	19,524	198
St. Vincent	5,412	15,249	30,690	5,116	33,977	7,801	8,486	90
Dampier	2,548	11,684	15,595	3,417	668	242	4,782	29
Auckland	4,096	25,790	25,822	6,513	3,310	673	7,002	48
Total	25,919	112,764	117,790	21,445	86,528	14,994	39,794	365
Total, Coastal Division	144,159	268,780	548,909	96,907	246,676	43,414	152,213	3,343

No. 29.—Number of each kind of Live Stock, 31st December, 1898—*continued.*

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
B.—Table-land Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
5.—Northern Table-land.								
Buller	2,077	523	42,609	6,629	1,177	213	901	12
Clive	4,002	3,013	52,430	9,366	65,772	11,377	1,142	...
Arrawatta	4,348	589	38,971	6,311	312,744	35,998	792	209
Gough	9,909	4,550	45,112	8,212	506,349	65,375	2,835	1,083
Drake	1,777	398	37,870	7,954	417	132	496	3
Gresham	816	388	9,324	2,025	120	38	242	...
Clarke	2,405	700	26,114	6,077	107,434	20,764	970	...
Hardinge	4,191	1,513	17,118	2,943	500,736	63,268	811	205
Murchison	4,714	1,038	20,363	3,106	354,121	38,265	439	65
Darling	5,173	1,129	14,043	2,611	467,604	84,118	690	62
Inglis...	3,494	626	8,332	1,820	174,667	40,376	836	64
Sandon	6,787	3,346	22,647	3,678	564,543	98,334	1,932	97
Vernon	2,902	1,367	24,549	5,337	317,158	44,752	1,244	3
Hawes	1,106	206	26,183	8,629	29,801	4,576	569	...
Parry...	5,095	1,604	16,958	3,048	393,318	87,851	1,691	23
Buckland	4,890	3,114	19,690	3,430	675,128	147,339	1,297	53
Total	63,686	24,104	422,313	81,176	4,471,089	742,776	16,887	1,879
6.—Central Table-land.								
Brisbane	9,881	5,571	31,231	5,193	706,540	158,010	3,814	17
Bligh	4,954	1,337	13,202	1,713	562,604	122,912	757	107
Phillip	5,639	4,537	18,098	3,305	133,913	28,678	1,265	519
Wellington	7,600	3,958	12,447	2,359	506,282	122,220	2,584	1,315
Roxburgh	4,911	2,458	10,366	1,877	251,310	29,845	1,267	863
Hunter	2,618	1,480	15,794	1,260	3,156	812	2,040	3
Cook	4,288	2,723	6,111	711	28,523	3,666	2,945	197
Westmoreland ...	3,944	2,903	10,473	1,738	115,032	22,356	2,927	108
Georgiana	3,586	4,101	11,497	2,661	352,895	72,507	2,933	223
Bathurst	12,270	6,022	16,038	3,183	603,332	108,534	12,152	493
Total	59,691	35,090	145,257	24,000	3,263,587	669,540	32,684	3,845
7.—Southern Table-land.								
Monteagle	4,387	1,656	4,572	797	427,499	58,995	988	124
King	5,065	3,867	9,889	2,300	543,400	84,288	2,445	142
Argyle	6,471	11,599	23,654	6,210	267,051	56,026	5,093	132
Murray	5,800	5,239	23,963	4,664	666,433	137,661	1,845	350
Beresford	3,236	3,435	19,141	3,104	292,811	61,752	1,065	28
Cowley	1,674	751	11,768	2,014	123,532	24,995	332	14
Buccleuch	2,738	400	14,769	2,568	288,498	28,608	714	67
Wynyard	7,344	3,127	24,273	3,934	574,305	56,290	2,510	201
Selwyn	3,904	1,354	18,381	3,036	303,443	40,317	476	390
Wallace	4,979	3,698	25,010	8,222	526,929	86,991	1,267	287
Wellesley	3,328	4,811	18,806	4,172	457,956	131,782	1,420	43
Total	48,926	39,937	194,226	41,021	4,471,857	767,705	18,155	1,778
Total, Table-land Division ...	172,303	99,131	761,796	146,197	12,206,533	2,180,021	67,726	7,502

No. 29.—Number of each kind of Live Stock, 31st December, 1898—*continued.*

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
8.—North-western Slope.								
Benarba	2,790	448	4,753	630	440,210	159,556	98	20
Denham	771	47	1,326	240	227,173	58,364	62	144
Stapylton	1,596	329	8,367	955	459,284	76,342	125	5
Burnett	4,274	1,095	21,529	3,207	531,726	89,715	366	57
Courallie	2,632	574	14,119	1,555	417,620	116,671	166	70
Jamison	1,667	484	2,709	736	422,687	113,860	169	60
Nandewar	2,952	704	9,350	892	287,905	70,136	354	138
Pottinger	6,872	1,529	13,114	2,377	836,758	164,206	590	342
White	859	264	2,627	403	31,277	5,344	197	189
Baradine	1,885	404	2,716	549	232,753	55,615	342	716
Leichhardt	4,586	1,492	8,172	2,222	1,074,133	299,476	409	46
Total	30,884	7,370	88,782	13,766	4,961,526	1,209,285	2,878	1,787
9.—Central-western Slope.								
Napier	1,087	419	2,054	632	270,604	55,790	101	38
Gowen	3,019	1,323	6,405	2,661	371,685	62,861	506	179
Ewenmar	2,732	896	4,132	686	824,908	214,948	182	180
Oxley	2,053	256	3,096	205	440,179	115,405	89	11
Narromine	3,629	1,025	4,756	934	510,456	95,857	383	33
Lincoln	5,347	2,090	6,775	1,305	412,908	60,083	1,149	132
Gordon	4,147	1,508	4,786	1,583	433,530	101,309	1,028	49
Ashburnham ...	9,474	3,917	11,195	2,032	541,691	136,816	2,195	841
Kennedy	1,497	387	1,708	459	375,861	94,394	192	50
Cunningham... ...	3,519	761	2,267	398	514,434	132,355	542	810
Total	36,504	12,582	47,174	10,895	4,696,256	1,069,818	6,367	2,323
10.—South-western Slope.								
Gipps...	2,381	698	4,010	494	618,655	123,868	155	44
Forbes	3,705	1,392	4,860	5,084	412,148	89,517	763	48
Bland	4,314	1,359	4,127	636	435,898	36,534	618	222
Harden	6,163	4,130	13,175	2,195	651,394	88,049	2,376	121
Clarendon	5,310	2,164	7,330	1,391	448,037	90,812	961	132
Bourke	5,409	1,058	3,873	525	303,844	46,723	1,216	101
Mitchell	3,944	970	5,355	1,081	411,294	54,242	418	115
Hume	6,236	2,271	7,236	1,379	617,028	102,020	814	32
Goulburn	4,040	2,418	11,147	1,298	500,312	57,914	982	58
Total	41,502	16,460	61,113	14,083	4,398,610	689,679	8,303	873
Total, Western Slopes	108,890	36,412	197,069	38,744	14,056,392	2,968,782	17,548	4,983
11.—Riverina.								
Dowling	671	37	1,348	249	184,831	43,961	40	87
Nicholson	1,715	356	1,443	229	156,049	65,879	284	824
Cooper	2,512	478	2,982	503	285,946	73,232	316	158
Sturt	596	146	899	152	114,472	59,996	82	6
Waradgery	3,108	578	2,045	469	461,162	53,514	527	324
Boyd	1,163	266	2,101	569	201,429	57,025	115	...
Urana	4,210	1,000	3,054	893	862,177	181,505	539	7
Denison	5,131	827	3,851	521	277,990	72,960	722	12
Townsend	4,178	1,031	7,158	1,075	771,393	224,685	590	173
Wakool	2,055	610	4,534	447	554,149	145,005	150	168
Cadell	2,285	576	2,260	427	306,675	92,354	66	159
Total	27,624	5,905	31,675	5,534	4,176,273	1,070,116	3,431	1,918
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	136,514	42,317	228,744	44,278	18,232,665	4,038,898	20,979	6,901

No. 29.—Number of each kind of Live Stock, 31st December, 1898—*continued.*

Counties.	Horses (including Foals).	Cattle.		Calves branded during the year.	Sheep (including Lambs).	Lambs marked during the year.	Swine.	Goats.
		Dairy.	Ordinary (including Calves).					
D.—Western Division.								
12.—Western Plains.								
East of Darling—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Clyde	1,481	374	2,877	634	596,297	107,631	47	161
Gregory	2,734	554	11,102	1,319	887,290	205,792	130	81
Flinders	795	219	502	111	160,711	32,730	49	6
Canbelego	947	182	659	154	167,683	14,651	94	367
Cowper	1,729	316	2,268	265	373,068	38,082	404	324
Yanda	554	209	1,076	241	176,115	13,670	32	80
Robinson	950	394	1,636	244	218,148	7,707	554	330
Mouramba	450	69	601	103	107,774	17,815	81	332
Blaxland	877	294	1,063	256	302,916	75,742	91	587
Franklin	930	141	775	224	209,414	56,800	106	132
Mossgiel	353	85	643	103	152,245	42,591	22	67
Booroondarra ...	279	116	791	4,422	65,561	2,429	3	100
Rankin	448	60	1,100	666	126,694	24,291	...	20
Werunda	128	13	546	7	71,631	18,750	10	272
Woore	256	54	428	42	120,105	25,500	10	64
Manara	573	60	814	82	225,320	52,475	6	...
Waljeers	1,202	125	1,065	89	226,135	33,462	36	200
Kilfera	223	19	274	47	92,844	23,600	15	21
Caira	670	141	1,266	167	226,550	32,600	88	397
Taila	414	62	314	241	20,768	2,944	30	164
Wentworth	585	114	795	126	110,841	27,519	166	1,067
Parry	527	28	1,117	193	150,477	39,272	74	523
Livingstone	340	7	753	122	151,436	46,237	45	478
Total, East of Darling	17,445	3,636	32,465	9,858	4,940,023	942,290	2,093	5,773
West of Darling—								
Finch	2,716	120	4,049	664	868,855	227,811	113	25
Narran	2,406	229	3,435	429	646,521	148,679	266	187
Culgoa	1,502	174	870	96	331,730	71,900	149	327
Gunderbooka ...	657	105	2,096	225	162,587	27,714	31	189
Irrara	1,114	192	7,708	271	326,402	26,502	55	164
Thoulcanna	565	47	747	77	277,685	41,053	2	6
Barrona	49	11	35	6	16,546	600	3	40
Landsborough ...	984	139	653	176	384,940	82,592	28	...
Killara	608	.....	606	57	170,722	38,075	.....	...
Fitzgerald	49	30	95	20	20,309	892	.....	...
Ularara	619	32	896	75	205,665	22,170	40	150
Delalah	101	6	1,027	125	48,505	9,948	.....	...
Tongowoko	831	82	506	71	152,050	30,937	77	291
Poole	103	16	1,335	58	44,003	5,478	.....	...
Yantara	687	.....	1,099	153	307,145	74,642	34	51
Yungnulgra	1,297	105	1,891	274	310,583	59,402	178	483
Young	1,388	63	1,896	312	124,341	30,632	98	1,202
Tandora	397	3	879	27	64,834	8,190	123	663
Mootwingee	748	32	2,102	115	199,693	42,938	20	53
Evelyn	618	2	3,336	642	119,236	19,672	34	280
Farnell	419	.....	578	40	38,340	13,020	32	328
Yancowinna	1,815	660	2,153	119	175,961	38,849	2,632	1,535
Menindie	400	13	974	104	97,153	31,080	56	216
Windeyer	685	23	2,079	156	230,695	46,812	26	265
Tara	374	105	504	85	92,914	12,486	53	216
Total, West of Darling	21,132	2,189	41,549	4,377	5,417,415	1,112,074	4,050	6,671
Total, Western Plains	38,577	5,825	74,014	14,235	10,357,438	2,054,364	6,143	12,444
Not included in returns of Counties.	.....	.....	.....	.....	197,692	.....	.....	...
Total, N.S.W. ...	491,553	416,053	1,613,463	301,617	41,241,004	8,316,697	247,061	30,190

No. 30.—Number of Live Stock in each Sheep District (according to the Returns of the Stock Department), 31st December, 1898.

Sheep Districts.	Area.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.
	acres.	No.	No.	No.
Albury	856,121	7,699	14,686	573,535
Armidale	3,368,588	13,290	94,508	1,613,052
Balranald	3,817,007	1,937	3,211	404,246
Bathurst	1,425,661	12,899	31,569	559,039
Berrima	250,310	3,612	23,801	40,588
Bombala	600,678	2,827	19,652	427,287
Bourke	8,412,286	6,592	14,422	1,430,822
Braidwood...	441,889	4,225	33,237	85,210
Brewarrina	3,422,585	3,935	6,123	1,016,422
Broulee	327,600	3,004	31,627	1,488
Cannonbar...	2,714,825	4,826	15,732	1,124,863
Carcoar	990,618	6,592	14,775	663,160
Casino	1,611,837	7,934	147,562	620
Cobar	6,763 700	2,775	4,941	720,096
Condobolin	3,973,907	4,557	6,963	1,055,374
Cooma	1,820,751	7,972	50,579	874,387
Coonabarabran	3,515,281	6,132	13,692	993,974
Coonamble...	2,748,834	6,188	14,247	1,637,160
Corowa	704,794	5,190	5,834	423,326
Deniliquin	2,261,242	5,504	9,996	1,032,567
Denman	328,102	4,648	36,030	35,725
Dubbo	2,805,674	12,613	22,811	1,694,812
Eden	529,678	4,455	54,066	3,131
Forbes	2,601,756	9,803	14,829	1,276,042
Glen Innes	2,457,270	13,945	91,470	771,682
Goulburn	1,028,967	8,084	44,482	391,873
Grafton	1,077,785	16,480	86,917	1,199
Gundagai	2,463,830	10,343	51,862	1,136,900
Hay	4,370,369	5,018	4,781	802,757
Hillston	3,815,205	3,058	3,471	617,900
Hume	1,225,379	5,475	25,051	667,171
Ivanhoe	5,457,328	1,381	2,096	558,154
Jerilderie	1,269,176	3,421	2,700	437,796
Kiama	247,269	6,332	55,195	4,594

No. 30.—Number of Live Stock in each Sheep District, 31st December, 1898—*contd.*

Sheep Districts.	Area.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.
	acres.	No.	No.	No.
Maitland	660,149	13,147	67,902	1,985
Menindee	9,204,471	3,126	8,634	650,776
Merriwa	691,214	4,808	13,254	478,693
Milparinka	7,505,427	2,868	6,764	610,760
Molong	1,669,526	9,799	14,023	975,854
Moree	4,752,256	6,883	30,827	923,592
Moulamein	1,619,039	2,005	4,694	522,924
Mudgee	1,654,914	11,024	41,469	713,526
Murrurundi	836,275	7,879	31,430	526,261
Narrandera	2,727,576	5,393	9,195	584,624
Narrabri	1,217,168	3,500	8,037	363,235
Picton	222,775	3,908	24,315	4,682
Pilliga	1,084,583	2,113	4,958	346,584
Port Macquarie	555,622	9,694	58,668	1,199
Port Stephens	448,929	5,512	41,667	1,088
Queanbeyan	885,292	3,559	17,798	532,027
Singleton	506,895	6,633	54,775	40,025
Sydney	4,032,700	19,500	18,750	2,800
Tamworth	4,023,549	26,156	74,945	2,444,370
Tenterfield...	1,891,475	8,225	90,120	164,401
Tweed—Lismore	289,720	9,086	55,745	650
Urana	1,028,977	2,939	2,739	540,042
Wagga Wagga	2,432,004	12,598	20,078	1,162,049
Walgett	4,608,693	6,360	8,133	1,538,030
Wanaaring	5,836,593	2,077	3,273	715,644
Warialda	2,955,153	11,529	62,233	1,281,043
Wentworth	5,965,480	1,673	2,654	360,076
Wilcannia	10,018,055	3,902	8,188	835,988
Windsor	189,354	7,130	16,348	1,770
Yass	828,293	4,110	12,174	544,210
Young	2,166,106	10,107	19,682	1,295,144
Not included in the returns of the Stock Dept.	.....	41,564	143,126	.....
Total, Sheep Districts	.....	491,553	2,029,516	41,241,004

No. 31.—Number of Live Stock at end of each year, 1875 to 1898.

Year.	Horses.	Horned Cattle.	Sheep.	Swine.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1875	357,696	3,134,086	25,353 924	199,950
1876	366,703	3,131,013	25,269,755	173,604
1877	328,150	2,746,385	21,521,662	191,677
1878	336,468	2,771,583	25,479,484	220,320
1879	360,038	2,914,210	30,062,910	256,026
1880	395,984	2,580,040	35,398,121	308,205
1881	398,577	2,597,348	36,591,946	213,916
1882	328,026	1,859,985	36,114,814	154,815
1883	326,964	1,640,753	37,915,510	189,050
1884	337,172	1,425,130	31,660,321	211,656
1885	344,697	1,317,315	37,820,906	208,697
1886	361,663	1,367,844	39,169,304	209,576
1887	390,609	1,575,487	46,965,152	264,111
1888	411,368	1,622,907	46,503,469	248,583
1889	430,777	1,741,592	50,106,768	238,585
1890	444,163	2,091,229	55,986,431	283,061
1891	469,647	2,128,838	61,831,416	253,189
1892	484,309	2,221,459	58,080,114	249,522
1893	493,231	2,269,852	56,980,688	240,860
1894	518,181	2,465,411	56,977,270	273,359
1895	487,943	2,150,057	47,617,687	223,597
1896	510,636	2,226,163	48,318,790	214,581
1897	498,034	2,085,096	43,952,897	207,738
1898	491,553	2,029,516	41,241,004	247,061

No. 32.—Number of Dairy Cows in each Division, 1889–98.

Year.	Coastal Division.	Table-land Division.	Western Slopes and Riverina Division.	Western Division.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1889	155,531	71,409	29,019	5,356	261,315
1890	217,309	105,430	40,114	6,170	369,023
1891	188,944	105,942	41,587	7,004	343,477
1892	209,880	100,161	48,899	6,170	365,110
1893	216,831	115,895	52,649	7,204	392,579
1894	228,519	139,694	61,931	8,267	438,211
1895	197,436	101,895	51,265	7,815	358,411
1896	232,058	107,063	52,367	8,695	400,183
1897	252,794	104,027	44,983	9,694	411,498
1898	268,780	99,131	42,317	5,825	416,053

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered in the Counties of each Division, for the Year ended 31st December, 1898.

Counties.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
A.—Coastal Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1.—North Coast.								
Rous	36	145	8,745	25	5,232	3,201	310	15,827
Richmond	12	30	700	5	1,298	612	2	232
Clarence	23	71	4,952	290	4,698	1,175	156	3,751
Fitzroy	21	43	76	...	7,532	3,966	...	72
Raleigh	11	22	343	...	1,001	505	8	189
Dudley	20	25	388	6	1,036	739	2	2,307
Macquarie	31	54	1,296	...	3,177	1,206	96	369
Total	154	390	16,500	326	23,974	11,404	574	22,747
2.—Lower Hunter.								
Gloucester	46	70	5,126	177	2,284	1,475	71	375
Durham	42	225	367,771	20,607	10,503	3,212	186	340
Northumberland	127	306	107,666	5,042	16,959	8,571	1,542	8,846
Total	215	601	480,563	25,826	29,746	13,258	1,799	9,561
3.—County of Cumberland. (*Police Districts.*)								
Metropolitan	62	383	1,219,259	43,739	65,503	24,761	14,314	74,867
Ryde	3	27	17,000	1,466	1,445	72	237	326
Parramatta	17	541	1,012,055	5,191	8,258	471	1,069	1,549
Liverpool	9	22	17,635	1,253	802	1,029	206	372
Camden (*part of*)	3	5	640	2	33	229	3	2
Campbelltown	6	12	4,688	417	270	397	49	100
Wollongong (*part of*) ...	2	6	1,972	224	257	34	26	83
Windsor (*part of*)	15	185	662,511	19,157	18,415	3,528	81	246
Penrith (*part of*)	22	55	11,209	1,176	819	1,706	280	343
Total	139	1,236	2,946,969	72,625	95,802	32,227	16,265	77,888
4.—South Coast.								
Camden	84	234	40,424	2,871	4,493	5,544	575	21,397
St. Vincent	27	62	4,798	371	1,393	1,504	58	1,822
Dampier	18	29	610	...	563	645	5	976
Auckland	23	51	5,542	565	1,318	959	40	474
Total	152	376	51,374	3,807	7,767	8,652	678	24,669
Total, Coastal Division ...	660	2,603	3,495,406	102,584	157,289	65,541	19,316	134,865

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
B.—Table-land Division.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
5.—Northern Table-land.								
Buller	12	15	168	...	110	347	...	40
Clive	8	14	7,193	...	631	429	3	119
Arrawatta	9	9	5,646	...	109	114	...	29
Gough	26	63	20,012	386	1,975	1,517	94	600
Drake	10	13	845	...	432	318	...	70
Gresham	9	9	71	...	59	130	...	21
Clarke	12	12	1,928	...	55	148	...	26
Hardinge	12	22	12,434	20	557	534	3	144
Murchison	15	20	8,372	45	505	469	...	142
Darling	10	14	16,011	42	460	356	7	74
Inglis	14	27	8,422	106	624	517	15	193
Sandon	28	69	23,732	846	2,164	910	71	556
Vernon	7	8	5,609	...	209	280	...	40
Hawes	5	5	30	...	7	83	4	5
Parry	18	46	14,703	803	2,030	831	78	454
Buckland	10	24	16,658	266	724	789	49	198
Total	205	370	141,864	2,514	10,651	7,772	324	2,711
6.—Central Table-land.								
Brisbane	21	42	23,414	328	1,381	1,198	39	195
Bligh	7	9	14,981	9	205	226	1	20
Phillip	15	31	7,515	110	727	942	142	155
Wellington	40	109	33,013	1,348	2,697	2,159	227	597
Roxburgh	30	52	7,939	140	1,299	726	5	236
Hunter	4	6	1,456	...	157	112	...	7
Cook	27	78	21,721	2,750	2,463	1,226	324	711
Westmoreland	11	17	6,304	54	420	244	39	35
Georgiana	16	21	9,986	21	587	396	9	86
Bathurst	74	208	67,739	5,507	5,555	4,440	338	2,637
Total	251	573	194,068	10,267	15,491	11,669	1,124	4,679
7.—Southern Table-land.								
Monteagle	9	34	28,557	584	820	365	26	333
King	25	47	21,287	135	788	791	13	181
Argyle	29	97	33,920	4,040	1,922	1,812	65	962
Murray	33	54	27,930	656	1,336	636	16	313
Beresford	17	28	12,218	80	636	212	11	89
Cowley	2	2	2,852	...	7	13	...	2
Buccleuch	12	12	4,494	...	57	123	...	4
Wynyard	30	71	34,696	1,046	1,947	2,292	68	795
Selwyn	14	22	4,777	89	209	348	30	100
Wallace...	23	23	10,101	6	211	263	...	93
Wellesley	10	15	14,209	215	253	385	8	104
Total	204	405	195,041	6,851	8,186	7,240	237	2,976
Total, Table-land Division	660	1,348	530,973	19,632	34,328	26,681	1,685	10,366

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.								
8.—North-western Slope.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Stapylton	4	6	11,162	11	172	64	...	24
Burnett...	8	13	11,439	10	308	355	1	74
Courallie	9	21	9,875	362	424	831	3	263
Benarba	3	6	15,085	...	109	198	...	45
Denham	...	...	4,934	...	.....	...	...	.....
Jamison...	5	7	18,023	...	38	32	...	40
Nandewar	5	14	12,274	327	738	537	111	172
Pottinger	19	45	54,319	4,928	585	516	1	151
White	8	28	17,562	275	965	399	21	173
Baradine	6	8	8,782	71	333	166	10	254
Leichhardt	3	11	24,455	570	520	416	12	382
Total	70	159	187,910	6,554	4,192	3,514	159	1,578
9.—Central-western Slope.								
Napier	4	6	4,707	9	61	43	6	10
Gowen	9	15	10,579	10	513	432	...	80
Ewenmar	4	6	17,396	100	143	171	4	101
Oxley	10	26	16,543	328	671	766	19	195
Narromine	10	22	18,134	454	602	752	97	286
Lincoln	14	37	26,006	376	1,147	1,534	110	336
Gordon	10	42	66,723	417	524	660	25	159
Ashburnham	29	61	37,203	930	1,664	1,631	85	451
Kennedy	3	5	11,013	10	34	52	1	19
Cunningham	6	10	17,740	120	183	60	21	90
Total	99	230	226,044	2,754	5,542	6,101	368	1,727
10.—South-western Slope.								
Gipps	10	15	26,133	336	884	258	11	356
Forbes	7	11	15,950	306	296	183	1	64
Bland	15	28	29,080	656	1,322	492	42	163
Harden	28	50	26,365	589	1,036	1,345	61	389
Clarendon	22	52	28,160	780	860	793	32	389
Bourke	8	22	22,364	259	344	330	4	91
Mitchell	6	11	19,453	114	233	240	13	59
Hume	15	36	43,507	573	1,073	480	37	254
Goulburn	10	59	37,406	1,523	524	897	66	332
Total	121	284	248,418	5,136	6,572	5,018	267	2,097
Total, Western Slope ...	290	673	662,372	14,444	16,306	14,633	794	5,402
11.—Riverina.								
Dowling	1	1	4,649	...	23	21	...	.....
Nicholson	8	10	11,533	59	227	159	21	85
Cooper	8	25	29,456	290	435	450	20	222
Sturt	2	2	6,665	...	45	46	...	12
Waradgery	10	27	39,115	1,540	538	552	11	438
Boyd	3	3	13,235	...	68	...	...	8
Urana	10	17	32,186	293	314	411	20	95
Denison	12	26	23,837	149	464	545	98	149
Townsend	11	154	185,526	14,748	437	441	47	255
Wakool	7	7	13,777	42	18	6	...	.....
Cadell	7	10	12,860	243	86	178	7	23
Total	79	282	372,839	17,364	2,655	2,809	224	1,288
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division ...	369	955	1,035,211	31,808	18,961	17,442	1,018	6,690

No. 33.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, &c.—*continued.*

Counties.	Establishments	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
D.—Western Division. 12.—Western Plains.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
East of Darling :—								
Clyde	3	6	14,332	166	234	193	3	90
Gregory	4	10	21,529	146	351	184	...	136
Flinders	6	19	5,796	52	282	235	...	84
Canbelego	8	11	11,923	104	269	148	2	67
Cowper...	12	138	93,973	380	4,633	4,138	5	410
Yanda	2	3	7,444	...	17	9	...	.....
Robinson...	7	27	16,095	782	1,035	818	76	587
Mouramba	3	5	3,654	...	57	125	3	88
Blaxland...	6	7	8,269	...	93	69	...	25
Franklin	1	2	7,097	20	10	31	7	25
Mossgiel	2	3	4,598	20	21	40	1	29
Booroondarra	...	...	1,662	...	.....	...	...	.....
Rankin	...	...	3,137	...	.....	...	...	.....
Werunda	...	...	1,670	...	.....	...	...	.....
Woore	...	...	3,121	...	.....	...	...	.....
Manara	...	...	5,050	...	.....	...	...	.....
Waljeers...	4	4	4,302	8	4	2	...	20
Kilfera	...	...	2,083	...	.....	...	...	.....
Caira	2	4	7,486	88	75	87	...	16
Taila	2	2	2,377	...	27	22	...	9
Wentworth	3	6	7,610	102	98	46	4	52
Perry	2	2	4,488	...	.....	...	...	5
Livingstone	...	...	4,154	...	.....	...	...	.....
Total East of Darling	67	249	241,850	1,868	7,206	6,147	101	1,643
West of Darling :—								
Finch	4	5	18,076	...	86	128	...	19
Narran	3	6	16,274	30	178	189	1	35
Culgoa	5	6	8,281	...	90	80	...	56
Gunderbooka	3	3	4,244	15	54	225	2	20
Irrara	3	5	5,087	...	36	66	...	14
Thoulcanna	...	...	3,502	...	.....	...	...	.....
Barrona	...	...	186	...	.....	...	...	.....
Landsborough	...	...	3,807	...	.....	...	...	.....
Killara	...	...	3,527	...	.....	...	...	.....
Fitzgerald	...	...	520	...	.....	...	...	.....
Ularara	1	2	3,921	...	71	62	2	35
Delalah	...	...	632	...	.....	...	...	.....
Tongowoko	2	4	2,018	40	43	56	13	48
Poole	...	...	450	...	.....	...	...	.....
Yantara	...	...	5,682	...	.....	...	...	.....
Yungnulgra	4	19	11,523	170	444	232	16	182
Young	4	18	7,248	293	420	93	...	227
Tandora	1	6	2,253	...	12	14	...	.....
Mootwingee	...	...	4,758	...	.....	...	...	.....
Evelyn	2	2	3,132	...	41	35	1	12
Farnell	1	1	2,012	...	.....	10	...	.....
Yancowinna	27	152	75,438	10,209	2,932	2,195	438	3,230
Menindie	2	4	3,754	35	17	20	...	31
Windeyer	1	1	6,649	...	1	2	...	.....
Tara	1	2	2,635	30	11	11	...	19
Total West of Darling ..	64	236	195,609	10,822	4,436	3,418	473	3,928
Total Western Plains	131	485	437,459	12,690	11,642	9,565	574	5,571
Total N.S.W. ...	1,820	5,391	5,499,049	166,714	222,220	119,229	22,593	157,492

No. 34.—Number of Live Stock Slaughtered, 1889–98.

Year.	Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Sheep.	Lambs.	Cattle.			Swine.
					Bullocks.	Cows.	Calves.	
1889	1,409	3,713	*1,802,782	68,977	169,545	69,650	33,969	167,004
1890	1,485	3,642	*2,014,055	71,887	190,699	62,870	22,498	173,354
1891	1,617	4,154	*2,404,953	127,709	210,731	66,391	25,813	178,355
1892	1,870	4,860	*3,371,454	84,728	188,518	123,058	27,022	184,065
1893	2,105	5,786	7,883,650	150,458	230,388	78,661	23,907	188,985
1894	2,146	5,718	8,098,408	154,470	238,349	83,974	23,979	190,277
1895	1,864	6,297	8,256,079	106,924	276,998	87,481	23,618	178,588
1896	1,904	5,959	6,077,420	119,329	232,875	98,910	19,461	149,971
1897	1,869	5,563	5,670,845	119,258	244,085	100,302	21,511	148,047
1898	1,820	5,391	5,499,049	166,714	222,220	119,229	22,593	157,492

* In these years the number of sheep slaughtered on farms and stations was not ascertained.

No. 35.—Increase and Decrease of Sheep, Year ended 31st December, 1898.

	No.	No.
Sheep on 31st December, 1897		43,952,897
Lambs marked during 1898		8,316,697
Sheep imported during 1898		700,718
		52,970,312
Slaughtered for Food for local consumption (excluding sheep killed on Stations and farms)	1,844,130	
Slaughtered for Food on Stations, &c.	1,110,410	
Ditto for Meat Preserving	1,099,660	
Ditto for Freezing for Export	1,095,568	
Ditto for Boiling-down in Boiling-down Works	166,469	
Ditto ditto on Stations	16,148	
Lambs Slaughtered for Food for local consumption	166,714	
Total Slaughtered	5,499,099	
Exported during 1898	1,311,880	
Killed by Dogs	259,979	
Loss by Drought, Ordinary Mortality, and Missing Sheep	4,658,350	
Total Deduction		11,729,308
Sheep on 31st December, 1898		41,241,004
Decrease on previous year		2,711,893

No. 36.—Quantity (stated as in the grease) and Value of Wool Produced and Exported or used for Home Consumption, for each Year from 1875 to 1898.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£		lb.	£
1875	114,308,089	5,686,013	1887	240,954,368	8,943,310
1876	118,019,929	5,609,274	1888	257,080,189	9,110,815
1877	117,327,976	5,285,884	1889	284,780,512	10,639,975
1878	134,014,943	5,756,385	1890	257,641,632	9,018,412
1879	143,063,914	6,519,988	1891	357,794,454	11,055,260
1880	175,016,924	8,062,529	1892	337,073,360	10,225,643
1881	156,209,449	7,187,709	1893	344,985,416	9,704,465
1882	164,740,063	7,467,424	1894	359,174,246	9,038,578
1883	209,251,039	9,638,685	1895	321,646,020	8,996,589
1884	194,716,616	8,988,146	1896	297,577,481	8,817,877
1885	187,140,637	7,278,863	1897	282,164,586	8,053,950
1886	195,479,470	7,057,291	1898	271,864,306	8,361,721

Production of Wool.—The production of Wool during the Calendar Year includes portions of the clips of two seasons. The commercial wool year commences on the 1st July. The bulk of the sheep are shorn between May and November.

No. 37.—Exports of Wool from Sydney and Newcastle to British and Foreign Ports, 1888–89 to 1898–99.

Season.	From Sydney.	From Newcastle.	Total Shipment.
	bales.	bales.	bales.
1888–89	399,881	52,161	452,042
1889–90	421,455	50,029	471,484
1890–91	509,342	54,943	564,285
1891–92	568,706	58,206	626,912
1892–93	585,086	52,779	637,865
1893–94	661,314	58,136	719,450
1894–95	697,333	58,436	755,769
1895–96	639,921	43,080	683,001
1896–97	640,268	49,766	690,034
1897–98	596,538	38,464	635,002
1898–99	598,948	47,529	646,477

Commercial Wool Year.—The Commercial Wool Year commences on the 1st July.

No. 38.—Total Output of Wool from New South Wales, 1898–99.

From.	To British and Foreign ports.	To Victoria.	To South Australia.	To Queensland.	To Tasmania and New Zealand.	Total.
	bales.	bales.	bales.	bales.	bales.	bales.
Sydney	598,948	30,060	.....	19	28*	629,055
Newcastle ...	47,529	4,085	.....	.....	.....	51,614
Albury	.....	20,739	.....	.....	.....	20,739
Cobram.... ...	.....	896	.....	.....	.....	896
Corowa	.....	10,502	.....	.....	.....	10,502
Euston	.....	2,083	.....	.....	.....	2,083
Howlong ...	.....	342	.....	.....	.....	342
Moama	.....	17,217	.....	.....	.....	17,217
Mulwala ...	.....	4,043	.....	.....	.....	4,043
Swan Hill ...	.....	28,850	.....	.....	.....	28,850
Tocumwal ...	.....	6,519	.....	.....	.....	6,519
Wentworth ...	.....	4,402	18,394	.....	.....	22,796
Willyama ...	.....	.....	16,293	.....	.....	16,293
Boggabilla ...	.....	.....	.....	225	.....	225
Wallangarra ...	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
	646,477	129,738	34,687	245	28	811,175
Less importations...						97,565
Total production of New South Wales, Wool Year 1898–99						713,610

* 19 bales exported to Tasmania, and 9 bales to New Zealand.

No. 39.—Prices obtained per lb. at Sydney Wool Sales, Wool Years 1897–98 and 1898–99.

Description.	Superior.		Good.		Medium.		Inferior.	
	1897–98.	1898–99.	1897–98.	1898–99.	1897–98.	1898–99.	1897–98.	1898–99.
Greasy—	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.	d. d.
Fleece	9¼ to 12½	11¾ to 13	7½ to 9	9¾ to 11½	6 to 7	8 to 9½	4½ to 5½	6½ to 7¾
Pieces	7½ „ 8½	9¼ „ 10½	6 „ 7¼	7¾ „ 9	4¾ „ 5¾	6½ „ 7½	3¾ „ 4½	5¼ „ 6¼
Bellies	5½ „ 6¾	7¾ „ 8¾	4 „ 5¼	6½ „ 7½	3¼ „ 3¾	5½ „ 6¼	2¼ „ 3	4½ „ 5¼
Lambs	8 „ 12¾	9¾ „ 11	6¾ „ 7¾	8½ „ 9½	5¼ „ 6½	7 „ 8¼	3¾ „ 5	5½ „ 6¾
Crossbred	8 „ 9½	9 „ 9½	6¾ „ 7¾	7½ „ 8¾	5¾ „ 6½	6¼ „ 7¼	4¾ „ 5½	4¾ „ 6
Scoured—								
Fleece	15¼ „ 18	19¼ „ 24	13 „ 15	16¾ „ 19	11 „ 12½	14½ „ 16½	10 „ 10¾	13 „ 14¼
Pieces	11¾ „ 16	17¾ „ 20¾	10½ „ 11½	15½ „ 17½	9 „ 10¼	13½ „ 15¼	7½ „ 8½	10¾ „ 13¼
Bellies	11 „ 15½	16½ „ 19	9½ „ 10¾	14 „ 16¼	8¼ „ 9	12 „ 13¾	7 „ 8½	10¼ „ 11¾
Locks	8½ „ 11¾	14 „ 15¼	7 „ 8¼	12¼ „ 13¾	6 „ 6¾	9½ „ 12	4¾ „ 5¾	7½ „ 9¼

No. 40.—Export of Frozen Meat, 1889–98.

Year.	Weight.	Value.	Year.	Weight.	Value.
	cwt.	£		cwt.	£
1889	37,868	33,426	1894	339,404	193,760
1890	72,304	71,534	1895	608,441	380,651
1891	105,013	101,828	1896	642,566	343,680
1892	223,074	169,425	1897	504,372	275,647
1893	220,584	141,640	1898	540,114	331,046

No. 41.—Price per stone of 8 lb., of New South Wales Frozen Beef and Mutton, at Smithfield Market, London, 1889–98.

Year.	Beef.					Mutton.				
	Highest price.		Lowest price.		Average Price.	Highest price.		Lowest price.		Average Price.
	Fortnight ending—	Amount	Fortnight ending—	Amount		Fortnight ending—	Amount	Fortnight ending—	Amount	
		s. d.		s. d.	s. d.		s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
1889	26 July ...	3 2	18 May ..	2 6	2 11	28 June...	3 6	1 Jan. ...	2 4	2 11
1890	19 April...	3 0	17 Oct. ...	2 2	2 7¼	22 March	2 10	29 Nov. ...	2 4	2 6½
1891	29 May ...	3 4	11 Dec. ...	2 0	2 10¼	6 „	2 10	8 Aug. ...	1 10	2 3
1892	4 March	3 4	1 Jan. ...	2 0	2 6½	19 Feb. ...	2 8	2 Sept. ...	1 8	2 2¾
1893	21 July ...	3 6	3 Nov. ...	1 10	2 6½	15 Dec. ...	2 4	1 Jan. ...	1 10	2 0¾
1894	26 Jan. ...	2 8	27 July ...	1 6	2 1⅝	26 Jan. ...	2 6	2 Nov. ...	1 6	1 10⅞
1895	5 April...	3 2	13 Dec. ...	1 10	2 4¾	23 August	2 4	17 May ...	1 5	1 11
1896	17 „ ...	2 0	2 April...	1 5	1 9⅝	24 July ...	1 11	29 „ ...	1 4	1 7⅜
1897	14 May ...	2 10	29 Oct. ...	1 7	2 3	14 May ...	1 11	19 March	1 5	1 8
1898	6 „ ...	2 6	1 July ...	1 8	2 0	6 „ ...	1 10	15 June...	1 6	1 8

No. 42.—Export of Preserved Meat (chiefly Canned Mutton), 1889–98.

Year	Weight.	Value.	Year.	Weight.	Value.
	lb.	£		lb.	£
1889	2,877,303	52,321	1894	16,382,577	206,054
1890	4,655,523	74,329	1895	22,384,285	302,828
1891	6,581,713	87,632	1896	16,351,936	218,292
1892	8,260,747	105,922	1897	10,903,611	147,165
1893	13,092,942	164,592	1898	13,930,801	227,288

No. 43.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms, in the Counties of each Division during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Counties.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	lb.	lb.
A.—Coastal Division.			
1.—North Coast.			
Rous	4,791,677	1,600	1,140,584
Richmond	343,915	.....	6,422
Clarence	1,511,294	700	42,339
Fitzroy	61,731	820	2,614
Raleigh	63,790	.....	17,920
Dudley	645,696	700	189,232
Macquarie	678,003	3,274	28,758
Total	8,096,106	7,094	1,427,869
2.—Lower Hunter.			
Gloucester	481,769	112	41,542
Durham	1,053,790	3,338	189,968
Northumberland	3,450,114	3,968	56,122
Total	4,985,673	7,418	287,632
3.—County of Cumberland (*Police Districts.*)			
Metropolitan	4,241,739	.....	2,361,120
Ryde	1,660	.....	1,170
Parramatta	16,015	.....	8,700
Liverpool	21,186	.....	1,910
Camden (*part of*)	19,500	.....	5,450
Campbelltown	64.339	.....	4,943
Wollongong (*part of*)	1,946	.....	2,000
Windsor (*part of*)	101,307	15,000	15,150
Penrith (*part of*)	117,292	.....	6,110
Total	4,584,984	15,000	2,406,553
4.—South Coast.			
Camden	4,783,725	59,636	1,245,400
St. Vincent	815,387	186,805	165,203
Dampier	297,325	1,831,656	59,334
Auckland	2,706,684	940,360	42,968
Total	8,603,121	3,018,457	1,512,905
Total, Coastal Division	26,269,884	3,047,969	5,634,959
B.—Table-land Division.			
5.—Northern Table-land.			
Buller	3,400	.....	2,900
Clive	48,862	100	57,146
Arrawatta	10,062	600	11,410
Gough	119,733	14,418	111,810
Drake	430	10	3,300
Gresham	1,583	.....	2,924
Clarke	5,160	200	15,490
Hardinge	13,329	1,390	40,763
Murchison	17,315	.....	12,232
Darling	12,269	272	11,864
Inglis	64,124	1,880	52,540
Sandon	105,264	1,000	60,660
Vernon	13,746	1,518	11,880
Hawes	2,298	200	3,064
Parry	26,775	.....	38,979
Buckland	81,269	112	28,036
Total	525,619	21,700	464,998

No. 43.—Butter, Cheese, and Bacon—*continued.*

Counties.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
B.—Table-land Division—*continued.*			
6.—Central Table-land.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Brisbane	83,414	800	63,166
Bligh	38,381	.....	5,350
Phillip	163,133	71,755	13,411
Wellington	615,319	15,001	35,406
Roxburgh	132,315	2,130	16,384
Hunter	19,093	700	17,576
Cook	34,036	.....	38,650
Westmoreland	66,815	8,552	38,310
Georgiana	378,907	1,780	15,820
Bathurst	334,251	.....	134,682
Total	1,865,664	100,718	378,755
7.—Southern Table-land.			
Monteagle	64,613	.....	30,050
King	138,105	320	42,795
Argyle	704,672	25,087	65,969
Murray	119,683	470	42,516
Beresford	36,378	2,576	17,426
Cowley	6,632	300	7,710
Buccleuch	13,994	8,480	3,600
Wynyard	80,404	9,520	35,844
Selwyn	18,926	700	21,889
Wallace	237,771	1,660	21,950
Wellesley	436,603	22,400	36,800
Total	1,857,781	71,513	326,549
Total, Table-land Division	4,249,064	193,931	1,170,302
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division.			
8.—North-western Slope.			
Stapylton	52	.....	.....
Burnett	7,685	.....	2,750
Courallie	1,500	.....	.....
Benarba	.....	.....	.....
Denham	.....	.....	.....
Jamison	2,760	.....	200
Nandewar	3,090	.....	3,770
Pottinger	6,340	.....	10,160
White	.....	.....	350
Baradine	940	.....	5,440
Leichhardt	2,016	.....	1,980
Total	24,383	.....	24,650

No. 43.—Butter, Cheese, and Bacon—*continued.*

Counties.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
C.—Western Slopes and Riverina Division—*continued.*			
9.—Central-western Slope.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Napier	100	.....	.....
Gowen	10,830	150	9,410
Ewenmar	1,322	1,700	1,290
Oxley	.....	.....	.....
Narromine	18,500	.....	5,194
Lincoln	49,267	.....	.....
Gordon	37,056	50	29,186
Ashburnham	97,181	340	57,731
Kennedy	4,423	.....	5,550
Cunningham	11,561	.....	10,080
Total	230,240	2,240	118,441
10.—South-western Slope.			
Gipps	11,052	.....	1,151
Forbes	21,638	.....	4,350
Bland	38,205	.....	5,432
Harden	79,476	30	20,405
Clarendon	65,709	312	19,744
Bourke	14,977	100	5,420
Mitchell	24,756	.....	7,300
Hume	112,053	300	45,616
Goulburn	179,427	100	36,571
Total	547,293	842	145,989
Total, Western Slopes	801,916	3,082	289,080
11.—Riverina.			
Dowling	1,850	.....	784
Nicholson	6,020	.....	9,750
Cooper	9,432	.....	6,758
Sturt	.....	.....	.....
Waradgery	10,863	.....	8,210
Boyd	2,202	.....	200
Urana	34,742	.....	7,150
Denison	20,864	.....	21,258
Townsend	22,784	.....	17,533
Wakool	22,930	.....	4,344
Cadell	20,462	.....	4,560
Total	152,149	.....	80,547
Total, Western Slopes and Riverina Division	954,065	3,082	369,627
D.—Western Division.			
12.—Western Plains	10,588	330	9,170
Total, New South Wales	31,483,601	3,245,312	7,184,058

No. 44.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms during the Year ended 31st March, 1899.

Divisions.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	lb.	lb.
A.—Coastal Division—			
Factories	23,937,356	2,102,014	4,832,335
Farms	2,332,528	945,955	802,624
Total, Coastal Division	26,269,884	3,047,969	5,634,959
B.—Table-land Division—			
Factories	2,378,743	118,431	4,564
Farms	1,870,321	75,500	1,165,738
Total, Table-land Division ...	4,249,064	193,931	1,170,302
C.—Western Slope and Riverina Divisions—			
Factories	206,368	.....	.....
Farms	747,697	3,082	369,627
Total, Western Slope and Riverina Divisions	954,065	3,082	369,627
D.—Western Division—			
Factories	.....	.....	.....
Farms	10,588	330	9,170
Total, Western Division... ...	10,588	330	9,170
Total, Factories	26,522,467	2,220,445	4,836,899
Total, Farms	4,961,134	1,024,867	2,347,159
Total, New South Wales	31,483,601	3,245,312	7,184,058

NOTE.—Factories include farms using steam dairy appliances.

No. 45.—Quantity of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon made in Factories and on Farms for each year during the period 1890–99.

Year ended 31st March—	Butter.			Cheese.			Bacon and Hams.		
	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.	Factory.	Farm.	Total.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1890	.....	.....	17,600,264	.....	.....	4,834,286	.....	.....	6,331,709
1891	8,049,656	10,484,474	18,534,130	3,592,717	1,203,850	4,796,567	2,541,948	4,888,023	7,429,971
1892	7,661,197	10,701,700	18,362,897	3,722,264	1,783,807	5,506,071	2,120,269	3,889,331	6,009,600
1893	10,141,066	11,257,234	21,398,300	1,803,674	3,214,622	5,018,296	1,803,824	3,303,253	5,107,077
1894	15,635,360	10,755,484	26,390,844	1,614,383	3,078,721	4,693,104	3,704,996	4,055,392	7,760,388
1895	17,567,646	9,792,049	27,359,695	1,656,703	3,163,709	4,820,412	2,417,373	4,375,530	6,792,903
1896	16,770,189	6,525,323	23,295,512	1,670,255	1,268,530	2,938,785	2,522,695	2,728,022	5,250,717
1897	18,828,293	7,045,984	25,874,277	1,887,106	2,132,738	4,019,844	2,902,987	2,400,776	5,303,763
1898	23,713,509	5,696,457	29,409,966	2,221,377	1,715,791	3,937,168	4,458,063	2,086,718	6,544,781
1899	26,522,467	4,961,134	31,483,601	2,220,445	1,024,867	3,245,312	4,836,899	2,347,159	7,184,058

No. 46.—Number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, Steam Machinery in use, and Persons Employed, Year ending 31st March, 1899.

Divisions.	Factories.								Estimated Value of Plant and Machinery.	Steam Machinery in use.						Persons Employed.	
	Butter only.	Creameries only.	Cheese only.	Bacon and Ham only.	Butter and Cheese.	Butter and Bacon.	Butter, Cheese, and Bacon.	Total.		Engines.	Horse-power.	Butter Workers.	Churns.	Cream Separators.	Presses.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No	No.	No	No.	No.	No.	£	No.		No.	No.	No.	No	No.	No.
Coastal	110	318	22	10	4	...	1	465	208,701	486	2,718	120	180	569	194	1138	72
Table-land ...	61	34	1	...	3	...	2	101	33,094	103	522	62	77	137	8	241	16
Western Slopes and Riverina..	16	4	...	...	..	...	...	20	7,049	19	92	10	15	18	...	53	9
Total, New South Wales ...	187	356	23	10	7	...	3	586*	248,844	608	3,332	192	272	724	202	1432	97

*The number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, shown in Part "Manufactories and Works," is only 146; the total shown above includes others not coming under the factory definition used in the Part referred to.

No. 47.—Number of Butter, Cheese, and Bacon Factories, Steam Machinery in use, and Persons Employed, 1892–99.

Year ended 31st March—	Factories.								Estimated Value of Plant and Machinery.	Steam Machinery in use.						Persons employed.	
	Butter only.	Creameries only.	Cheese only.	Bacon and Ham only.	Butter and Cheese.	Butter and Bacon.	Butter, Cheese, and Bacon.	Total.		Engines.	Horse-power.	Butter Workers.*	Churns.*	Cream Separators.*	Presses.	Males.	Females.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	No.		No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1892	124	...	88	11	27	8	12	270	62,104	297	1,086	136	211	264	...	670	217
1893	183	9	6	5	12	30	9	254	130,923	309	1,646	199	294	358	136	574	111
1894	246	21	5	13	9	43	7	344	181,653	368	1,992	228	331	416	156	915	140
1895	256	55	5	11	12	48	8	395	196,036	380	2,052	225	319	424	184	919	132
1896	214	99	19	10	8	31	7	388	211,462	394	2,070	187	264	364	128	949	83
1897	191	202	16	12	15	17	4	457	212,216	456	2,929	241	339	587	152	1,246	151
1898	181	294	18	8	9	2	2	514	224,526	533	3,415	187	263	667	191	1,329	124
1899	187	356	23	10	7	...	3	586	248,844	608	3,332	192	272	724	202	1,432	97

* The figures in these columns refer only to Farm Factories, except for the years 1897, 1898, and 1899.

No. 48.—Export of New South Wales Butter, 1889–98.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
	lb.	£		lb.	£
1889	457,698	17,562	1894	4,590,606	150,263
1890	1,008,582	35,926	1895	2,028,349	57,575
1891	533,869	22,622	1896	2,565,806	102,502
1892	1,713,466	73,205	1897	6,526,673	258,725
1893	3,161,792	124,936	1898	8,949,588	376,421

No. 49.—Prices realised in the London Market for New South Wales Butter, 1897–98.

Month.	Price per cwt.				Month.	Price per cwt.			
	1897.		1898.			1897.		1898.	
	Highest.	Lowest.	Highest.	Lowest.		Highest.	Lowest.	Highest.	Lowest.
	s.	s.	s.	s.		s.	s.	s.	s.
January	106	72	103	90	July	.....	...	.....	...
February... ...	102	82	104	90	August	.....	...	.....	...
March	97	85	104	94	September ...	104	100	.....	...
April	.....	...	100	94	October	100	93	108	104
May	.....	...	.....	...	November ...	104	84	108	92
June	.....	...	.....	...	December ...	106	82	116	96

No. 50.—Prices realised in the London Market for Australian Butter and Cheese, 1898.

Butter.

Month.	Factory.						Dairy.			
	Choice.		Fine.		Medium.		Fine.		Medium.	
	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To
	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.
January	92	100	88	94	80	88	80	86	...	...
February	94	108	88	102	80	94	80	94	...	...
March	100	108	92	102	86	94	90	94	...	...
April	92	100	86	94	86	90	...	...	...	...
May	90	94	82	88	...	...	...	...	...	...
June*	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
July*	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
August*	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
September*	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
October	112	114	104	108	90	94	...	...	...	...
November	104	108	96	102	86	94	88	90	...	...
December	102	116	96	108	90	100	90	94	...	...

Cheese.

Month	Finest.				Good to Fine.			
	White.		Coloured.		White.		Coloured.	
	From	To	From	To	From	To	From	To
	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.	s.
January	41	42	41	43	39	40	39	40
February	40	42	40	43	38	40	38	40
March	38	41	37	41	36	41	36	39
April	38	43	38	44	36	41	36	42
May	40	44	42	45	38	42	39	42
June	36	41	37	42	34	38	34	39
July	36	37	38	39	34	35	34	37
August*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
September*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
October*...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
November	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
December*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* No quotations.

Section III.—FORESTRY, WATER CONSERVATION, AND FISHERIES.

No. 51.—Forestry Licenses current during 1898.

Description.	Amount of Fee.			Total Fees collected during 1898.
	Per Month.	Per Quarter.	Per Year.	
	s. d.	s. d.	£	£ s. d.
Fuel License	2 6	5 0	1	495 12 0
Wood-cutter's License	5 0	15 0	3	2,338 5 0
Cedar License	10 0	.....	6	333 0 0
Timber-cutter's License—				
Class A	10 0	.....	6	} 823 0 0
„ B	15 0	.....	9	
„ C (under Royalty)	10 0	.....	6	375 0 0
Tree Permit	At rate per tree, but total amount to be not less than 10s.			240 12 10
Wattle Bark License	15s.			236 5 0
Sites for Saw-mills	£3 for first 5 acres, and 1s. for each additional acre—maximum area, 10 acres			39 15 0
Agistment Area License	£5 for first 40 acres, and 1s. for each additional acre—maximum area, 160 acres			.....
Block Licenses	.....			..... 142 10 0
Quarry License	10s.	£1	£4	285 10 0
Quarrying and Brickmaking Permits ...	Not less than £10 per annum.			.....

No. 52.—Revenue from Forestry Licenses, 1886–98.

(According to Treasury Returns.)

Year.	Revenue Collected.			Year.	Revenue Collected.		
	Timber Licenses, &c.	Royalty on Timber.	Total.		Timber Licenses, &c.	Royalty on Timber.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1886	8,501	4,500	13,001	1893	5,392	4,208	9,600
1887	6,719	4,633	11,352	1894	3,709	2,848	6,557
1888	7,858	10,639	18,497	1895	4,068	2,164	6,232
1889	7,708	9,086	16,794	1896	3,787	4,001	7,788
1890	7,441	7,276	14,717	1897	4,560	4,153	8,713
1891	8,565	7,530	16,095	1898	5,309	5,643	10,952
1892	7,654	7,808	15,462				

No. 53.—Number of Noxious Animals Destroyed under the "Pastures and Stock Protection Act," 1881–98.

Year.	Animals Destroyed.						Assessment collected.	Government subsidy paid.	Expenditure.
	Kangaroos.	Kangaroo Rats.	Wallabies.	Native Dogs.	Hares.	Wild Pigs.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1881–9	7,780,245	*117,560	3,980,414	68,295	597,544	23,889	338,995	132,666	469,420
1890	175,755	92,014	506,161	9,955	397,439	5,292	33,649	8,792	39,664
1891	271,172	130,881	705,510	11,530	649,131	20,206	31,664	8,336	46,795
1892	144,712	288,866	726,669	11,838	786,230	45,173	37,734	8,409	49,987
1893	49,254	234,828	743,017	14,148	734,212	8,802	39,117	1,766	46,688
1894	11,630	238,825	796,667	11,279	708,581	25,851	39,467	1,827	44,695
1895	155,908	467,475	1,393,253	11,383	700,917	43,965	39,639	1,053	45,952
1896	80,639	160,808	655,309	13,138	551,548	23,300	38,252	1,590	35,934
1897	27,422	238,822	1,118,473	13,264	599,595	9,524	35,235	1,567	40,341
1898	13,827	86,758	570,165	12,000	442,319	15,439	32,721	3,790	28,911
Total	8,710,564	2,056,837	11,195,638	176,830	6,167,516	221,441	666,473	169,796	848,387

* No Returns previous to 1888.

No. 54.—Rabbit Extermination.

Expenditure under "The Rabbit Nuisance Act of 1883," 1883–90.

Year.	Amount of Tax.	Year.	Amount of Tax.
	£		£
1883 (from 1st May)	490	1889	98,312
1884	84,830	1890 (to 30th June)	4,714
1885	159,554	Total Amount of Tax	831,457
1886	115,711	Contributed by land owners and occupiers (approximate)	207,864
1887	210,594	From Consolidated Revenue... ...	503,786
1888	157,252	Total Expenditure under the Act of 1883	1,543,107

Expenditure under "The Rabbit Act of 1890," 1890–98.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1890 (1st July to 31st December) ...	2,803	1896	4,318
1891	1,701	1897	867
1892	17,551	1898	679
1893	9,643		
1894	836	Total	39,358
1895	960		

NOTE.—The total length of State-constructed barrier fencing is 1,157 miles; and in addition to this it is estimated that about 19,006 miles have been erected by private enterprise.

No. 55.—Water Conservation.

Number of Public Watering Places, Year 1898.

Description.		How dealt with.	
Tanks	156	Leased (at rentals ranging from £1 to £255 per annum)	210
Dams and Reservoirs	23	Unleased (in charge of caretaker) ...	34
Wells	30	Under Trustees	7
Bore	69	Open Watering Places	45
Open P. W. Places	18		
Total...	296	Total	296

No. 56.—Artesian Boring.

GOVERNMENT FLOWING BORES.

Bore.	Road where situated.	Depth.	Temperature.	Flow per diem.
		feet.	Deg. Fahr.	gallons.
Moongulla	Collarendabri to Angledool	2,570	125	557,735
Dungle Ridge	do do	2,566	122	850,000
Moree	Moree	2,792	115	1,108,080
Gil Gil	Moree to Boggabilla	3,093	112	700,000
Dolgelly	do do	4,086	130	745,200
Tulloona Road	do do	3,534	120	783,000
Wallon Road	do do	3,695	124	800,000
Woolabra	Narrabri to Moree	1,901	.....	500,000
Coonamble...	Coonamble	1,302	95	1,878,000
Bourbah	Near Bourbah	1,797	95	1,134,000
Tooloora	Walgett to Coonamble	1,543	104	3,000,000
Tenandra	Near Tenandra...	850	.....	1,000,000
Kelly's Camp	Bourke to Hungerford	1,577	112	600,000
Kenmare	do do	1,539	.....	2,050,000
Kerribree Creek	do do	1,193	111	800,000
Yantabulla, No. 1	do do	209	80	7,500
do No. 2	do do	587	.....	31,000
Yongerrina...	do do	165	82	120,000
Waroo	do do	385	88	17,000
Walkden's	do do	1,604	.....	200,000
Cuttaburra...	Bourke to Wanaaring	1,707	96	20,000
Tinchelooka	do do	1,231	98	52,000
Goonery	do do	120	.....	1,800
Poison Point	do do	1,399	.....	20,000
Dargle	do do	1,179	.....	50,400
Pera	do do	1,154	98	610,000
Gidgea Camp	Bourke to Barringun	2,002	91	7,000
Barringun	do do	1,711	115	170,000
Belalie	do do	1,565	117	400,000
Native Dog...	do do	457	92	500,000
Enngonia	do do	1,666	117	320,000
Brigalow	Culgoa to Ledknapper...	2,292	90	150,000
Barrona	Louth to Wanaaring	1,010	100	200,000
Wanaaring...	Wanaaring	1,644	116	400,000
Osacca	Wanaaring to Milparinka	1,646	129	350,000
Clifton	do do	1,638	139	2,000,000
Tinaroo	do do	1,858	139	800,000
Sibraas	Bourke to Wanaaring	1,059	98	700,000
Goodooga	Goodooga	2,812	120	432,000
Bulyeroi	Collarendabri to Bulyeroi	2,424	116	1,750,000
Gilgandra	Gilgandra	3,035	.....	2,000
Carinda	Warren to Walgett	1,702	.....	1,000,000
Wilby Wilby	Walgett to Goodooga	2,162	.....	1,114,800
Moramina	Walgett to Wilby Wilby	2,271	107	1,069,920
Warren	Warren	869	.....	1,000,000
Finger Post (in progress)...	Goodooga to Angledool	3,144	25	750,000

GOVERNMENT PUMPING BORES.

Bore.	Road where situated.	Depth.	Bore.	Road where situated.	Depth.
		feet.			feet.
Sandy Creek...	Cobham to Silverton ...	730	Warratta ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka.	2,393
Packsaddle ...	do do ...	1,942	Nyngan ...	Nyngan	710
Hay	Hay	1,962	Green Camp...	Nyngan to Warren ...	1,327
Dolmoreve ...	Balranald to Ivanhoe ...	1,237	Tolarno ...	Ivanhoe to Menindie ...	1,602
do ...	do do ...	208	Narrowin ...	Brewarrina to Nyngan ...	1,179
Opera ...	Louth to Wanaaring ...	803	Nevertire ...	Nevertire	2,525
91-mile ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka..	2,002	Ooarnoo ...	Tibooburra to Yalpunga...	1,357
Currabulla ...	do do ...	1,973	Paldrumata ...	Cobham	780
Holey Box ..	Mossgiel to Ivanhoe ...	1,230	Trangie ...	Trangie	1,021
Mulgany ...	Wanaaring to Milparinka..	1,700			

No. 56.—Artesian Boring—*continued.*

PRIVATE BORES.

Bores.	No.	Depth.	Temperature.	Flow per diem.
		feet.	Deg. Fahr.	gallons.
Warraweena	1	1,247	96	196,000
do	2	840	90	40,000
do	3	997	90	35,000
Talowonta	...	1,949	...	40,000
Cuttabulla (Lila Springs).	1	1,357	80	30,000
do	2	2,001	104	72,000
do	3	1,729	121	4,000,000
Clifton Downs (Rushton's).	..	1,080	102	244,000
Toulby...	1	1,570	...	3,500,000
do	2	1,791	...	600,000
Dunlop	1	740	...	43,000
do	2	940	...	576,000
do	3	860	...	600,000
do	4	740	...	500,000
do	5	1,445	...	10,800
do	6	935	...	100,000
do	7	750	...	500,000
do	8	899	...	800,000
do	9	816	...	18,000
do	10	1,030	...	500,000
Fort Bourke	...	1,284	96	1,200,000
do	2	...	...	500,000
Momba	1	1,261	...	.....
do	2	1,947	...	.....
do	3	1,997	...	.....
do	4	223	...	108,000
do	5	1,755	...	.....
Yancannia	1	225	...	200,000
do	2	850	...	.....
do	3	659	...	.....
do	4	727	...	100,000
do	5	962	...	200,000
Belalie...	1	1,700	...	600,000
do	2	1,700	...	90,000
Nocoleche	1	916	...	140,000
do	2	1,500	...	.....
do	3	1,227	...	700,000
Elsinore	1	1,770	122	85,000
do	2	1,757	135	1,000,000
Urisino	1	1,680	...	.....
do	2	1,755	...	.....
do	3	1,475	...	.....
Wanaaring	1	1,430	98	15,000
do	2	1,330	120	200,000
Boorooma	..	1,493	...	.....
Wangamana	...	1,600	...	7,200
Corrella	1	943	96	368,000
do	2	1,112	92	156,000
do	3	1,327	102	240,000
Lissington	1	1,400	116	100,000
do	2	1,130	100	50,000
do	3	1,070	99	3,000,000
do	4	1,207	104	4,000,000
Buckanbe	...	725	...	.....
Marra	1	1,482	...	.....
do	2	895	...	.....
Dunumbral	...	2,480	...	.....
Yanda	1	750	...	.....
do	2	1,008	...	.....
Salisbury Downs ...	1	1,365	...	200
do ...	2	1,568	...	7,000
do ...	3	1,400	...	.....
do ...	4	1,338	...	.....
do ...	5	1,708	...	.....
Kerribree	1	1,073	...	350,000
do	2	1,340	...	1,000,000
Pirillie...	1	839	...	.....
do	2	645	95	44,000
do	3	630	95	18,000
Glengarie	...	1,369	...	250,000
Kallara	1	46	...	9,000
do	2	140	...	160,000
do	3	600	...	10,000
do	4	820	...	1,000
do	5	900	...	1,500
do	6	1,411	...	2,000
do	7	540	...	500,000
do	8	931	...	60,000
do	9	676	...	50,000
do	10	700	...	7,000
do	11	900	...	.....
do	12	463	...	8,000
Weilmoringle	1	2,005	...	28,000
do	2	1,590	...	1,728,000
New Angledool ...	...	2,664	117	120,000
Brindingabba	1	760	90	250,000
do	2	820	90	480,000
do	3	1,114	112	385,000
do	4	1,170	100	35,000
Goondabluie	1	2,800	...	3,000,000
do (in progress)	2	2,000	...	.. ...
Briwarra	..	...	...	2,000,000
Multagoona	1	1,030	...	100,000
do	2	1,118	...	230,000
Wapwelah	1	720	80	8,000
do	2	1,407	114	57,600
Tinapagie	1	963	...	13,600
do	2	533	...	.....
do	3	1,243	...	75,000
Toorale	1	780	...	400,000
do	2	385	...	100,000
do	3	2,300	...	30,000
do	4	1,485	...	2,000
do	5	400	...	40,000
do	6	500	...	1,000
do	7	1,700	...	.....
do	8	900	...	.....
do	9	890	...	.....
do	10	In progress.		
Bangate	...	2,387	...	1,360,000
Bootra...	...	1,105	...	35,000
Morton Plains ...	1	1,855	...	600,000
Eureka...	1	1,584	108	800,000
Butterbone	1	921	88	1,000,000
do	2	...	...	.....
Weemabung	1	1,010	86	1,500,000

Private Bores.—These bores are situated on private holdings and have been made at the sole cost of the owners. The information in the foregoing table has been obtained by the Department of Mines from the various owners and boring contractors, and not from actual measurement of the flows; it can therefore be only accepted as approximate.

No. 57.—Fisheries: Licenses issued; also Prosecutions and Convictions for Offences under the Fisheries and Oyster Fisheries Acts, 1883–98.

Year.	Licenses issued.		Convictions for Offences under the Acts.	Year.	Licenses issued.		Convictions for Offences under the Acts.
	Fishermen's.	Fishing Boats.			Fishermen's.	Fishing Boats.	
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1883	551	247	.....	1891	818	384	64
1884	651	283	.....	1892	997	482	76
1885	674	295	.....	1893	1,222	574	61
1886	784	284	.....	1894	1,024	456	103
1887	754	333	.....	1895	882	415	58
1888	360	819	51	1896	895	214	43
1889	908	388	41	1897	863	378	29
1890	844	409	57	1898	877	410	61

No. 58.—Revenue and Expenditure of the Fisheries Department, 1883–98.

Year.	Revenue.						Total Expenditure.
	Licenses.	Deposits on Leased Areas.	Rental of Leased Areas.	Fines and Forfeitures.	Deeds and other sources.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1883	2,931*	.....	406	79	16	3,432	3,776
1884	2,630*	.....	2,980	256	.....	5,866	4,525
1885	2,484*	.....	2,141	363	.....	4,988	5,566
1886	2,827*	996	2,645	73	538	7,089	5,701
1887	2,046*	347	2,455	247	427	5,522	7,116
1888	685	186	2,461	180	123	3,635	6,488
1889	755	228	2,004	104	156	3,247	5,682
1890	739	127	1,644	105	81	2,696	6,048
1891	704	85	1,581	144	73	2,587	5,024
1892	849	52	1,144	135	36	2,216	4,830
1893	1,064	24	1,607	102	15	2,812	3,698
1894	865	.....	1,488	225	31	2,609	2,693
1895	777	65	1,396	186	34	2,458	2,910
1896	591	677	1,346	85	104	2,803	3,026
1897	722	440	1,707	34	77	2,980	2,533
1898	777	491	2,029	133	247	3,677	2,525

* Includes Royalties up to the year 1887.

No. 59.—Number of Applications for Oyster Leases, and Length of Foreshore applied for; also, Foreshore actually under Lease, and Quantity of Oysters taken, 1883–98.

Year.	Applications for Leases.		Leases Existing on 31 December.		Oysters Taken.	Year.	Applications for Leases.		Leases Existing on 31 December.		Oysters Taken.
	No.	Length of Foreshore Applied for.	No.	Length of Foreshore.			No.	Length of Foreshore Applied for.	No.	Length of Foreshore.	
		Yards.		Yards.	Bags.			Yards.		Yards.	Bags.
1883	198	235,090	*...	*.....	15,459	1891	28	6,525	347	104,800	4,727
1884	721	503,048	122	149,060	8,442	1892	20	4,050	325	123,600	7,428
1885	505	160,058	134	214,000	12,801	1893	26	6,400	247	98,500	5,542
1886	338	99,481	570	264,500	14,774	1894	20	4,650	186	86,500	8,086
1887	146	32,642	538	177,588	9,864	1895	13	6,500	229	88,700	9,413
1888	86	23,550	559	216,576	9,184	1896	241	68,806	368	131,500	12,287
1889	73	22,878	531	150,926	6,914	1897	153	43,167	488	170,484	14,701
1890	49	12,700	402	148,500	6,902	1898	163	48,154	630	191,014†	16,269

* Figures not available. † Also 5 acres deep-sea leases.

Section IV.—MINING.

No. 60.—Area that may be Granted as Mineral Leases, and Royalties payable to Crown.

Mineral.	Area. Max.	Area. Min.	Term of Lease.	Royalties Payable to Crown.
	acres.	acres.		
Crown Lands.				
Gold	25	...	Maximum—15 years..	1 per cent. on leases under 48 Vic. No. 10; other, Nil.
Silver	80	...	„ 20 „ ...	Nil.
Coal and Kerosene Shale	640	40	„ 20 „ ...	Large, 6d. per ton; small, 3d. per ton.
Other	80	20	„ 20 „ ...	Nil.
Private Lands.				
Gold	40	...	20 years	Nil.
All Other Minerals ...	80	...	20 „	Nil.

In special cases the Governor may grant a lease or special lease covering any desired area.

No. 61.—Miners' Rights, Mineral and Business Licenses, 1890–98.

Year.	Miners' Rights. Issued.	Miners' Rights. Fees received.	Mineral Licenses. Issued.	Mineral Licenses. Fees received.	Business Licenses. Issued.	Business Licenses. Fees received.
	No.	£	No.	£	No.	£
1890	17,759	7,537	2,412	2,380	5,308	3,145
1891	15,960	6,889	2,204	2,148	6,178	3,560
1892	13,781	6,073	1,670	1,475	4,358	2,638
1893	19,169	6,808	7,137	1,688	3,505	2,116
1894	35,075	10,903	1,115	1,125	2,908	1,710
1895	31,831	11,956	1,077	967	2,625	1,552
1896	27,278	10,147	1,298	799	2,285	1,172
1897	29,455	5,477	1,294	235	2,353	1,315
1898	23,750	4,234	1,099	192	2,144	1,264

No. 62.—Area under Occupation for Mining Purposes on 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Crown Lands Occupation Act, 1861 (25 Vic. No. 2).	Mining Act Further Amending Act, 1884 (48 Vic No 10).	Mining Act, 1874 (37 Vic. No 34)	Church and School Lands Mining Act, 1888 (52 Vic. No. 12).	Mining on Private Lands Act of 1894 (57 Vic. No. 32)	Total.
Crown Lands—	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
Under Gold Lease ...	.....	79	11,356	637	14,895	26,330
„ Mineral Lease ...	2,324	47,043	21,450	1,349	1,023	71,840
„ Application for Gold Lease	.....	.....	1,067	.....	.....	1,067
Under Application for Mineral Lease ...	.....	.....	1,917	.....	.....	1,917
Under Miners' Rights ...	Information not available.					
„ Mineral Licenses...						
Permits under sections 27 and 28	.....	.....	33,500	.....	.....	33,500
Private Lands—						
Under Special Lease ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,009	13,009
„ Ordinary Lease ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,908	2,908
„ Application for Lease	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,330	1,330

No. 63.—Royalties paid to Crown, 1890–98.

(See also Table No. 60.)

Year.	Royalty from—		Total.	Year.	Royalty from—		Total.
	Land held under Permits.	Land held under Lease.			Land held under Permits.	Land held under Lease.	
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1890	*	*	5,607	1895	402	13,818	14,220
1891	*	*	4,910	1896	820	10,583	11,403
1892	2,341	7,703	10,044	1897	1,284	10,155	11,439
1893	3,544	14,463	18,007	1898	1,422	5,596	7,018
1894	410	13,552	13,962				

* Cannot be distinguished.

No. 64.—Diamond Drills.

Working Plant and Operations, 1883–98.

Year.	Drills at work.	Bores and purposes for which put down.									Depth bored.	Average depth bored per hour.	Percentage of Core obtained.
		Coal.	Shale.	Gold and Diamonds.	Silver.	Tin and Copper.	Railway Extension.	Total.	New Bores.	Bores continued.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	feet.	inches.	
1883	9	15	...	...	...	1	...	16	16	...	6,643	12·1	84·35
1884	13	16	...	1	...	8	7	32	28	4	9,864	12·4	79·37
1885	13	23	...	5	...	1	15	44	39	5	11,325	12·8	79·01
1886	10	13	...	1	...	...	...	14	9	5	6,539	9·2	80·07
1887	6	8	...	...	3	...	...	11	7	4	3,097	10·2	64·00
1888	7	11	...	...	1	...	...	12	9	3	8,292	13·6	83·32
1889	7	10	3	...	1	...	...	14	8	6	7,853	12·1	89·33
1890	7	10	1	3	1	...	...	15	10	5	7,857	12·7	87·17
1891	6	10	...	6	...	...	...	16	11	5	7,797	13·6	90·84
1892	4	8	1	...	...	...	...	9	5	4	4,139	13·7	89·71
1893	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	1,904	12·1	92·81
1894	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	557	12·5	65·91
1895	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	299	9·3	87·60
1896	2	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	7	1	2,143	9·6	82·91
1897	3	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	7	1	1,680	7·0	82·22
1898	2	1	...	1	3	...	...	5	4	1	1,326	8·9	80·46

Expenditure and Receipts, 1883–98.

Year.	Value of Diamonds used.	Loss and wear of Diamonds per foot bored.	Working Cost.		Receipts (for use of plant) paid into Consolidated Revenue.
			Per foot bored.	Total.	
	£	s. d.	s. d.	£	£
1883	1,217	3 8	10 3	3,404	4,523
1884	1,013	2 0·6	12 10	6,326	7,025
1885	829	1 5·5	16 11	9,620	9,236
1886	237	0 8·7	15 0	4,899	6,265
1887	244	1 6·8	18 1	2,801	2,511
1888	420	1 0·1	9 0	3,724	7,592
1889	497	1 3·1	12 0	4,702	7,722
1890	253	0 7·7	11 10	4,665	6,994
1891	709	1 9·8	12 7	4,921	7,268
1892	448	2 2	12 11	2,669	3,486
1893	155	3 3·6	12 5	1,181	2,489
1894	21	0 9	16 9·5	468	530
1895	57	3 9·6	15 2·8	228	163
1896	225	2 1·2	11 4·8	1,222	1,433
1897	454	5 4·9	17 9·7	1,496	1,047
1898	190	2 10·4	12 10·5	854	865

No. 65.—Quantity and Value of Minerals won, 1897–98.

Minerals.	1897.		1898.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
Metallic—	oz.	£	oz.	£	£	£
Gold	302,817	1,128,164	340,493	1,244,330	116,166	.....
Silver	150,005	16,711	533,059	59,278	42,567	.....
	tons.		tons.			
Silver—lead and ore ...	289,018	1,681,528	398,569	1,644,777	.....	36,751
Lead	32	398	1,718	19,282	18,884	.....
Zinc	28,842	23,688	38,941	28,941	5,253	.....
Tin and tin ore	.....	49,900	.....	45,638	.....	4,262
Copper and regulus ...	.....	283,174	.....	272,686	.....	10,488
Iron oxide...	230	536	392	832	296	.....
Antimony and ore ...	169	3,612	82	916	.....	2,696
Bismuth	3	800	29	4,615	3,815	.....
Manganese oxide	.....	.....	1	5	5	.....
Chrome iron ore	3,380	10,269	2,111	6,301	.....	3,968
Platinum	1,966	2,949	1,250	2,062	.....	887
Non-metallic—	tons.		tons.			
Coal	4,383,592	1,230,041	4,706,251	1,271,832	41,791	.....
Coke	64,202	45,392	82,222	64,135	18,743	.....
Kerosene shale	34,090	40,612	29,689	31,834	.....	8,778
Alunite	724	2,172	2,941	8,823	6,651	.....
Cobalt	.....	.....	117	560	560	.....
	carats.		carats.			
†Diamonds	9,189	3,250	16,493	6,060	2,810	.....
Opal	.....	95,000*	.....	80,000	.....	15,000
Other	.....	8,125	.....	2,021	.....	6,104
Total	.....	4,626,321	.....	4,794,928	257,541	88,934
			Net Increase			168,607

* This includes £20,000 omitted from the output of 1896; there was, therefore, actually an increase in value for the 1898 output, although a decrease is shown.

† Owing to the spasmodic manner in which the diamond industry has been carried on in the past, and the difficulty in obtaining reliable information in connection therewith, this item has not appeared in previous issues.

No. 66.—Value of Minerals won, to 1898.

Minerals.	Total won to 1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Total won to Dec., 1898.
Metallic—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Gold	39,224,412	651,286	1,156,717	1,315,929	1,073,360	1,128,164	1,244,330	45,794,198
Silver	1,038,699	78,131	94,150	81,858	26,518	16,711	59,278	1,395,345
Silver—lead and ore	12,622,016	2,953,589	2,195,339	1,560,813	1,758,933	1,681,528	1,644,777	24,416,995
Lead	11,049	4,205	260	197	259	398	19,282	35,650
Zinc...	11,043	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,688	28,941	63,672
Tin and tin ore ...	5,828,657	126,114	85,264	87,937	68,546	49,900	45,638	6,292,056
Copper and regulus	3,596,482	73,287	63,617	136,969	197,814	283,174	272,686	4,624,029
Iron oxide	5,085	1,526	670	348	801	536	832	9,798
Antimony and ore...	130,478	25,092	18,744	7,251	1,834	3,612	916	187,927
Bismuth	40,574	402	480	164	490	800	4,615	47,525
Manganese oxide ...	1,272	.....	44	10	.....	.....	5	1,331
Chrome iron ore ...	325	.....	12,336	13,048	11,280	10,269	6,301	53,559
Platinum	.....	.....	1,390	475	3,479	2,949	2,062	10,355
Non-metallic—								
Coal	27,271,429	1,171,722	1,155,573	1,095,327	1,125,281	1,230,041	1,271,832	34,321,205
Coke...	84,473	20,233	33,209	24,683	21,851	45,392	64,135	293,976
Kerosene shale ...	1,552,791	101,220	31,781	75,219	34,202	40,612	31,834	1,867,659
Alunite	8,172	5,136	3,448	3,328	4,116	2,172	8,823	35,195
Cobalt	1,580	305	10	26	.....	.....	560	2,481
†Diamonds... ...	10,861	15,375	859	492	2,625	3,250	6,060	39,522
Opals	17,600	12,315	5,684	6,000	25,000	95,000	80,000	241,599
*Other	102,196	557	892	4,637	924	8,125	2,021	119,352
Total ... £	91,559,194	5,240,495	4,860,467	4,414,711	4,357,313	4,626,321	4,794,928	119,853,429

* Prior to 1893 certain substances and manufactured products were wrongly included under this head.

† See note to previous table.

Minerals not included.—Cinnabar, Emeralds, and Turquoises have been found in small quantities, but no informatio to their value is obtainable.

No. 67.—Quantity and Value of Gold won, 1851–98.

Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz.	£		oz.	£		oz.	£
1851	144,120	468,336	1868	255,662	994,665	1885	103,736	378,665
1852	818,751	2,660,946	1869	251,491	974,149	1886	101,416	366,294
1853	548,052	1,781,172	1870	240,858	931,016	1887	110,288	394,579
1854	237,910	773,209	1871	323,609	1,250,485	1888	87,541	317,241
1855	171,367	654,594	1872	425,288	1,644,177	1889	119,949	434,784
1856	184,600	689,174	1873	362,104	1,396,375	1890	127,760	460,285
1857	175,949	674,477	1874	271,166	1,041,614	1891	153,583	559,231
1858	286,798	1,104,175	1875	230,882	877,694	1892	158,502	575,299
1859	329,363	1,259,127	1876	167,411	613,190	1893	179,288	651,286
1860	384,053	1,465,373	1877	124,118	471,448	1894	324,787	1,156,717
1861	465,685	1,806,172	1878	119,710	430,200	1895	360,165	1,315,929
1862	640,622	2,467,780	1879	109,649	407,219	1896	296,072	1,073,360
1863	466,111	1,796,170	1880	119,322	444,253	1897	302,817	1,128,164
1864	340,267	1,304,926	1881	151,512	573,582	1898	340,493	1,244,330
1865	320,316	1,231,243	1882	140,469	526,522	1899	50,418	193,985
1866	290,014	1,116,404	1883	123,811	458,530	Total...	12,366,726	45,794,198
1867	271,886	1,053,578	1884	107,403	396,059			

Mint Returns.—For further information respecting Gold, see Part "Financial Institutions."

NOTE.—For some years past an appreciable quantity of gold, not previously taken into account as the product of this Colony, has filtered from outlying districts in New South Wales to the Melbourne Mint. It has, therefore, been found necessary to slightly adjust the figures as given in previous issues of the Statistical Register.

No. 68.—Quantity and Value of Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore won, to 1898.

Year.	Silver.		Silver-lead and Ore.			Total Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.		Value.	
			Ore.	Metal.		
	oz.	£	tons.	tons.	£	£
Prior to 1883	765,397	187,429	204	.....	5,385	192,814
1883	77,066	16,488	106	.....	1,625	18,113
1884	93,660	19,780	4,668	.....	123,174	142,954
1885	794,174	159,187	2,096	191	107,626	266,813
1886	1,015,433	197,544	4,802	.....	294,485	492,029
1887	177,308	32,458	12,530	.....	541,952	574,410
1888	375,064	66,668	11,739	18,102	1,075,737	1,142,405
1889	416,895	72,001	46,965	34,580	1,899,197	1,971,198
1890	496,552	95,410	89,720	41,320	2,667,144	2,762,554
1891	729,590	134,850	92,384	55,396	3,484,739	3,619,589
1892	350,662	56,884	87,505	45,850	2,420,952	2,477,836
1893	531,972	78,131	155,859	58,401	2,953,589	3,031,720
1894	846,822	94,150	137,813	42,513	2,195,339	2,289,489
1895	550,142	81,858	190,193	29,687	1,560,813	1,642,671
1896	202,789	26,518	267,363	19,573	1,758,933	1,785,451
1897	150,005	16,711	270,913	18,105	1,681,528	1,698,239
1898	533,059	59,278	388,460	10,109	1,644,777	1,704,055
Total ...	8,106,590	1,395,345	1,763,320	373,827	24,416,995	25,812,340

No. 69.—Value of Tin won, 1872–98.

Year.	Value.	Year.	Value.
	£		£
From 1872 to 1880 inclusive...	2,106,986	1891	133,963
1881	568,795	1892	152,994
1882	541,413	1893	126,114
1883	448,887	1894	85,264
1884	281,188	1895	87,937
1885	308,760	1896	68,546
1886	277,545	1897	49,900
1887	311,889	1898	45,638
1888	309,510		
1889	207,670	Total	6,292,056
1890	179,057		

No. 70.—Value of Copper won, 1859–98.

Year.	Value.	Year.	Value.
	£		£
From 1859 to 1880 inclusive...	1,223,820	1891	119,195
1881	257,884	1892	114,559
1882	182,473	1893	73,287
1883	472,982	1894	63,617
1884	362,287	1895	136,969
1885	170,993	1896	197,814
1886	122,990	1897	283,174
1887	115,444	1898	272,686
1888	247,304		
1889	122,444	Total	4,624,029
1890	84,107		

No. 71.—Machines Employed in Gold and Tin Mining, 1898.

Description.	Number.	Description.	Number.
Quartz :—		Quartz—*continued.*	
Steam-engines employed in Winding, Crushing, &c.	356	Chlorination Plants	4
Steam-engines employed in Winding, Crushing, &c.—Aggregate horse-power	5,875	Cyanide Plants	35
Concentrators	20	Electric Light Plants	4
Crushing Machines	160	Dynamos	5
Stamp-heads	1,753	Alluvial :—	
Whims and Pulleys	121	Steam-engines employed in Winding, Pumping, &c.	33
Pumps	67	Steam-engines employed in Winding, Pumping, &c. — Aggregate horse-power	729
Water-wheels	16	Puddling Machines	71
Huntingdon Mills	13	Water-wheels	15
Frue Vanners	66	Pumps	47
Whips	32	Whips	12
Chilian Mills	.....	Whims and Pulleys	10
Berdan pans	3	Percussion Tables	2
Drilling and Boring machines... ...	11		
Air compressors	8		

No. 72.—Quantity and Value of Coal Raised, to 1898.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.
	tons.	s. d.	£		tons.	s. d.	£
Prior to 1881	22,163,927	.....	11,652,060	1890	3,060,876	8 4	1,279,089
1881	1,769,597	6 10	603,248	1891	4,037,929	8 8	1,742,796
1882	2,109,282	9 0	948,965	1892	3,780,968	7 9	1,462,388
1883	2,521,457	9 6	1,201,942	1893	3,278,328	7 2	1,171,722
1884	2,749,109	9 6	1,303,077	1894	3,672,076	6 4	1,155,573
1885	2,878,863	9 4	1,340,213	1895	3,738,589	5 10	1,095,327
1886	2,830,175	9 2	1,303,164	1896	3,909,517	5 9	1,125,281
1887	2,922,497	9 3	1,346,440	1897	4,383,591	5 7	1,230,041
1888	3,203,444	9 1	1,455,198	1898	4,706,251	5 5	1,271,832
1889	3,655,632	8 11	1,632,849	Total ...	81,372,108	8 5	34,321,205

No. 73.—Average Price of Coal per ton in each District, 1893–98.

District.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Northern	7 11	6 9	6 2	6 1	5 11	5 8
Western	4 6	4 7	4 3	4 1	4 1	4 3
Southern and South-western	5 7	5 3	5 3	5 3	5 1	4 11

No. 74.—Quantity and Value of Coke Manufactured, 1890–98.

Year.	Quantity.			Value.	
	Northern.	Southern and Western.	Total.	Total.	Per Ton.
	tons.	tons.	tons.	£	£ s. d.
1890	15,886	15,211	31,097	41,147	1 6 5
1891	9,474	20,836	30,310	34,473	1 2 9
1892	5,245	2,654	7,899	8,853	1 2 5
1893	12,262	5,596	17,858	20,233	1 2 8
1894	13,602	20,856	34,458	33,209	0 19 3
1895	11,326	16,304	27,630	24,683	0 17 10
1896	10,399	15,953	26,352	21,851	0 16 7
1897	21,012	43,190	64,202	45,392	0 14 1
1898	34,422	47,800	82,222	64,135	0 15 7
Total ...	133,628	188,400	322,028	293,976	0 18 3

No. 75.—Quantity and Value of Shale Raised, to 1898.

Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.	Year.	Quantity.	Average Value per Ton.	Total Value.
	tons.	£ s. d.	£		tons.	£ s. d.	£
Prior to 1881	213,390	.....	540,295	1890	56,010	1 17 2	104,103
1881	27,894	1 9 3	40,748	1891	40,349	1 18 9	78,160
1882	48,065	1 15 0	84,114	1892	74,197	1 16 8	136,079
1883	49,250	1 16 11	90,861	1893	55,660	1 16 4	101,220
1884	31,618	2 5 8	72,176	1894	21,171	1 10 0	31,781
1885	27,462	2 9 0	67,239	1895	59,426	1 5 4	75,219
1886	43,563	2 5 11	99,976	1896	31,839	1 1 6	34,202
1887	40,010	2 3 10	87,761	1897	34,090	1 3 9	40,612
1888	34,869	2 2 3	73,612	1898	29,689	1 1 5	31,834
1889	40,561	1 18 4	77,667	Total ...	959,113	1 18 11	1,867,659

No. 76.—Number of Persons Employed in Metalliferous Mines during 1898.

Mining Districts.	Alluvial Gold.		Quartz Gold.	Silver.	Copper.	Tin.		Other.	Total.	Value of Machinery.
	Europeans.	Chinese.				Europeans.	Chinese.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Albert	108	10	13	6,003	8	...	...	700	6,842	497,425
Bathurst	1,525	86	2,546	7	393	...	...	15	4,572	143,390
Clarence and Richmond ...	121	...	361	..	...	...	...	...	482	35,960
Cobar	...	...	800	30	915	...	...	...	1,745	118,630
Hunter and Macleay ...	76	...	150	1	...	24	...	29	280	14,150
Lachlan	937	3	3,163	...	85	...	...	20	4,208	128,405
Mudgee	1,142	107	854	...	166	...	...	...	2,269	84,380
New England	194	176	120	129	10	465	227	10	1,331	69,524
Peel and Uralla	541	132	1,495	109	16	229	135	116	2,773	120,297
Tambaroora and Turon ...	712	120	455	...	...	...	...	...	1,287	18,000
Tumut and Adelong ...	1,044	41	955	5	335	3	...	20	2,403	153,668
Southern	1,039	189	704	112	48	...	...	27	2,119	102,509
Total	7,439	864	11,616	6,396	1,976	721	362	937	30,311	1,486,338*

* This amount is exclusive of the value of the large smelting plants in operation at Dapto and Cockle Creek, and of the copper reducing and refining plant at Lithgow, total value of which is estimated at £215,000.

No. 77.—Number of Persons Employed Mining for Coal and Shale during 1898.

Districts.	Collieries, &c.	Persons employed—		
		Above Ground.	Under Ground.	Total.
Coal—	No.	No.	No.	No.
Northern	62	1,520	6,247	7,767
Southern	11	467	1,586	2,053
South-western	1	4	10	14
Western...	17	75	349	424
Total	91	2,066	8,192	10,258
Shale—				
Joadja Creek	1	12	78	90
Capertee	2	42	89	131
Hartley	1	10	30	40
Total	4	64	197	261
Total, Mining for Coal and Shale ...	95	2,130	8,389	10,519

No. 78.—Number of Persons Employed in Mining during each Year, 1889–98.

Minerals.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Gold	10,192	12,589	11,166	9,049	11,957	17,207	21,434	22,207	21,286	19,919
Silver and Silver-Lead	6,587	5,806	7,645	5,889	4,709	4,208	4,658	5,555	6,204	6,396
Tin	1,234	2,172	1,951	1,657	2,024	1,542	1,399	1,419	1,297	1,083
Copper	542	716	481	500	283	645	868	810	1,710	1,976
Coal	10,277	10,469	10,820	10,514	10,028	9,131	9,022	9,233	9,626	10,258
Shale	138	189	260	396	385	297	354	227	353	261
Other Minerals ...	214	868	185	237	736	486	564	487	732	937
Total ...	29,184	32,809	32,508	28,242	30,122	33,516	38,299	39,938	41,208	40,830

No. 79.—Accidents in Mining Operations, 1891-98.

Classification.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Persons killed mining for—								
Gold	7	10	11	19	12	22	15	10
Silver	13	6	7	9	20	12	14	19
Coal and Shale	21	8	13	7	10	24	16	25
Other Minerals	...	2	1	...	4	1	6	6
Total killed	41	26	32	35	46	59	51	60
Persons seriously injured mining for—								
Gold	14	14	6	7	11	11	13	4
Silver	17	11	18	19	17	12	26	17
Coal and Shale	54	77	45	40	47	62	63	69
Other Minerals	1	3	...	1	...	3	2	6
Total seriously injured...	86	105	69	67	75	88	104	96
Persons who met with minor accidents ...	7	25	14	35	27	31	36	129
Total killed and injured... ...	134	156	115	137	148	178	191	285
Killed per 1,000 persons employed ...	1·26	0·92	1·06	1·04	1·20	1·48	1·24	1·47
Seriously injured per 1,000 persons employed	2·64	3·72	2·29	2·00	1·96	2·20	2·52	2·35

No. 80.—Amount of Prospecting Vote, and how allotted, 1887–98.

Prospecting Vote.—First Year.—The first vote made for prospecting purposes was in 1887, and in that year it was confined to searching for gold. In the succeeding year the conditions were amended so as to embrace all minerals.

Year.	Amount voted.	Amounts granted to prospectors for—						
		Gold.	Silver and Lead.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Other Minerals.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1887	15,000	8,944	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,944
1888	20,000	5,338	145	91	.....	.....	27	5,601
1889	20,000	12,050	741	47	34	338	256	13,466
1890	20,000	14,466	1,306	37	.....	562	1,357	17,728
1891	20,000	15,695	2,176	94	463	569	588	19,585
1892	40,000	34,881	1,821	550	199	1,588	961	40,000
1893	20,000	19,810	1,718	136	79	1,010	247	23,000
1894	20,000	19,148	95	301	401	23	32	20,000
*1895	10,000	7,878	138	249	119	.....	98	8,482
†1895-96	20,000	17,977	542	296	476	.....	709	20,000
†1896-97	25,000	20,822	467	729	760	.....	425	23,203
†1897-98	25,000	17,897	630	1,263	498	.....	275	20,563
†1898-99	25,000	27,421	1,584	2,957	1,115	.....	‡483	§33,560

* Six months only. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ For diamonds, scheelite, manganese, and plumbago. § The amount voted may safely be over-allotted, as many of the works are not proceeded with or completed for various reasons.

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MANUFACTORIES AND WORKS.

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PART VI.—MANUFACTORIES AND WORKS.

Commencing with the year 1896 the statistical returns have been compiled on a new basis, in order to secure uniformity with Victoria. Formerly an establishment where no machinery is used was included in the returns if at least five hands were employed therein; but the minimum number of hands accepted in such factories has now been reduced to four. Also milliners, dressmakers, and tailors, not hitherto enumerated, are now included; but all blacksmiths, not coming under any specific heading, have been excluded.

No. 1.—Number of Manufactories and Works, and Hands employed during the years 1896, 1897, and 1898.

Year.	Number of Establishments.	Hands employed.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.*
1896	2,928	42,908	6,932	49,840
1897	2,826	44,333	7,106	51,439
1898	2,839	44,673	7,845	52,518

* In accordance with a further agreement with Victoria, the number of home workers regularly employed in connection with factories is included in the general total, and as it has also been decided to treat creameries as adjuncts to butter factories, they are excluded from the number of separate establishments.

No. 2.—Number of Manufactories and Works, and Hands employed, 1889–98.

[NOTE.—In this table the figures for 1896, 1897, and 1898 are given on the old basis, so that a comparison may be made with previous years.]

	1888–89	1889–90.	1890–91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Number of Works ...	3,106	2,926	2,583	2,246	2,052	2,595	2,302	2,518	2,426	2,384
Hands employed—										
Males	41,299	40,725	41,582	41,298	36,412	39,529	39,987	41,677	42,518	42,905
Females	4,265	4,264	4,553	2,970	2,506	3,222	3,846	3,545	3,797	4,867
Total	45,564	44,989	46,135	44,268	38,918	42,751	43,833	45,222	46,315	47,772
Other workers, numbers not ascertained prior to 1896	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,618	5,124	4,746
								49,840	51,439	52,518

Statistical Year.—Previous to 1892 the statistical year ended March 31st; thus 1887-1888 refers to the year beginning on April 1st, 1887, and ending March 31st, 1888. For 1892 and subsequent years the statistical year coincides with the calendar year.

No. 3.—Number of Manufactories and Works, Hands Employed, Power ended 31st

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average Number of Hands										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes.*	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	70	98	..	17	..	57	1,079	1	78	..	..	..
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.	129	220	5	240	4	170	2,584	505	173	20	..	..
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	282	291	128	74	9	18	3,194	4,522	43	2	104	410
IV. Building Materials	112	165	..	85	..	86	1,638	..	307	..	..	..
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	160	258	1	146	3	99	4,839	9	140	1	..	..
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	20	35	3	18	..	19	1,065	23	47	..	..	..
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	87	114	1	26	2	12	1,165	98	18	..	..	..
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc.	112	237	13	223	11	29	2,325	591	80	..	..	..
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	64	80	..	11	..	4	684	5	3	..	..	..
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	20	27	..	9	..	53	369	..	38	..	..	..
XI. Miscellaneous	153	219	3	88	8	72	1,945	244	91	3	..	..
Total	1,209	1,744	154	937	37	619	20,887	5,998	1,018	26	104	410
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	106	147	..	22	..	83	978	..	41	..	..	..
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.	453	751	7	180	6	415	3,497	229	321	3	..	..
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	133	98	63	26	2	9	797	837	18	..	9	14
IV. Building Materials	401	516	..	106	4	254	2,292	..	609	..	..	..
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	110	190	..	102	2	183	4,079	..	182	..	..	..
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	7	13	..	2	..	8	71	..	8	..	..	..
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	12	13	..	..	..	2	91	1	6	..	..	..
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc.	163	234	6	69	5	15	991	22	39	1	..	..
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	123	161	1	13	3	2	877	..	5	..	..	..
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	61	66	..	29	..	67	272	..	5	..	..	..
XI. Miscellaneous	61	71	..	18	3	35	223	11	51	..	2	..
Total	1,630	2,260	77	567	25	1,073	14,168	1,100	1,285	4	11	14
NEW SOUTH WALES.												
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.	176	245	..	39	..	140	2,057	1	119	..	..	..
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.	582	971	12	420	10	585	6,081	734	494	23	..	..
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	415	389	191	100	11	27	3,991	5,359	61	2	113	424
IV. Building Materials	513	681	..	191	4	340	3,930	..	916	..	..	..
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	270	448	1	248	5	282	8,918	9	322	1	..	..
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	27	48	3	20	..	27	1,136	23	55	..	..	..
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	99	127	1	26	2	14	1,256	99	24	..	..	..
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc.	275	471	19	292	16	44	3,316	613	119	1	..	..
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	187	241	1	24	3	6	1,561	5	8	..	..	..
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat	81	93	..	38	..	120	641	..	43	..	..	..
XI. Miscellaneous	214	290	3	106	11	107	2,168	255	142	3	2	..
Total	2,839	4,004	231	1,504	62	1,692	35,055	7,098	2,303	30	115	424

* In accordance with a further agreement with Victoria the number of home workers

Used, and Value of Plant in the various Classes of Industries, for the year December, 1898.

Employed.			Children under 15 years of age included in foregoing total.		Greatest Number of Persons Employed (exclusive of home workers).		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
Total.								Full Capacity.			Actually used.			
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
								H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
1,329	1	1,330	9	..	1,601	1	64	1,332	7	....	1,045	5	..	95,918
3,387	534	3,921	42	14	3,948	694	106	4,512	106	42	3,448	85	42	664,745
3,724	5,071	8,795	50	61	4,002	5,352	43	125	212	....	71	172	..	86,280
2,281	..	2,281	16	..	2,772	....	88	2,015	85	....	1,607	76	..	194,613
5,482	14	5,496	37	..	6,167	16	108	2,033	67	13	1,425	60	13	373,774
1,184	26	1,210	2	..	1,590	30	10	994	4	130	587	3	75	159,590
1,335	101	1,436	9	2	1,454	106	25	127	149	....	113	112	..	19,736
2,894	615	3,509	31	3	3,143	664	87	460	489	2	405	303	1	354,061
782	5	787	4	..	883	6	10	104	....	....	84	..	..	12,985
496	..	496	..	..	611	....	20	2,191	11	887	1,543	9	607	355,358
2,415	258	2,673	29	..	2,655	278	84	981	177	....	738	146	..	146,497
25,309	6,625	31,934	229	80	28,826	7,147	645	14,874	1,307	1,074	11,066	971	738	2,463,557
1,271	..	1,271	7	..	1,385	....	86	1,019	....	....	793	..	..	92,332
5,164	245	5,409	42	3	5,962	276	433	11,309	38	341	8,786	30	216	1,191,866
957	916	1,873	16	23	1,067	1,094	10	250	4	....	185	4	..	32,740
3,777	4	3,781	17	..	4,279	5	382	5,517	12	58	4,489	9	34	255,651
4,736	2	4,738	17	..	5,316	2	93	5,738	20	62	3,755	15	44	702,501
102	..	102	..	..	167	....	6	108	....	....	91	..	..	29,013
112	1	113	..	..	129	1	3	35	....	....	28	..	..	3,611
1,348	34	1,382	56	..	1,529	42	54	242	96	3	223	64	3	129,807
1,058	4	1,062	8	..	1,190	4	5	42	....	....	27	..	..	19,040
439	..	439	2	..	491	....	52	1,258	4	57	793	3	46	446,017
400	14	414	11	..	488	17	54	763	10	....	550	5	..	69,561
19,364	1,220	20,584	176	26	22,003	1,441	1,178	26,281	184	521	19,720	130	343	2,972,139
2,600	1	2,601	16	..	2,986	1	150	2,351	7	....	1,838	5	..	188,250
8,551	779	9,330	84	17	9,910	970	539	15,821	144	383	12,234	115	258	1,856,611
4,681	5,987	10,668	66	84	5,069	6,446	53	375	216	....	256	176	..	119,020
6,058	4	6,062	33	..	7,051	5	470	7,532	97	58	6,096	85	34	450,264
10,218	16	10,234	54	..	11,483	18	201	7,771	87	75	5,180	75	57	1,076,275
1,286	26	1,312	2	..	1,757	30	16	1,102	4	130	678	3	75	188,603
1,447	102	1,549	9	2	1,583	107	28	162	149	....	141	112	..	23,347
4,242	649	4,891	87	3	4,672	706	141	702	585	5	628	367	4	483,868
1,840	9	1,849	12	..	2,073	10	15	146	....	....	111	..	..	32,025
935	..	935	2	..	1,102	....	72	3,449	15	944	2,336	12	653	801,375
2,815	272	3,087	40	..	3,143	295	138	1,744	187	....	1,288	151	..	216,058
44,673	7,845	52,518	405	106	50,829	8,588	1,823	41,155	1,491	1,595	30,786	1,101	1,081	5,435,696

regularly employed in connection with factories is included in the general total.

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and Works, Hands Employed, for the year ended

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands									
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers, in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes.*	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
I.—Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.												
Boiling-down	11	13	..	1	..	6	25	..	8	..	..	..
Glue, and Oil and Grease	5	6	..	5	..	7	79	1	3	..	..	..
Manures	6	5	..	..	..	3	19	..	8	..	..	..
Tallow Refineries	6	9	..	2	..	9	33	..	15	..	..	..
Tanneries	94	122	..	9	..	53	779	..	34	..	..	..
Wool-washing and Scouring	54	90	..	22	..	62	1,122	..	51	..	..	..
Total	176	245	..	39	..	140	2,057	1	119	..	..	..
II.—Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.												
Aërated Waters	174	202	2	31	2	28	602	24	89	..	..	..
Bacon	10	14	..	3	..	5	50	..	4	..	..	..
Biscuits	7	15	2	13	..	10	380	225	9	..	..	..
Breweries	56	83	..	103	2	57	503	..	82	..	..	..
Butter†‡	121	324	3	50	1	118	301	15	64	..	..	..
Cheese	15	16	..	4	..	3	30	4	5	..	..	..
Condensed milk	2	2	..	2	..	4	15	4	2	..	..	..
Condiments, Coffee, and Spices	18	26	2	33	..	6	200	154	39	20	..	..
Confectionery	17	20	1	21	3	8	345	149	14	..	..	..
Corn Flour	4	9	..	14	..	6	36	33	6	3	..	..
Flour	80	110	..	61	1	102	408	5	70	..	..	..
Ice and Refrigerating	26	41	1	35	1	93	434	..	22	..	..	..
Jam and Fruit Canning	13	30	..	14	..	11	423	105	11	..	..	..
Meat Preserving and Curing	13	29	..	13	..	29	946	3	17	..	..	..
Sugar Mills	20	44	..	18	..	90	966	..	50	..	..	..
Sugar Refineries	1	1	..	3	..	15	426	..	9	..	..	..
Vinegar	5	5	1	2	..	..	16	13	1	..	..	..
Total	582	971	12	420	10	585	6,081	734	494	23	..	..
III.—Clothing and Textile Fabrics.												
Boots and Shoes	76	143	6	37	2	15	2,422	832	19	..	19	5
Clothing	28	39	8	19	4	4	374	1,337	13	1	9	242
Dressmaking and Millinery	148	17	170	4	1	..	5	1,589	7	1	..	3
Furriers	2	2	..	..	..	..	11	7	..	..	..	..
Hats and Caps	4	7	1	1	..	1	29	76	1	..	..	..
Oilskin and Waterproof Clothing	3	7	..	6	..	..	69	197	..	..	15	90
Shirtmaking	5	4	1	..	..	..	6	63	..	..	..	..
Tailoring	144	163	5	29	4	2	924	1,186	19	..	70	84
Woollen Cloth	5	7	..	4	..	5	151	72	2	..	..	..
Total	415	389	191	100	11	27	3,991	5,359	61	2	113	424
IV.—Building Materials.												
Asphalt	8	10	..	..	..	1	33	..	9	..	..	..
Bricks	131	164	..	20	..	36	831	..	201	..	..	..
Joinery	34	44	..	16	..	20	388	..	27	..	..	..
Lime, Plaster, and Cement	12	13	..	2	..	11	136	..	9	..	..	..
Marble and Monumental Masonry	26	34	..	6	..	2	189	..	6	..	..	..
Modelling and Pattern-making	2	3	..	1	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..
Paints and Varnishes	2	2	..	3	..	1	6	..	..	..	..	..
Pottery and Earthenware	17	27	..	7	..	14	331	..	29	..	..	..
Saw Mills	259	356	..	132	4	237	1,751	..	581	..	..	..
Stone-crushing	8	11	..	2	..	9	198	..	42	..	..	..
Stone-dressing and Polishing	2	5	..	1	..	7	21	..	9	..	..	..
Wood-turning and carving	12	12	..	1	..	2	36	..	3	..	..	..
Total	513	681	..	191	4	340	3,930	..	916	..	..	..

* In accordance with a further agreement with Victoria, the number of home workers regularly employed in connection which are not counted as separate factories; the particulars of hands employed, machinery, &c., are included with those of

Power Used, and Value of Plant in the various Industries, 31st December, 1898.

Employed.			Children under 15 years of age included in foregoing total.		Greatest Number of Persons Employed (exclusive of home workers).		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
Total.								Full capacity.			Actually used.			
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
								H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
53	..	53	..	..	59	....	10	130	....	....	93	..	..	6,165
100	1	101	2	..	121	1	5	211	....	....	204	..	..	20,050
35	..	35	..	..	37	....	5	72	....	....	61	..	..	8,162
68	..	68	..	..	87	....	6	119	....	....	83	..	..	8,670
997	..	997	3	..	1,128	....	79	815	7	....	607	5	..	75,137
1,347	..	1,347	11	..	1,554	....	45	1,004	....	....	790	..	..	70,066
2,600	1	2,601	16	..	2,986	1	150	2,351	7	....	1,838	5	..	188,250
952	28	980	8	..	1,116	37	160	480	83	....	298	63	..	73,789
76	..	76	..	..	90	....	9	96	....	....	72	..	..	9,200
427	227	654	1	1	464	259	7	125	20	....	89	18	..	38,350
828	2	830	4	..	964	2	54	1,373	4	7	1,142	4	7	202,250
857	19	§876	12	2	951	20	121	2,208	8	34	1,551	6	29	185,698
58	4	62	..	1	66	4	10	61	....	....	39	..	..	3,470
25	4	29	..	..	25	4	2	65	....	....	55	..	..	7,000
304	176	480	2	..	349	257	13	314	18	....	179	15	..	22,247
408	153	561	8	9	432	171	9	130	4	....	103	3	..	21,905
71	36	107	..	2	90	41	4	135	....	....	81	..	..	18,620
751	6	757	4	..	1,010	6	80	3,952	3	....	2,916	2	..	260,917
625	2	627	1	..	741	2	26	2,259	4	42	1,565	4	42	234,800
489	105	594	26	2	591	144	11	221	....	....	170	..	..	20,235
1,034	3	1,037	14	..	1,111	3	11	567	....	300	422	..	180	28,810
1,168	..	1,168	4	..	1,403	....	20	3,331	....	....	3,128	..	..	542,117
454	..	454	..	..	475	....	1	500	....	....	420	..	..	186,353
24	14	38	..	..	32	20	1	4	....	....	4	..	..	850
8,551	779	9,330	84	17	9,910	970	539	15,821	144	383	12,234	115	258	1,856,611
2,655	845	3,500	57	39	2,851	951	35	119	180	....	68	145	..	72,562
458	1,592	2,050	..	9	490	1,617	9	....	27	....	....	23	..	6,915
33	1,764	1,797	1	31	33	2,048	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	2,674
13	7	20	1	..	13	9	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	230
39	77	116	..	..	48	78	1	6	....	....	3	..	..	5,550
97	287	384	..	..	93	212	1	....	4	....	....	3	..	700
10	64	74	..	..	10	71	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	170
1,207	1,279	2,486	4	2	1,345	1,387	2	....	5	....	....	5	..	4,519
169	72	241	3	3	186	73	5	250	....	....	185	..	..	25,700
4,681	5,987	10,668	66	84	5,069	6,446	53	375	216	....	256	176	..	119,020
53	..	53	..	..	72	....	2	48	....	....	28	..	..	1,250
1,252	..	1,252	11	..	1,410	1	131	1,269	12	....	1,164	9	..	102,124
495	..	495	4	..	759	....	30	277	50	....	230	41	..	25,520
171	..	171	1	..	213	....	4	168	....	....	101	..	..	28,620
237	..	237	1	..	300	....	4	20	19	....	16	19	..	3,885
14	..	14	1	..	24	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	.....
12	..	12	..	..	15	....	2	27	....	....	22	..	..	800
408	..	408	10	..	422	....	16	201	....	....	170	..	..	44,350
3,057	4	3,061	2	..	3,406	4	259	5,110	8	58	4,069	8	34	212,555
262	..	262	..	..	298	....	8	255	....	....	186	..	..	13,200
43	..	43	..	..	65	....	2	98	....	....	64	..	..	13,750
54	..	54	3	..	67	....	12	59	8	....	46	8	..	4,210
6,058	4	6,062	33	..	7,051	5	470	7,532	97	58	6,096	85	34	450,264

with factories is included in the general total. † Including 1 butterine factory. ‡ There are also 187 creameries
butter factories. § Of this number 297 are employed in creameries.

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and Works,

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands									
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes.*	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
V.—Metal Works, Machinery, &c.												
Agricultural Implements	13	22	..	7	1	6	212	..	4	..	..	..
Boiler-making	5	6	..	2	..	2	99	..	2	..	..	..
Brass	11	13	..	1	..	2	132	..	..	..	..	..
Coppersmithing	5	8	..	2	..	3	59	..	..	..	..	..
Engineering	67	122	..	76	3	63	1,740	..	120	..	..	..
Galvanised Iron	18	24	..	16	..	6	259	..	10	..	..	..
Iron Works and Foundries	48	67	..	18	1	30	839	..	20	..	..	..
Lead	1	1	..	2	..	1	6	..	..	..	..	..
Railway Carriages†	2	9	..	3	..	3	132	..	1	..	..	..
Railway and Tramway Workshops	19	31	..	38	..	29	2,480	9	12	1	..	..
Smelting	32	84	..	58	..	128	2,207	..	139	..	..	.
Tinsmithing	27	33	1	3	..	2	254	..	7	..	..	..
Wire-working	4	5	..	10	..	4	199	..	1	..	..	..
Other Metal Works	18	23	..	12	..	3	300	..	6	..	..	..
Total	270	448	1	248	5	282	8,918	9	322	1	..	..
VI.—Ship-building, Repairing, &c.												
Docks and Slips	8	19	..	18	..	20	919	..	53	..	..	..
Sails, Tarpaulins, and Tents	8	10	3	..	..	..	47	23	1	..	..	..
Ship and Boat building and repairing	11	19	..	2	..	7	170	..	1	..	..	..
Total	27	48	3	20	..	27	1,136	23	55	..	..	..
VII.—Furniture, Bedding, &c.												
Bedding, Flock, and Upholstery	22	29	..	15	..	4	247	80	14	..	..	..
Furniture	67	87	1	9	..	9	948	5	8	..	..	..
Picture Frames	8	9	..	1	2	1	43	13	2	..	..	..
Window Blinds	2	2	..	1	..	..	18	1	..	..	..	..
Total	99	127	1	26	2	14	1,256	99	24	..	..	..
VIII.—Books, Paper, Printing, &c.												
Electrotyping and Stereotyping	3	5	..	..	..	..	18	..	..	..	..	..
Paper Bags, Boxes, &c.	9	11	2	6	1	1	39	135	4	..	..	..
Paper	2	2	..	2	1	5	61	23	2	..	..	..
Printing and Bookbinding	258	447	17	283	14	38	3,173	455	112	1	..	..
Printing Materials	3	6	..	1	..	..	25	..	1	..	..	..
Total	275	471	19	292	16	44	3,316	613	119	1	..	..

* In accordance with a further agreement with Victoria, the number of home workers regularly employed in con-

Hands Employed, &c., 1898—*continued.*

Employed. Total. Males.	Females.	Total.	Children under 15 years of age included in foregoing total. Males.	Females.	Greatest Number of Persons Employed (exclusive of home workers). Males.	Females.	Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use. Full capacity. Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Actually used. Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
								H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
251	1	252	..	..	286	1	12	91	4	....	78	3	..	8,700
111	..	111	1	..	168	....	5	40	....	....	30	..	..	7,460
148	..	148	3	..	164	....	7	263	8	....	113	7	..	9,591
72	..	72	..	..	86	....	5	18	1	....	12	1	..	2,570
2,121	3	2,124	13	..	2,565	3	63	1,211	44	3	628	37	3	210,256
315	..	315	2	..	337	....	8	29	17	....	23	15	..	10,350
974	1	975	18	..	1,104	1	40	796	2	....	742	2	..	102,790
10	..	10	..	..	17	....	1	200	....	....	100	..	..	14,000
148	..	148	2	..	148	....	2	60	....	....	56	..	..	6,190
2,590	10	2,600	1	..	2,672	12	19	977	....	....	778	..	..	134,422
2,616	..	2,616	3	..	2,960	....	28	3,994	....	62	2,555	..	44	530,839
299	1	300	8	..	328	1	5	10	7	....	6	7	..	7,570
219	..	219	1	..	221	....	1	40	....	10	25	..	10	19,220
344	..	344	2	..	427	....	5	42	4	....	34	3	..	12,317
10,218	16	10,234	54	..	11,483	18	201	7,771	87	75	5,180	75	57	1,076,275
1,029	..	1,029	2	..	1,409	....	8	1,019	....	130	616	..	75	177,983
58	26	84	..	..	95	30	2	....	4	....	....	3	..	1,340
199	..	199	..	..	253	....	6	83	....	....	62	..	..	9,280
1,286	26	1,312	2	..	1,757	30	16	1,102	4	130	678	3	75	188,603
309	80	389	1	..	330	81	10	133	22	....	120	20	..	8,852
1,061	6	1,067	6	..	1,169	6	17	29	115	....	21	80	..	13,065
56	15	71	2	2	63	19	1	....	12	....	....	12	..	1,370
21	1	22	..	..	21	1	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	60
1,447	102	1,549	9	2	1,583	107	28	162	149	....	141	112	..	23,347
23	..	23	..	..	23	....	3	....	44	....	....	8	..	6,695
61	138	199	..	1	66	143	4	3	14	....	3	9	..	4,570
72	24	96	1	2	75	25	2	300	....	....	290	..	..	14,000
4,053	487	4,540	86	..	4,473	538	130	399	507	5	335	335	4	444,853
33	..	33	..	..	35	....	2	....	20	....	....	15	..	13,750
4,242	649	4,891	87	3	4,672	706	141	702	585	5	628	367	4	483,868

nection with factories is included in the general total. † Including 1 establishment making railway springs.

No. 4.—Number of Manufactories and Works,

Class of Industry.	Number of Establishments.	Average number of Hands										
		Managers and Overseers.		Clerks, etc.		Engine-drivers, etc.	Workers in Factory, Mill, etc. (skilled and unskilled).		Carters, Messengers, and others.		Number regularly Employed at their own Homes.*	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
IX.—Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness.												
Coaches and Waggons	146	190	1	17	1	5	1,182	..	5	..	..	..
Saddlery, Harness, Whips, &c.	37	47	..	5	2	..	364	5	3	..	..	..
Spokes	4	4	..	2	..	1	15	..	..	..	..	..
Total	187	241	1	24	3	6	1,561	5	8	..	..	..
X.—Light, Fuel, and Heat.												
Coke	7	15	..	5	..	8	168	..	..	..	..	..
Electric Light	33	32	..	3	..	52	52	..	2	..	..	..
Gas	41	46	..	30	..	60	421	..	41	..	..	..
Total	81	93	..	38	..	120	641	..	43	..	..	..
XI.—Miscellaneous.												
Baskets and Wickerware, Mats and Matting	4	4	..	..	1	..	52	6	5	..	..	..
Billiard Tables	2	4	..	..	..	..	16	..	..	..	..	..
Boxes and Packing Cases	7	9	..	2	..	3	91	..	7	..	..	..
Brooms and Brushes	12	17	..	3	..	2	106	6	6	..	..	..
Chaff-cutting and Corn-crushing	37	42	..	10	1	34	99	..	34	..	..	..
Chemicals, Drugs, and Patent Medicines	15	26	..	7	2	12	152	38	13	3	..	..
Cooperage	15	20	..	4	..	9	235	..	7	..	..	..
Cutlery	3	4	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Dye Works	6	8	1	..	2	..	19	9	..	..	..	..
Electro-plating	4	7	..	3	..	1	33	3	..	..	..	..
Fancy Leather	6	9	..	..	..	1	47	..	..	..	..	..
Glass (including bottles)	6	8	..	4	1	13	205	..	7	..	..	..
Glass (ornamental)	8	10	..	8	..	4	93	1	4	..	..	..
Jewellery (manufacturing)	7	7	..	1	1	..	62	..	..	..	..	..
Lamps	4	5	..	2	..	1	13	24	2	..	..	..
Perambulators	2	2	..	..	..	..	14	5	1	..	..	..
Photo-Engraving	2	3	..	1	..	..	18	2	..	..	..	..
Portmanteaus	3	4	..	..	..	..	32	..	..	..	..	..
Rope and Fishing-lines	5	8	..	4	..	3	106	1	2	..	..	..
Soap and Candles	35	42	..	15	2	11	158	16	30	..	2	..
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments	8	10	..	..	..	..	36	7	1	..	..	..
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes	8	24	2	24	1	8	412	124	15	..	..	..
Other Industries, consisting of single establishments†	15	17	..	18	..	5	162	13	8	..	..	..
Total	214	290	3	106	11	107	2,168	255	142	3	2	..
Total, all classes	2,839	4,004	231	1,504	62	1,692	35,055	7,098	2,303	30	115	424

* In accordance with a further agreement with Victoria, the number of home workers regularly employed in con-

Bee Hives, Bicycles, Explosives, Horse and Cattle Medicines, Leather Belting, Letter-making, Revolving Wooden Shutters, have been combined in order not to divulge particulars of the business of individual proprietors or firms.

Hands Employed, &c., in 1898—*continued.*

Employed.			Children under 15 years of age included in foregoing total.		Greatest Number of Persons Employed (exclusive of home workers).		Number of Establishments using Machinery.	Horse-power of Machinery in use.						Total Value of Machinery, Implements, and Tools.
Total.								Full capacity.			Actually used.			
Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.		Steam.	Gas.	Other.	Steam.	Gas.	Other.	
								H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	H.-p.	£
1,399	2	1,401	8	..	1,593	2	9	102	....	....	74	..	..	27,323
419	7	426	4	..	455	8	2	13	....	....	8	..	..	3,292
22	..	22	..	..	25	....	4	31	....	....	29	..	..	1,410
1,840	9	1,849	12	..	2,073	10	15	146	....	....	111	..	..	32,025
196	..	196	2	..	220	....	6	184	....	....	129	..	..	38,500
141	..	141	..	..	151	....	33	2,169	....	944	1,457	..	653	99,110
598	..	598	..	..	731	....	33	1,096	15	....	750	12	..	663,765
935	..	935	2	..	1,102	....	72	3,449	15	944	2,336	12	653	801,375
61	7	68	..	..	65	7	1	....	6	....	....	4	..	300
20	..	20	..	..	22	....	2	....	3	....	....	3	..	650
112	..	112	..	..	147	....	3	119	10	....	82	10	..	2,995
134	6	140	7	..	141	7	5	16	12	....	14	9	..	1,967
219	1	220	1	..	264	1	37	189	75	....	150	55	..	11,149
210	43	253	1	..	220	45	8	196	3	....	139	2	..	32,380
275	..	275	1	..	319	....	9	192	....	....	160	..	..	15,520
11	..	11	..	..	12	....	2	....	2	....	....	2	..	180
27	12	39	..	..	28	13	1	6	....	....	6	..	..	690
44	3	47	1	..	46	5	4	9	15	....	4	13	..	2,700
57	..	57	..	..	76	....	4	25	....	....	20	..	..	1,825
237	1	238	2	..	246	1	3	9	10	....	5	8	..	8,750
119	1	120	..	..	130	1	3	10	9	....	10	9	..	3,980
70	1	71	..	..	76	1	1	....	2	....	....	2	..	830
23	24	47	..	..	26	24	1	....	2	....	....	1	..	575
17	5	22	1	..	20	8	1	....	1	....	....	1	..	350
22	2	24	..	..	26	3	....	....	....	....	....	..	..	952
36	..	36	..	..	36	....	1	....	1	....	....	1	..	225
123	1	124	2	..	129	1	3	94	3	....	82	2	..	10,480
258	18	276	14	..	309	20	32	662	1	....	473	1	..	66,650
47	7	54	..	..	50	7	2	....	2	....	....	2	..	1,480
483	127	610	4	..	524	137	5	132	....	....	94	..	..	43,660
210	13	223	6	..	231	14	10	85	30	....	49	26	..	7,770
2,815	272	3,087	40	..	3,143	295	138	1,744	187	....	1,288	151	..	216,058
44,673	7,845	52,518	405	106	50,829	8,588	1,823	41,155	1,491	1,595	30,786	1,101	1,081	5,435,696

nection with factories is included in the general total. † Including one of each of the following industries :—Asbestos Oil, Rubber Goods, Sewing Machines, Sheep-shearing Machines, Specialities, Tobacco Pipes, Iron Trunks, Umbrellas. These

No. 5.—Classification of Manufactories and Works according to the Number of Hands Employed, year ended 31st December, 1898.

Class of Industry.	Establishments employing— Under 4 Hands.		4 Hands.		From 5 to 10 Hands.		From 11 to 20 Hands.		From 21 to 50 Hands.		From 51 to 100 Hands.		From 101 upwards.		Total.	
	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.	Establishments.	Hands.
METROPOLITAN DISTRICT.	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No	No
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	6	15	6	24	26	178	14	229	11	323	6	375	1	186	70	1,330
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	6	17	6	24	44	310	24	362	25	740	15	988	9	1,480	129	3,921
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	1	3	17	68	97	689	64	905	61	1,851	26	1,811	16	2,954	282	8,281
IV. Building Materials	8	16	5	20	42	291	18	263	28	876	9	589	2	226	112	2,281
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	6	16	14	56	55	405	38	576	27	792	11	716	9	2,935	160	5,496
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	1	3	2	8	6	40	4	54	4	126	1	89	2	890	20	1,210
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	2	6	16	64	24	167	25	368	16	432	3	185	1	214	87	1,436
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	5	13	9	36	35	235	26	377	19	649	10	650	8	1,549	112	3,509
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	2	6	9	36	20	145	24	328	9	272	..	..	..	..	64	787
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	7	16	2	8	6	33	1	36	3	71	..	..	1	332	20	496
XI. Miscellaneous	15	43	17	68	59	414	34	492	16	460	9	659	3	537	153	2,673
Total	59	154	103	412	414	2,907	272	3,990	219	6,592	90	6,062	52	11,303	1,209	31,420
Number of persons regularly employed at their own homes																514
																31,934
COUNTRY DISTRICTS.																
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	14	39	16	64	35	246	30	467	8	224	3	231	..	..	106	1,271
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	181	424	73	292	126	1,127	39	563	23	666	1	76	10	2,261	453	5,409
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	..	..	10	40	74	519	26	357	17	519	5	304	1	111	133	1,850
IV. Building Materials	83	211	62	248	156	1,056	64	934	30	909	6	423	..	..	401	3,781
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	6	18	10	40	26	188	15	225	29	1,090	10	733	14	2,444	110	4,738
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	..	..	1	4	2	14	2	32	2	52	..	..	..	..	7	102
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	..	..	1	4	6	40	5	69	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	113
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	3	8	33	132	97	643	23	338	6	206	1	55	..	..	163	1,382
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	1	3	22	88	64	450	32	421	4	100	..	..	..	..	123	1,062
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	28	63	12	48	13	81	3	38	4	133	1	76	..	..	61	439
XI. Miscellaneous	19	49	10	40	27	179	2	35	2	51	1	58	..	..	61	412
Total	335	815	250	1,000	626	4,543	241	3,479	125	3,950	28	1,956	25	4,816	1,630	20,559
Number of persons regularly employed at their own homes																25
																20,584
NEW SOUTH WALES.																
I. Treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits	20	54	22	88	61	424	44	696	19	547	9	606	1	186	176	2,601
II. Connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof	187	441	79	316	170	1,437	63	925	48	1,406	16	1,064	19	3,741	582	9,330
III. Clothing and Textile Fabrics	1	3	27	108	171	1,208	90	1,262	78	2,370	31	2,115	17	3,065	415	10,131
IV. Building Materials	91	227	67	268	198	1,347	82	1,197	58	1,785	15	1,012	2	226	513	6,062
V. Metal Works, Machinery, etc.	12	34	24	96	81	593	53	801	56	1,882	21	1,449	23	5,379	270	10,234
VI. Ship-building, Repairing, etc.	1	3	3	12	8	54	6	86	6	178	1	89	2	890	27	1,312
VII. Furniture, Bedding, etc. ..	2	6	17	68	30	207	30	437	16	432	3	185	1	214	99	1,549
VIII. Books, Paper, Printing, etc...	8	21	42	168	132	878	49	715	25	855	11	705	8	1,549	275	4,891
IX. Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness	3	9	31	124	84	595	56	749	13	372	..	..	..	..	187	1,849
X. Light, Fuel, and Heat ..	35	79	14	56	19	114	4	74	7	204	1	76	1	332	81	935
XI. Miscellaneous	34	92	27	108	86	593	36	527	18	511	10	717	3	537	214	3,035
Total	394	969	353	1,412	1,040	7,450	513	7,469	344	10,542	118	8,018	77	16,119	2,839	51,979
Number of persons regularly employed at their own homes																539
																52,518

NOTE.—Number of Works using steam or other power, 1,823; hands employed, 40,446. Number of Works using manual labour only, 1,016; hands employed, 12,372.

No. 6.—Number of Hands Employed in some of the Principal Industries, 1889–98.

Manufactory or Work.	Hands employed.									
	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Raw Materials, the Production of Pastoral Pursuits.—										
Boiling-down	127	140	273	83	1,453	1,616	819	651	443	53
Tanneries...	894	760	897	651	965	1,130	1,168	1,211	1,000	997
Wool-washing	1,273	1,482	842	1,142	574	1,246	1,522	1,597	1,546	1,347
Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.—										
Aërated Waters	1,103	1,099	897	832	559	829	939	978	1,035	980
Breweries	805	820	784	745	685	744	848	791	871	830
Biscuits	435	375	504	452	459	479	463	445	451	654
Confectionery	389	497	359	411	285	380	469	475	550	561
Flour	628	583	541	568	699	696	678	721	740	757
Ice and Refrigerating ...	211	157	195	251	608	500	771	1,047	917	627
Jam and Fruit Canning...	268	310	232	243	221	340	438	452	418	594
Meat Preserving... ...	317	324	320	346	460	308	1,109	971	820	1,037
Sugar Mills and Refineries	1,850	2,424	1,921	1,840	2,064	1,614	1,757	1,866	1,695	1,622
Clothing and Textile Fabrics.—										
Boots and Shoes... ...	2,045	2,420	2,806	2,708	3,090	3,420	3,743	3,526	3,520	3,500
Clothing (Slop)	3,312	2,745	2,698	2,655	1,011	1,466	1,777	1,720	1,601	2,050
Do (Tailoring) ...	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	2,004	2,359	2,486
Hats and Caps	141	106	74	26	14	10	65	73	92	116
Woollen Cloth	177	172	155	185	203	221	242	232	210	241
Dressmaking and Millinery	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	1,780	1,836	1,797
Building Materials.—										
Bricks	2,124	1,874	2,018	1,504	1,357	1,242	1211	1,295	1,166	1,252
Joinery	1,124	702	978	778	529	341	349	305	412	495
Lime, Plaster, &c. ...	190	177	125	123	...	76	37	51	89	171
Marble, Slate, and Stone...	156	259	314	233	61	147	156	212	196	237
Pottery	273	260	323	202	168	217	228	338	266	408
Saw Mills...	3,616	3,578	3,788	4,573	3,266	3,257	3,402	3,187	3,062	3,061

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* Not collected during these years.

No. 6.—Number of Hands Employed in some of the Principal Industries, 1889–98—*continued.*

Manufactory or Work.	Hands employed.									
	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Metal Works and Machinery.–	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Agricultural Implements.	...	...	...	113	90	134	118	114	157	252
Iron and Brass Works, Engineering and Machinery	4,92	4,413	4,394	3,726	2,264	1,939	2,457	3,119	3,333	3,358
Railway Workshops and Carriage Factories ...	2,521	2,229	4,146	2,586	2,488	2,739	2,729	2,473	2,767	2,748
Smelting	2,009	1,276	1,222	2,354	1,247	1,516	1,626	2,076	3,012	2,616
Wire-working	83	170	170	269	154	169	152	221	254	219
Ship-building and Repairing, &c.—										
Docks and Slips* ...	979	1,123	978	1,384	1,374	1,239	870	950	1,126	1,029
Sails and Tarpaulins ...	69	102	97	122	16	66	47	70	90	84
Ship and Boat Building...	...	...	...	...	...	...	118	112	171	199
Furniture, Bedding, &c.—										
Furniture and Bedding...	1,320	1,246	1,064	997	624	716	723	1,039	1,231	1,456
Picture Frames	52	38	47	27	4	47	30	103	50	71
Window Blinds	71	64	81	24	9	31	19	25	29	22
Books, Paper, Printing, &c.—										
Paper	99	66	65	62	62	54	60	80	101	96
Printing and Bookbinding	4,055	4,430	3,959	4,207	3,995	4,055	4,446	4,613	4,631	4,540
Vehicles, Saddlery, and Harness—										
Coaches and Waggons ...	1,978	1,948	1,486	1,999	1,121	1,224	1,136	1,230	1,298	1,401
Saddlery and Harness ...	567	527	483	552	254	324	247	346	393	426
Light, Fuel, and Heat.—										
Gas	482	500	529	585	641	620	637	621	638	598
Miscellaneous.—										
Brushes and Baskets and Matting	47	32	39	36	33	176	163	156	171	208
Dye Works	42	41	46	41	33	46	47	42	29	39
Boxes and Packing Cases.	56	92	38	51	30	101	92	95	125	112
Rope	124	106	133	113	114	119	116	111	103	124
Soap and Candles ...	397	250	194	257	411	467	454	370	310	276
Tobacco	715	621	678	532	570	570	645	641	613	610

* Includes ship and boat building up to the year 1894.

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 7.—Number of Female Hands Employed, 1889–98.

Manufactory or Work.	1888-89.	1889-90.	1890-91.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Aërated Waters	24	49	52	29	7	20	48	34	37	28
Biscuits	98	90	140	194	121	101	120	136	127	227
Boots and Shoes	427	465	544	478	661	704	891	849	837	845
Chemicals, Drugs, &c, ...	...	13	6	4	2	2	7	32	37	43
Clothing (Slop)	2,281	2,190	2,036	876	750	1,129	1,395	1,290	1,197	1,592
Clothing (Tailoring) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,036	1,231	1,279
Clothing (Oilskin and Waterproof).	34	34	36	33	35	9	108	94	161	287
Clothing (Shirts)	...	...	...	90	30	18	...	56	86	64
Condiments, Coffee, & Spices	9	34	30	26	50	60	90	172	176	176
Corn Flour	4	4	6	10	5	19	18	16	32	36
Dressmaking and Millinery*..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,738	1,776	1,764
Confectionery	76	85	70	108	56	80	117	118	152	153
Furniture, Bedding, &c. ...	37	32	29	42	27	29	32	49	67	86
Hats and Caps	71	36	21	11	5	5	41	50	59	77
Jam and Fruit Canning ...	16	110	53	43	27	84	82	81	87	105
Printing and Bookbinding ...	312	319	427	350	301	296	343	394	463	487
Paper Bags and Boxes ...	49	59	46	71	58	83	119	134	124	138
Paper Mills	19	15	12	10	12	13	13	16	27	24
Sails, Tents, & Tarpaulins ...	6	11	20	58	...	19	14	15	24	26
Tobacco	161	167	172	140	138	141	167	170	136	127
Woollen Cloth	60	62	61	58	59	62	67	70	61	72
Other Industries	581	489	792	339	162	348	174	382	209	209
Total	4,265	4,264	4,553	2,970	2,506	3,222	3,846	6,932	7,106	7,845

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* In 1896, dressmakers, milliners, and tailoresses were included for the first time.

No. 8.—Number of Boiling-down Works, Hands Employed, and Quantity of Tallow Produced, Consumed, and Exported, 1889–98.

Year.	Boiling-down Works.	Hands employed.	* Estimated Quantity of Tallow.		
			Produced.	Locally consumed.	Exported.
	No.	No.	cwt.	cwt.	cwt.
1888–89	20	127	350,161	175,840	174,321
1889–90	16	140	292,971	141,480	151,491
1890–91	26	273	346,698	123,080	223,618
1892	15	83	436,384	123,053	313,331
1893	59	1,453	840,656	183,065	657,591
1894	64	1,616	1,069,100	221,864	847,236
1895	68	866	1,077,215	282,295	794,920
1896	36	651	570,983	166,929	404,054
1897	24	443	656,973	171,871	485,102
1898	11	53	466,102	134,260	331,842

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* The production of tallow is liable to great fluctuation from year to year. These figures refer to the total production in all classes of establishments and on stations, and not merely to the output of the boiling-down works enumerated in the tables.

No. 9.—Number of Boot and Shoe Factories, Hands Employed, and Pairs of Boots and Shoes Made, 1889-98.

Year.	Factories.	Hands employed.			Boots and Shoes made (as returned by manufacturers).
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	Pairs.
1888-89	57	1,618	427	2,045	2,559,980
1889-90	59	1,955	465	2,420	2,196,815
1890-91	60	2,262	544	2,806	2,634,254
1892	66	2,230	478	2,708	2,500,000
1893	54	2,429	661	3,090	2,545,061
1894	68	2,716	704	3,420	2,611,700
1895	66	2,852	891	3,743	2,721,132
1896	82	2,677	849	3,526	2,567,169
1897	81	2,683	837	3,520	2,735,528
1898	76	2,655	845	3,500	2,904,783

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 10.—Number of Brickworks, Hands Employed, Bricks Made, and Power of Plant, 1889-98.

Year.	Brickworks.	Hands employed.	Bricks made (as returned by works).	Horse-power of Plant. (full capacity).
	No.	No.	No.	H.-p.
1888-89	229	2,124	219,795,000	1,420
1889-90	211	1,874	187,769,000	1,401
1890-91	190	2,018	184,862,000	1,447
1892	94	1,504	115,293,000	1,295
1893	162	1,357	105,442,000	1,166
1894	165	1,242	92,113,000	1,216
1895	163	1,211	99,587,000	980
1896	150	1,295	102,459,000	1,242
1897	149	1,166	113,267,000	1,326
1898	131	1,252	113,126,000	1,281

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 11.—Number of Breweries, Hands Employed, Beer Produced, and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Breweries.	Hands employed.	Ale, Beer, &c., manufactured.	Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
	No.	No.	Gallons.	H.-p.
1888–89	71	805	9,515,200	718
1889–90	67	820	9,619,600	900
1890–91	71	784	10,594,020	695
1892	47	745	10,807,200	738
1893	35	685	9,753,200	692
1894	54	744	9,508,400	1,051
1895	54	848	9,821,840	1,244
1896	57	791	10,177,360	1,222
1897	59	871	10,806,400	1,183
1898	56	830	11,674,880	1,384

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 12.—Number of Distilleries, Hands Employed, Molasses Used, and Spirit Distilled, 1886–95.

Year.	Distilleries.	Hands employed.	Molasses used.	Spirit distilled.
	No.	No.	cwt.	Proof gallons.
1885–86	1	28	39 380	193,343
1886–87	1	27	41,098	202,420
1887–88	1	20	42,941	197,016
1888–89	1	15	41,144	191,784
1889–90	2	13	31,000	145,620
1890–91	1	11	42,084	200,708
1892	1	11	52,999	235,049
1893	1	11	66,928	298,626
1894	1	10	65,166	304,720
1895	1*	10*	28,880*	134,670*

* Establishment ceased working on 1st June, 1895.

No. 13.—Number of Flour Mills, Hands Employed, Quantity of Flour Made, and Power and Value of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Flour Mills.	Hands employed.	Flour made (as returned by manufacturers).	Plant or Machinery.	
				Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	Tons.	H.-p.	£
1888–89	110	628	129,445	2,877	339,260
1889–90	80	583	118,691	2,638	299,230
1890–91	74	541	118,396	2,363	219,588
1892	72	568	83,409	1,936	180,502
1893	87	699	142,000	2,531	351,240
1894	83	696	118,339	3,305	244,365
1895	87	678	131,390	3,611	229,496
1896	81	721	137,350	3,448	241,535
1897	81	740	134,613	3,888	255,490
1898	80	757	170,473	3,955	260,917

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.
In comparing the above figures with the crop returns it should be borne in mind that a large quantity of grain harvested is not used for making flour.

No. 14.—Number of Gasworks, Hands Employed, Gas Made, and Value and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Gasworks.	Hands employed.	Gas made (as returned by manufacturers).	Plant or Machinery.	
				Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	1,000 cubic feet.	H.-p.	£
1888–89	30	482*	1,379,150	434	.....
1889–90	30	500*	1,434,942	406	.....
1890–91	31	529*	1,512,232	416	472,526
1892	32	585*	1,670,944	535	618,025
1893	40	641*	1,805,812	406	812,065
1894	42	620*	1,772,557	672	816,857
1895	43	637*	1,822,243	649	†707,674
1896	42	621	1,816,613	625	†677,129
1897	33	638	1,824,691	627	632,279
1898	41	598	1,788,218	1,111‡	663,765

* Approximate figures. † Exclusive of Mains and Services. The values for these years, being overstated, have now been reduced. ‡ Increase of 485 horse-power in one establishment.

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands. In the years prior to 1896 hands connected with the distribution of gas were included in some returns; these have been excluded, and the present table corrected in this respect.

No. 15.—Number of Saw Mills, Hands Employed, and Power and Value of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Saw Mills.	Hands employed.	Plant or Machinery.	
			Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	H.-p.	£
1888–89	317	3,616	5,194	410,096
1889–90	325	3,578	5,317	396,166
1890–91	346	3,788	5,735	338,955
1892	288	4,573	5,262	274,575
1893	283	3,266	4,452	330,170
1894	299	3,257	5,101	292,790
1895	315	3,402	5,709	275,479
1896	326	3,187	5,385	265,020
1897	303	3,062	5,377	226,075
1898	259	3,061	5,176	212,555

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 16.—Number of Soap and Candle Factories, Hands Employed, Soap and Candles Made, and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Soap and Candle Factories.	Hands Employed.	Quantity manufactured (as returned by manufacturers).		Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
			Soap.	Candles.	
	No.	No.	cwt.	lb.	H.-p.
1888–89	59	397	198,880	2,796,700	503
1889–90	30	250	164,800	2,388,440	355
1890–91	27	194	143,520	1,545,920	257
1892	21	257	110,360	3,304,130	409
1893	51	411	180,576	3,510,155	450
1894	49	467	204,623	4,785,109	556
1895	50	476	299,356	4,632,730	661
1896	43	370	150,373	3,734,050	770
1897	40	310	187,142	2,638,175	726
1898	35	276	139,983	2,312,778	663

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 17.—Number of Sugar Mills, Hands Employed, Sugar and Molasses Made, and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year	Sugar Mills.		Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).		Quantity manufactured (as returned by manufacturers).		Hands Employed.
	Worked by Steam.	Otherwise Worked.	Steam.	Other	Sugar.	Molasses.	
	No.	No.	H.-p.	H.-p.	cwt.	gallons.	No.
1888–89	36	.....	1,995	.....	225,580	241,088	1,640
1889–90	38	2	3,034	10	380,320	494,145	2,194
1890–91	31	2	1,344	12	530,660	1,074,080	1,621
1892	24	1	3,594	70	485,780	789,230	1,468
1893	25	3	3,244	16	478,605	1,079,940	1,392
1894	23	2	3,476	.....	452,756	1,573,886	1,174
1895	24	.....	3,430	.....	444,261	1,427,458	1,415
1896	23	.....	3,479	.....	571,140	2,520,580	1,475
1897	19	.....	3,620	.....	553,066	1,421,406	1,297
1898	20	.....	3,331	.....	582,198	1,647,785	1,168

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

No. 18.—Number of Sugar Refineries, Hands Employed, Sugar Melted, and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Sugar Refineries.	Hands Employed.	Sugar Melted.	Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
	No.	No.	cwt.	H.-p.
1888-89	1	210	550,149	250
1889-90	1	230	600,000	250
1890-91	1	300	660,000	350
1892	1	372	772,948	460
1893	2	672	805,058	610
1894	2	440	756,200	650
1895	1	342	801,000	440
1896	1	391	866,000	440
1897	1	398	864,400	440
1898	1	454	948,400	500

No. 19.—Number of Tobacco Factories, Hands Employed, Quantity of Leaf Used, Tobacco, &c., Manufactured, and Power and Value of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Establishments.*		Hands employed.		Tobacco Leaf used.		Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes manufactured.			Plant or Machinery.	
	Tobacco.	Cigars and Cigarettes.	Males.	Females	New South Wales grown Leaf.	Imported Leaf.	Article.	Quantity.	Value.	Power (full capacity).	Value.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	lb.	lb.		lb.	£	H.-p.	£
1889	10	4	454	167	1,440,244	545,743	Tobacco...	1,971,394	295,709	91	75,770
							Cigars ...	5,393	3,236		
							Cigarettes	9,200	4,140		
1890	9	8	506	172	1,345,620	569,420	Tobacco...	1,892,592	283,890	101	67,842
							Cigars ...	4,120	2,472		
							Cigarettes	18,328	8,246		
1891	11	12	449	163	1,403,240	639,148	Tobacco...	1,982,991	305,711	110	65,000
							Cigars ...	3,412	2,047		
							Cigarettes	55,985	24,727		
1892	11	11	443	163	1,429,136	617,608	Tobacco...	1,964,624	305,460	111	41,849
							Cigars ...	5,128	3,516		
							Cigarettes	76,992	33,681		
1893	11	13	452	142	1,284,582	597,482	Tobacco...	1,776,560	266,500	158	50,850
							Cigars ...	480	290		
							Cigarettes	105,024	47,260		
1894	11	12	453	147	1,312,575	540,009	Tobacco...	1,732,496	259,874	191	51,600
							Cigars ...	5,117	3,070		
							Cigarettes	114,971	51,737		
1895	12	15	523	177	1,334,924	636,287	Tobacco...	1,833,744	275,062	206	59,500
							Cigars ...	1,024	511		
							Cigarettes	136,443	61,849		
1896	11	21	526	188	1,351,920	691,769	Tobacco...	1,857,616	278,642	212	55,700
							Cigars ...	16,553	7,525		
							Cigarettes	169,520	62,158		
1897	11	13	498	147	1,229,821	876,231	Tobacco...	1,902,284	285,343	207	41,135
							Cigars ...	14,761	8,857		
							Cigarettes	189,007	85,053		
1898	9	14	526	172	1,224,919	1,110,751	Tobacco...	2,081,260	312,189	204	43,660
							Cigars ...	21,678	13,007		
							Cigarettes	232,732	104,729		

* In addition to the factories enumerated on page 8, several smaller establishments licensed by the Customs Department are here included.

No. 20.—Number of Woollen Mills, Hands Employed, Cloth Made, and Power of Plant, 1889–98.

Year.	Woollen Mills.	Hands employed.			Woollen Cloth and Tweed manufactured.*	Horse-power of Plant (full capacity).
		Males.	Females.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	yds.	H.-p.
1888-89	5	117	60	177	241,000	153
1889-90	5	110	62	172	207,500	153
1890-91	4	94	61	155	310,000	134
1892	5	127	58	185	202,088	145
1893	5	144	59	203	440,500	141
1894	5	159	62	221	461,000	174
1895	5	175	67	242	613,500	164
1896	5	162	70	232	588,015	170
1897	5	149	61	210	440,177	201
1898	5	169	72	241	487,374	250

NOTE.—Commencing with the year 1896, establishments not using machinery have been accepted if employing not less than 4 hands; prior to this year, the minimum was 5 hands.

* As returned by manufacturers

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898.

[The information given in this table, with a few exceptions, has been supplied by the Department of Labour and Industry.]

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
I.—Persons engaged in treating Raw Material, the Product of Pastoral Pursuits.						
Boiling Down—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	2	10	0	2	0	0
Offal and bone men ...	2	5	0	1	5	0
Bone-dust makers ...	2	0	0	1	10	0
Tallowmen	2	0	0	1	15	0
Oilmakers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Glue makers	2	10	0	1	5	0
Tanneries—						
Foremen	4	10	0	2	10	0
Fleshers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Curriers	2	15	0	1	10	0
Picklers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Beamsmen	2	15	0	1	10	0
Rollermen	2	10	0	1	10	0
Tanneries—*continued.*						
Limemen	2	5	0	1	10	0
Yardmen	2	0	0	1	10	0
Wool-washing—						
Foremen	5	0	0	2	10	0
Woolsorters	2	5	0	1	10	0
Woolpullers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Woolwashers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Woolpackers	2	10	0	1	15	0
Wooldriers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Woolsoakers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Skinmen	1	16	0	1	5	0
Bearers and drivers ...	1	16	0	1	5	0
II.—Persons engaged in Trades connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof.						
Aërated Waters—						
Foremen	6	0	0	2	0	0
Makers	4	0	0	2	0	0
Packers	2	5	0	1	7	6
Bottlers	2	10	0	1	0	0
Washers	1	15	0	0	15	0
Wirers and corkers ...	1	15	0	0	15	0
Labellers	1	0	0	0	6	0
Carters	2	10	0	1	5	0
Cart-boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
General hands Males...	2	0	0	0	17	6
,, Females	0	15	0	0	12	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Bread, Biscuits, and Pastry—						
Foremen	4	0	0	2	10	0
Bakers (bread)	3	2	6	1	7	6
,, assistants... ...	1	0	0	0	15	0
,, apprentices ...	1	5	0	0	7	6
Jobbers	1/3 to 1/6 per hour.					
Biscuit-bakers	3	0	0	1	5	0
Brakesmen	2	0	0	0	18	0
General hands	2	0	0	0	10	0
Machine hands	1	5	0	0	15	0
,, boys	0	10	0	0	7	0
Pastry cooks	3	0	0	1	0	0
,, apprentices...	1	0	0	0	5	0
Packers ... ... Males	0	13	0	0	8	0
Carters	2	10	0	1	5	0
Engineers, carpenters, blacksmiths, &c. ...	3	0	0	1	10	0
Forewomen	1	0	0	0	15	0
Packers ... Females	0	15	0	0	6	0
Labelling and cleaning tins	0	12	0	0	7	0
Breweries—						
Foremen	5	0	0	2	10	0
Topmen	2	10	0	1	10	0
Breweries—*continued.*						
Cellarmen...	2	10	0	1	10	0
Cask-washers	2	10	0	1	0	0
General hands	2	10	0	1	0	0
Bottlers	2	0	0	1	0	0
Coopers	3	5	0	1	15	0
,, boys	1	0	0	0	10	0
Packers	2	10	0	1	0	0
Storemen	2	15	0	1	1	0
Draymen	2	15	0	1	12	6
Boys	0	18	0	0	7	6
Butter Factories—						
Foremen or managers ...	4	0	0	2	5	0
Engineers...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Milk-testing experts ...	2	10	0	1	0	0
Butter-makers	2	5	0	1	5	0
Assistants...	1	10	0	0	15	0
Coffee, Cocoa, Rice, Spices, &c.—						
Foremen	4	10	0	2	10	0
Millers	3	5	0	1	10	0
Coffee and cocoa hands ...	3	0	0	1	17	6
Jelly-makers	3	0	0	1	17	6
Boys	0	18	0	0	6	0
Packers	2	10	0	0	15	0
,, boys	0	15	0	0	8	0
Labellers	1	10	0	0	12	0
Storemen	3	0	0	2	0	0
Forewomen	1	0	0	0	15	0
Packers ... Females	0	15	0	0	5	0
Condiments—						
Foremen	4	0	0	2	10	0
Mill hands and journeymen	3	0	0	1	10	0
Packers	2	5	0	1	0	0
,, boys	0	8	0	0	4	0
Bottle-washers, boys ...	0	10	0	0	6	0
General hands, girls and women	0	14	0	0	6	0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
II.—Persons engaged in Trades connected with Food and Drink, or the Preparation thereof—*continued.*						
Confectionery—						
Foremen	4	0	0	3	0	0
Sugar boilers and pan men	2	7	0	1	0	0
„ improvers ...	1	10	0	0	10	0
„ boys ...	0	11	0	0	7	0
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	17	6
Packers	2	18	6	1	0	0
„ boys	0	15	0	0	6	0
General confectioners ...	3	0	0	1	10	0
Assistants and improvers.	1	10	0	0	7	0
Storemen	2	0	0	1	10	0
Forewomen	1	7	6	0	17	6
Confectioners Females	1	10	0	0	15	0
„ assistants „	0	12	0	0	7	0
Packers and wrappers „	0	15	0	0	5	0
Creameries—						
Managers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Engineers	2	5	0	1	5	0
Flour—						
Foremen	6	0	0	3	0	0
Millers	4	10	0	1	10	0
„ juniors	2	5	0	0	15	0
Samplers	2	5	0	2	0	0
Sleevemen...	2	0	0	1	16	0
Stackers	2	0	0	1	16	0
Smutters and oilmen ...	2	0	0	1	16	0
Packers	2	0	0	1	10	0
„ boys	1	5	0	0	16	0
Purifier men	2	0	0	1	10	0
Mixers	2	0	0	1	5	0
General hands, yard-men, &c.	1	16	0	1	0	0
Engineers and firemen ...	3	15	0	1	5	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	10	0
Ice and Refrigerating—						
Foremen	5	0	0	2	5	0
Journeymen	3	0	0	2	0	0
Boys	0	18	0	0	10	0
Engineers and firemen ...	3	10	0	2	5	0
Jam and Fruit-canning—						
Foremen	4	10	0	2	0	0
Jam-boilers	2	10	0	1	0	0
Tinsmiths and solderers ...	2	8	0	1	5	0
Tinsmiths' boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Labellers	0	15	0	0	5	0
Packers	1	10	0	0	10	0
Case-makers	2	0	0	1	5	0
Engineers...	2	5	0	1	12	6
Boys	0	12	0	0	6	0
Fruit-preparers	0	12	0	0	6	0
Packers ... Females	0	16	0	0	5	0
Labellers ... ... „	0	12	6	0	5	0
Meat Preserving and Small Goods—						
Foremen	6	0	0	3	0	0
Preservers and extract-makers	3	10	0	3	0	0
Tallow-makers	2	15	0	2	0	0
Salters	2	15	0	2	0	0
Slaughtermen	3	0	0	2	0	0
Boys	1	10	0	1	0	0
Boners	2	10	0	1	0	0
Fillers	1	15	0	1	0	0
Labourers...	2	0	0	1	0	0
„ boys	0	18	0	0	9	0
Tinsmiths...	3	0	0	1	2	6
Coopers	2	14	0	2	0	0
Small goodsmen	2	10	0	1	10	0
Oatmeal, self-raising flour, and Baking Powder—						
Foremen	3	5	0	2	5	0
Mixers and packers ...	2	0	0	1	0	0
Boys	0	10	0	0	7	0
Forewomen	2	0	0	1	0	0
Packers, weighers, and labellers Females	1	3	0	0	7	0
Girls	0	10	0	0	7	0
Paper bag makers..Females	0	16	0	0	10	0
Sugar Mills—						
Foreman mechanics ...	3	12	0	3	6	0
Engineers and fitters ...	3	6	0	3	0	0
Mechanics	2	17	0	2	8	0
Tinsmiths...	2	10	0	1	10	0
Mechanics' apprentices ...	1	10	0	0	5	0
Pan-boilers	4	0	0	2	5	0
„ apprentices ...	1	10	0	0	5	0
Foremen bag-makers ...	3	0	0	.....		
Bag sewers, boys	0	19	0	0	10	0
Sack-repairers	2	10	0	1	15	0
Labourers...	2	8	0	2	2	0
Tea Packing and Blending—						
Foremen	3	10	0	2	5	0
Blenders	3	12	0	1	7	6
Packers	2	10	0	0	10	0
Labellers	0	15	0	0	5	0
Case-makers	2	5	0	1	16	0
Forewomen	2	0	0	1	0	0
Packers ... Females	1	0	0	0	5	0
Labellers ... ... „	0	15	0	0	4	6
Bag-makers and blockers..	0	12	0	0	7	0
Vinegar Works—						
Manufacturers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Bottlers and labellers ...	1	10	0	0	10	0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
III.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Clothing and Textile Fabrics.						
Boots and Shoes—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	4	5	0	2	0	0
Machine Operators Males	3	0	0	1	12	6
Machine improvers and assistants	1	10	0	0	5	0
Learners	0	7	6	0	5	0
Clickers ... ... Males	3	0	0	1	5	0
,, improvers and assistants... ,,	1	2	6	0	7	0
,, apprentices... ,,	0	17	6	0	9	6
Makers ... ... ,,	3	10	0	1	0	0
,, improvers ,,	1	5	0	0	5	0
,, apprentices ,,	0	15	0	0	5	0
Finishers ... ... ,,	2	10	0	1	0	0
,, improvers and assistants ,,	0	15	0	0	10	0
,, apprentices ,,	0	15	0	0	11	0
Rough-stuff cutters and pressmen... ,,	2	10	0	0	17	6
Rough-stuff cutters improvers ... ,,	1	0	0	0	10	0
Trimmers ... ... ,,	2	10	0	1	10	0
Pressmen	2	10	0	1	5	0
Heelers and sluggers ...	2	12	6	1	0	0
Lasters	2	0	0	1	5	0
Edge-setters, feather-erers, and breasters ... ... Males	2	0	0	0	16	0
Channel-closers ... ,,	2	0	0	0	14	0
Skivers ... ... ,,	2	0	0	1	0	0
Eyeletters... ... ,,	1	5	0	0	17	6
Brushers, sockers, dressers, scourers, &c. ... ... ,,	0	17	6	0	14	0
Repairers ... ... ,,	2	14	0	1	15	0
Sole-sewers ... ,,	2	10	0	1	10	0
Packers ... ... ,,	2	5	0	0	15	0
Boys	0	12	0	0	4	0
Forewomen	2	5	0	1	2	6
Machinists Females	1	10	0	0	10	0
,, apprentices... ,,	0	12	0	0	4	0
Fitters ... ... ,,	1	3	6	0	7	6
,, apprentices. ,,	0	7	0	0	4	0
Tiers-off and bench hands ... ... ,,	0	9	0	0	3	0
Trimmers, sockers, &c. ... ... ,,	0	15	0	0	5	0
Clothing Factories—Slops—						
Foremen	6	0	0	2	10	0
Cutters ... ... Males	5	0	0	1	5	0
,, assistants and improvers ,,	1	10	0	0	7	6
Pressers ... ... ,,	3	10	0	1	5	0
,, apprentices and assistants ... ,,	1	0	0	0	6	0
Seam pressers ... ,,	1	10	0	0	5	0
Trimmers ... ... ,,	2	15	0	0	10	0
Examiners ... ,,	2	17	6	0	14	0
Folders and brushers ,,	2	15	0	0	15	0
Engineers and mechanics, &c.	3	0	0	1	2	6

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
Clothing Factories—Slops—*continued.*	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Errand boys and messengers	0	17	6	0	3	6
Machinists ... Males	3	10	0	1	10	0
Coat-hands ... ,,	3	10	0	2	0	0
,, ... Females	1	15	0	0	7	6
Trousers-hands ,,	1	7	6	0	10	0
Vest-hands Males...	2	4	0	1	1	0
,, Females	1	7	6	0	5	0
Apprentices	0	15	0	0	2	6
Forewomen	3	0	0	1	10	0
Slop trousers machinists ... Females	1	7	6	0	6	0
Slop trousers finishers ... ... ,,	1	10	0	0	3	0
Button-hole Machinists ... ... ,,	1	5	0	0	6	6
Button-hole finishers ... ... ,,	1	2	6	0	3	0
Coat machinists ... ,,	1	5	0	0	6	0
,, finishers ... ,,	1	2	6	0	4	0
Vest machinists ... ,,	1	7	6	0	6	0
,, finishers ... ,,	0	12	0	0	5	0
,, apprentices ... ,,	0	7	6	0	2	6
Clothing Factories—Order Tailoring—						
Foremen	6	0	0	3	0	0
Cutters ... ... Males	9	0	0	2	0	0
Coat hands ... ,,	3	10	0	2	0	0
,, improvers ... ,,	1	5	0	0	10	0
,, apprentices... ,,	1	10	0	0	2	6
Vest-makers ... ,,	2	6	0	1	5	0
Trousers-makers ... ,,	2	15	0	1	5	0
Pressers ... ... ,,	3	5	0	1	0	0
Trimmers ... ... ,,	2	5	0	0	17	6
Coat hands Females	2	0	0	0	15	0
,, improvers ... ,,	1	5	0	0	6	0
,, apprentices... ,,	1	5	0	0	2	6
Vest hands ... ,,	1	10	0	0	7	6
,, improvers ... ,,	0	17	0	0	5	0
,, apprentices ... ,,	0	12	6	0	2	6
Trousers-makers ... ,,	1	10	0	0	15	0
,, improvers... ,,	0	15	0	0	10	0
,, apprentices ,,	0	10	0	0	2	6
Machinists ... ,,	1	10	0	0	17	6
,, apprentices ,,	0	10	0	0	2	6
Skirt-makers ..... ,,	1	10	0	0	14	0
,, improvers and apprentices ... ,,	0	7	6	0	2	6
Embroideresses	1	10	0	1	0	0
,, improvers..	0	12	0	0	10	0
,, apprentices	0	5	0	0	2	6
Dressmaking and Millinery—						
Forewomen	6	0	0	2	5	0
Cutters and fitters ...	2	10	0	2	0	0
Bodice hands	1	10	0	0	7	6
,, improvers ...	0	10	0	0	2	6
,, apprentices* ...	0	2	6		.....	

* Unpaid for the first three or six months.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum. £ s. d.	Minimum. £ s. d.
III.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Clothing and Textile Fabrics—*continued.*		
Dressmaking and Millinery—*continued.*		
Skirt hands	1 15 0	0 6 0
„ improvers	0 7 6	0 3 0
„ apprentices* ...	0 2 6	.....
Sleeve hands	1 2 6	0 6 0
„ improvers	0 6 0	0 2 6
General dressmakers ...	1 10 0	0 8 6
Machinists	1 2 6	0 12 6
Head mantle-makers ...	4 0 0	3 0 0
Mantle-makers	1 17 0	0 9 6
„ improvers	0 5 6	0 2 6
Blouse-makers	1 0 0	0 12 6
Milliners	1 10 6	0 7 6
„ improvers ...	0 12 6	0 2 6
„ apprentices† ...	0 2 6	.....
Furriers—		
Furriers	3 0 0	1 7 6
Boys	0 13 0	0 7 0
Fur sewers	1 5 0	0 10 0
Hats and Caps—		
Journeymen	3 0 0	0 17 6
Assistants ... ... Males	0 12 6	0 7 6
Apprentices ... „	0 10 0	0 7 6
Foremen	3 15 0	2 15 0
Forewomen	1 15 0	1 0 0
Machinists Females	1 15 0	0 7 0
Finishers ... ... „	0 15 0	0 6 0
Trimmers ... ... „	1 2 6	0 5 0
Improvers, &c. ... „	0 10 6	0 4 6
Apprentices	0 3 6	0 2 6
Shirt-making—		
Shirt-cutters Females	3 0 0	2 0 0
Shirt-makers ... „	1 5 0	0 8 0
Apprentices ... „	0 7 0	0 5 0
Machinists ... „	1 0 0	0 10 0
Finishers ... ... „	0 16 0	0 13 0
Button-hole workers ... ... „	0 16 0	0 7 6
Water-proof Clothing—		
Forewomen	3 0 0	2 10 0
Machinists	1 10 0	0 5 0
„ improvers ...	0 10 0	0 4 6
Finishers	0 15 0	0 12 0
„ improvers ...	0 7 6	0 5 0
Table hands	1 5 0	0 10 0
„ improvers ...	0 7 6	0 2 6
White Work and Ladies' and Children's Clothing—		
Forewomen, designers, and cutters ... Females	2 5 0	1 10 0
Machinists ... „	1 5 0	0 10 0
„ improvers „	0 10 0	0 7 0
„ apprentices „	0 4 0	0 2 6
Finishers ... ... „	1 0 0	0 6 0
Learners ... ... „	0 7 0	0 2 6
Pressers ... ... „	0 16 0	0 7 6
Sorters ... ... „	1 0 0	0 6 6
Cutters ... ... Males	2 0 0	1 0 0
Pressers ... ... „	1 15 0	0 10 0
Woollen Mills—		
Foremen	5 0 0	4 0 0
Carders	3 0 0	2 0 0
Wool-sorters	2 5 0	2 0 0
Finishers	2 5 0	2 0 0
Dyers	3 0 0	2 0 0
„ Assistants	1 10 0	0 15 0
Spinners	2 15 0	1 2 6
Warpers	1 10 0	1 0 0
Wool-scourers	2 0 0	1 15 0
Pressmen	2 0 0	1 10 0
Weavers	2 10 0	1 16 0
Twisters	0 15 0	0 10 0
Boys	0 10 0	0 4 6
Weavers ... Females	1 11 0	0 18 0
Finishers ... ... „	0 12 0	0 8 0
Burlers ... ... „	0 17 6	0 12 0
Girls	0 12 0	0 8 0
IV.—Persons Engaged in Connection with Building Materials, &c.		
Asphalting and Tar-paving—		
Asphalt-makers	2 8 0	1 15 0
Wood-block makers ...	2 2 0	1 5 0
Brickworks—		
Foremen	5 0 0	2 8 0
Clay-diggers and pitmen	2 8 0	1 16 0
Panmen and grinders ...	2 10 0	1 15 0
Setters	2 15 0	1 15 0
Brickmakers and moulders	2 15 0	1 16 0
Pressers	2 10 0	1 15 0
Burners	3 10 0	2 0 0
Loaders-out	2 10 0	1 16 0
Stackers	2 8 0	1 16 0
Carters	2 5 0	1 10 0
Cement—		
Millers	3 10 0	3 0 0
Cement—*continued.*		
Burners	3 0 0	2 0 0
Kiln-fillers	2 5 0	1 16 0
Labourers	2 2 0	1 10 0
Joinery, Wood-turning and Carving—		
Foremen	4 0 0	3 0 0
Joiners	3 0 0	1 16 0
Turners	3 0 0	1 16 0
Carvers	3 3 0	1 18 0
Apprentices	0 15 0	0 7 0
Limeworks—		
Foremen	3 10 0	3 0 0
Quarrymen	2 5 0	1 16 0
Crane-drivers	2 0 0	1 16 0
Lime-drawers	2 8 0	2 0 0
Burners	2 8 0	2 0 0

* Unpaid for the first three or six months. † Unpaid for the first six or twelve months.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
IV.—Persons engaged in connection with Building Materials, &c.—*continued.*						
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Marble and Monumental Masons—						
Foremen	3	0	0	2	10	0
Letter cutters and carvers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Marble and stone masons	3	0	0	1	10	0
Marble and stone masons, improvers	1	10	0	0	15	0
Polishers	2	5	0	1	10	0
,, improvers ...	1	0	0	0	12	0
Fixers	2	5	0	1	5	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Modelling, Cement and Plaster Decorations—						
Modellers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Pressers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Casters	1	10	0	0	10	0
Paint and Varnish—						
Manufacturers	5	0	0	2	10	0
Labourers	1	15	0	0	16	0
Potteries—						
Foremen	3	10	0	2	8	0
Throwers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Pipe-makers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Potteries—*continued.*						
Burners	3	0	0	2	0	0
Clay-getters	2	8	0	1	10	0
Quarrying and Stone-crushing—						
Foremen	3	0	0	2	0	0
Quarrymen	2	8	0	2	0	0
Masons	2	10	0	2	0	0
Stone-breakers	2	2	0	1	10	0
Stone-feeders	2	2	0	1	16	0
Saw-mills—						
Foremen	4	0	0	2	8	0
Saw-sharpeners	2	8	0	1	10	0
Benchers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Benchers' assistants ...	2	0	0	1	0	0
Sawyers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Sawyers' assistants ...	1	10	0	0	12	6
Measurers	2	5	0	1	16	0
Tailers-out	1	0	0	0	15	0
Labourers	2	2	0	1	10	0
Machinists	3	3	0	2	0	0
Machinists' assistants ...	1	10	0	0	10	0
V.—Persons engaged in Engineering, Metal Works, &c.						
Foremen	5	0	0	3	0	0
Engineers	3	5	0	1	14	0
Machinists	3	0	0	1	18	0
Turners and fitters	5	0	0	2	5	0
Blacksmiths	3	0	0	1	10	0
Strikers	2	0	0	1	5	0
Iron-founders	2	10	0	1	15	0
Iron-moulders	3	10	0	1	16	0
,, assistants ...	0	18	0	0	5	0
Iron-dressers	2	8	0	1	12	0
Furnace-men	2	6	0	1	10	0
Pattern-makers	2	14	0	1	12	0
Boilermakers	3	0	0	1	16	0
Coppersmiths	3	3	0	2	10	0
Brass-moulders	3	0	0	1	10	0
Brass-finishers	3	3	0	1	16	0
Tinsmiths	3	0	0	1	10	0
,, assistants... ...	1	5	0	0	6	0
Smelters	3	0	0	2	10	0
Plumbers and gasfitters ...	3	0	0	1	10	0
Plumbers' boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Meter-makers	3	3	0	1	19	0
Painters	3	0	0	1	10	0
Stove-fitters	3	0	0	1	5	0
Galvanisers	3	10	0	1	5	0
Wire-workers	3	3	0	1	6	0
Japanners	2	10	0	1	3	0
Engine-drivers and firemen	3	0	0	1	10	0
Bricklayers	3	0	0	2	2	0
Carpenters	3	0	0	1	10	0
Labourers	2	2	0	1	10	0
Carters	2	9	0	1	10	0
Storekeepers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Drillers	1	16	0	0	8	0
Trunk-makers	2	5	0	1	5	0
Canister-makers	3	0	0	1	10	0
Lead-millers...	3	6	0	.....		
Apprentices	1	10	0	0	4	0
Boys...	0	15	0	0	5	0
VI.—Persons engaged in Ship-building, Repairing, &c.						
Ship-building, Docks, &c.—						
Foremen	7	0	0	3	0	0
Shipwrights	3	12	0	2	8	0
Boilermakers and rivetters	3	8	0	2	10	0
Pattern-makers	3	0	0	2	5	0
Bolt-screwers	2	8	0	2	0	0
Ship-joiners	3	0	0	2	8	0
Marine opticians ...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Ships' compasses, sextants, and barometer repairers	3	0	0	2	0	0
Sails and Tarpaulins—						
Sailmakers	3	0	0	1	5	0
Tent and tarpaulin makers	2	7	0	0	15	0
Apprentices and boys ...	0	18	0	0	5	0
Forewomen	1	10	0	1	0	0
Women and girls... ...	0	19	0	0	6	0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
VII.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Furniture, Bedding, &c.		
Foremen	£ 4 10 0	£ 2 10 0
Machinists	2 14 0	1 7 6
,, apprentices	0 15 0	0 10 0
Cabinet-makers	3 0 0	1 10 0
,, apprentices	1 6 0	0 2 6
Polishers	3 0 0	1 10 0
,, apprentices	1 7 6	0 7 6
Chair-makers	2 16 0	1 10 0
Chair-fitters	2 12 0	1 5 0
Frame-makers	2 5 0	1 10 0
Wood-carvers	3 0 0	2 0 0
Wood-turners	2 10 0	1 16 0
Upholsterers	3 0 0	2 0 0
,, apprentices	1 10 0	0 5 0
Carpet hands	3 0 0	1 15 0
Drapery-cutters	4 5 0	2 2 0
Forewomen	1 10 0	1 5 0
Upholsteresses	2 0 0	0 12 6
Girls	0 12 0	0 5 0
Drapery hands Females	2 0 0	0 16 0
Machinists ,,	1 2 6	0 10 0
Seamstresses	1 2 6	0 9 0
Carpet-sewers Females	1 5 0	0 10 0
Girls	0 10 0	0 5 0
Window blind makers and fixers	2 10 0	1 10 0
Boys	0 17 6	0 5 0
Venetian-blind makers	2 10 0	1 10 0
,, painters	2 5 0	1 5 0
Revolving shutter makers	2 14 0	1 10 0
Mattress-makers	2 18 0	1 10 0
Picture frame makers	4 0 0	1 15 0
Mount-cutters	2 18 0	1 15 0
Apprentices	1 5 0	0 6 0
Fitters	1 10 0	1 0 0
Girls	1 0 0	0 5 0
Hair and Flock hands—		
Packers	2 14 0	1 10 0
Machinists	1 16 0	0 15 0
Rag-sorters Females	1 0 0	0 17 0
Cloth-cutters ,,	0 12 0	0 10 0
Billiard-table makers	3 0 0	2 0 0
Apprentices	0 12 0	0 7 6
Ivory turners	3 0 0	2 0 0
Chinese cabinet-makers	2 10 0	0 15 0
,, polishers	1 15 0	0 14 0
,, wood-turners	1 15 0	0 14 0
,, sand-paperers	1 10 0	0 10 0
VIII.—Persons engaged in Printing, Lithographing Establishments, &c.		
Readers	3 0 0	2 0 0
Readers' assistants	2 0 0	0 15 0
Compositors, Jobbing Offices—		
Journeymen	3 10 0	1 5 0
Improvers	2 0 0	0 17 6
Apprentices	1 0 0	0 5 0
Compositors, Newspaper Offices—		
Foremen	7 0 0	3 0 0
Machine compositors	4½d. to 5d. per 1,000 ens.	
Compositors	9d. to 1s. 1d. per 1,000 ens.	
Linotype operators	3d. per 1,000 ens.	
Female type distributors	1¼d. per 1,000 ens. with allowances.	
Machinists' boys	0 15 0	0 6 6
Apprentices	1 5 0	0 10 0
Letterpress Machinists—		
Foremen	6 0 0	2 10 0
Journeymen	4 0 0	1 10 0
Improvers	1 10 0	0 14 0
Apprentices	0 15 0	0 8 0
Stereotypers—		
Foremen	6 0 0	3 10 0
Journeymen	3 0 0	1 15 0
Electrotypers—		
Journeymen	3 15 0	1 15 0
Engravers	4 0 0	2 0 0
Lithographers—		
Journeymen	4 0 0	2 0 0
Improvers	1 10 0	1 0 0
Apprentices	1 0 0	0 6 0
Lithographers—*continued.*		
Stone polishers and cleaners	1 12 6	0 15 0
Artists, illuminators, and photographers	6 10 0	1 15 0
Artists' apprentices	0 17 6	0 7 6
Cutters	2 16 0	2 12 0
Varnishers, transferrors, &c.	3 0 0	2 0 0
Feed and fly boys	1 0 0	0 5 0
Bookbinders—		
Foremen	5 0 0	2 0 0
Rulers	4 0 0	1 0 0
Binders	4 0 0	1 0 0
Finishers	3 10 0	1 0 0
Forewomen	1 10 0	0 17 6
Booksewers Females	1 10 0	0 10 0
Bookfolders ,,	1 5 0	0 5 0
Embossers ,,	1 0 0	0 8 0
Numberers, pagers, wire-stitchers, packers, &c. Females	1 0 0	0 5 0
Apprentices Males	1 0 0	0 7 0
,, Females	0 7 6	0 2 6
Boys, messengers, &c.	0 13 6	0 5 0
Paper Boxes and Bags—		
Foremen	2 15 0	2 10 0
Forewomen	1 10 0	0 17 6
Cutters	2 0 0	0 17 0
Boys	0 14 0	0 7 6
Girls (box and bag makers)	1 10 0	0 5 0
Apprentices	0 4 0	0 2 6
General hands	2 5 0	1 2 6

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
IX.—Persons engaged in the Manufacture of Vehicles, Saddlery, Harness, and Bicycles.						
Coach-building—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	4	0	0	2	10	0
Body makers	3	0	0	1	15	0
Wheelwrights	3	0	0	1	15	0
Blacksmiths	3	0	0	1	10	0
Strikers	1	10	0	0	10	0
Vicemen	2	8	0	1	5	0
Trimmers	3	0	0	1	15	0
Painters	3	0	0	1	0	0
Nave turners	2	5	0	1	16	0
Spoke turners	2	5	0	1	16	0
Improvers...	1	10	0	0	15	0
Apprentices	1	0	0	0	5	0
Saddlery and Harness—						
Foremen	4	0	0	2	10	0
Saddlemakers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Saddlery & Harness—*contd.*	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Harnessmakers	3	0	0	1	15	0
Collarmakers	3	0	0	1	1	0
Strap hands	2	15	0	1	5	0
Machinists	2	0	0	1	15	0
Female hands	1	15	0	0	7	6
Improvers	1	2	6	0	10	0
Apprentices	0	17	6	0	5	0
Making and Repairing Bicycles—						
Foremen	3	0	0	2	10	0
Turners	2	15	0	1	10	0
Fitters	2	10	0	1	10	0
Tyre and wheelmakers ...	2	7	6	1	5	0
Boys	0	10	0	0	6	0
X.—Persons engaged in the Production of Light, Fuel, Heat, &c.						
Electric Light Works—						
Foremen	5	0	0	3	0	0
Engineers	4	10	0	2	10	0
Electricians	3	10	0	2	0	0
Installing workmen ...	2	10	0	2	0	0
Gas Works—						
Foremen	6	0	0	3	10	0
Stokers and firemen ...	2	18	0	2	2	0
Fitters	3	6	0	2	8	0
Gas Works—*continued.*						
Plumbers	2	15	0	2	5	0
Main-layers	2	15	0	1	16	0
Service-layers	2	15	0	1	16	0
Lamplighters	1	12	0	.....		
Fuel—						
Sawyers and yardsmen ...	3	0	0	1	10	0
Carters	2	5	0	1	10	0
Boys	1	0	0	0	5	0
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades.						
Basket and Wicker Ware, Mats and Matting—						
Basket-makers	2	0	0	1	0	0
,, apprentices and boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Mat and matting makers	1	10	0	1	0	0
,, ,, boys	0	12	0	0	7	0
Box and Packing Case Making—						
Foremen	3	0	0	2	10	0
Boxmakers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Sawyers	2	2	0	1	10	0
Machinists	2	8	0	1	10	0
Apprentices	0	10	0	0	7	6
Boys	0	13	0	0	5	0
Broom-making—						
Broom-makers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Assistants and apprentices	1	0	0	0	5	0
Broom-sewers	2	0	0	1	15	3
Sorters	1	8	0	0	5	0
Brush-making—						
Journeymen	3	0	0	1	5	0
Female hands	0	15	0	0	4	0
Boys and apprentices ...	0	11	0	0	9	0
Chemicals, Drugs, Patent Medicines, &c.—						
Foremen	4	0	0	2	6	0
Manufacturers	2	7	6	1	0	0
Chemicals, Drugs, Patent Medicines, &c.—*contd.*	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Chemists	2	10	0	1	0	0
,, improvers ...	1	5	0	0	7	6
Lead burners and platinum men	2	14	0	1	2	0
Acid makers	2	5	0	1	10	0
Bottle washers	1	0	0	0	12	6
Packers	2	5	0	0	14	0
Forewomen	2	10	0	0	15	0
Bottlers and labellers Females	0	15	0	0	4	0
Packers ... ,,	1	0	0	0	6	0
Manufacturing hands ...	0	10	0	0	6	0
Cooperage—						
Coopers	3	0	0	1	15	0
Apprentices	1	2	6	0	8	0
Machinists	2	0	0	0	16	0
Dye Works—						
Dyers	2	10	0	1	7	6
Pressers	2	5	0	1	10	0
,, ... Females	1	4	0	1	1	0
Feather and glove cleaners, &c.	1	4	0	0	2	6

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*						
Explosives—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Mixers	2	5	0	1	5	0
Cartridge fillers	2	0	0	1	0	0
Packers	1	15	0	1	0	0
Labourers...	1	18	0	1	10	0
Florists—						
Florists and shop assistants Females	1	2	6	0	5	0
Glass Works—Bottles, &c.—						
Foremen	4	0	0	3	0	0
Glass-blowers	3	17	0	1	10	0
Packers	1	7	6	0	7	0
Finishers	3	17	0	1	10	0
Apprentices	1	15	0	0	10	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	6	0
Glass Works—Ornamental—						
Cutters and silverers ...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Bevellers	3	0	0	1	10	0
Glaziers	2	10	0	1	10	0
Carters	2	0	0	1	10	0
Stencil cutters (boys and girls)	0	8	0	0	5	0
Boys	1	0	0	0	5	0
Hair-dressing and Hair-working—						
Hairdressers and wig-makers	3	0	0	1	0	0
Hair-frame makers ...	1	10	0	0	5	0
,, ,, Females	1	1	0	0	5	0
Laundries (steam and hand)—						
Wash-house hands Males	2	5	0	0	15	0
Packers ... ... ,,	2	2	0	1	0	0
Boys ... ... ,,	0	10	0	0	7	0
Carters ... ... ,,	2	5	0	0	10	0
Washers ... Females	1	0	0	0	10	0
	(4/- to 2/- per day)					
Sorters and packers ,,	1	10	0	0	8	0
Folders ... ,,	0	15	0	0	6	0
Starchers ... ,,	1	2	0	0	6	0
Machine ironers ,,	1	0	0	0	9	0
Calender hands ,,	0	10	0	0	8	0
*Shirt and collar ironers .. ,,	2	0	0	0	18	0
*Starch ironers ,,	1	6	0	0	13	0
*Plain ironers ,,	0	18	0	0	12	0
Hangers-out	0	13	0	0	10	0
Papermaking—						
Sorters and classers ...	2	0	0	1	0	0
Beatermen	2	10	0	1	5	0
Rag boilers and cuttermen	1	18	0	0	15	0
Machine men	2	10	0	0	12	6
Labourers	1	16	0	0	18	0
Paper sorters Females	0	15	0	0	10	0
Perambulator making—						
Carpenters	2	2	0	1	15	0
Blacksmiths	2	2	0	1	1	0
Perambulator making—*contd.*						
Fitters	2	5	0	1	0	0
Painters	1	0	0	0	10	0
Upholsterers	1	10	0	1	0	0
Boys	0	10	0	0	6	0
Machinists Females	1	0	0	0	10	0
Photography—						
Operators...	4	10	0	2	0	0
Printers	2	10	0	1	0	0
,, Assistants ...	1	0	0	0	7	6
Retouchers	3	5	0	1	10	0
Zinc-etchers	2	15	0	1	10	0
Enlargers...	3	0	0	2	0	0
Framers	2	5	0	0	17	6
Retouchers Females	1	15	0	0	12	6
Printers ... ... ,,	1	5	0	0	5	0
Spotters ... ... ,,	1	12	6	0	5	0
Sorters ... ... ,,	0	7	6	0	5	0
Portmanteaus and Bags—						
Bag-makers	3	0	0	1	10	0
,, Assistants ...	1	10	0	0	16	0
Improvers	1	2	6	0	7	6
Trunk and portmanteau makers	3	0	0	1	10	0
Blacksmiths and japanners	1	15	0	0	15	6
Machinists Females	1	4	0	0	6	0
Rope Works—						
Foremen	4	10	0	4	0	0
Rope-layers	2	8	0	2	2	0
Reelers	2	0	0	1	10	0
Hand-spinners	2	5	0	1	10	0
Machinists	1	10	0	0	18	0
Jenny boys	0	15	0	0	6	0
Rubber Works—						
Journeymen	3	0	0	2	0	0
Boys	1	0	0	0	10	0
Sewing Machines, Pianos, &c.—						
Foremen	4	0	0	3	10	0
Tuners	5	0	0	2	0	0
Polishers	3	12	0	1	0	0
Repairers...	4	0	0	1	2	6
Apprentices and boys ...	1	0	0	0	5	0
Stringers and Spinners ...	1	5	0	0	10	0
Packers and Fitters-up ...	2	8	0	1	10	0
Soap and Candle Works—						
Stearine and Candle Makers	2	10	0	1	4	0
Moulders	1	10	0	0	15	0
Soap-boilers	3	0	0	1	16	0
Assistants	1	10	0	0	5	0
Packers	1	10	0	0	10	0
Boys	0	15	0	0	5	0
Packers ... Females	1	0	0	0	6	0

* Ironers are paid by piece-work, washers by the day ; other branches by weekly wage.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.			Minimum.		
Tobacco and Cigarettes—	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Foremen	5	0	0	2	15	0
Cutting-room Hands ...	2	10	0	1	0	0
General Hands	2	5	0	1	0	0
Box-makers	3	0	0	1	5	0
Stemmers	1	5	0	0	12	0
Twisters	3	5	0	1	2	0
Pressers	2	10	0	0	12	0
Plug-coverers	2	5	0	0	15	0
Finishers	2	15	0	1	10	0
Cigarette Machinists ...	3	10	0	1	15	0
Boys—General Work ...	0	16	0	0	5	0
Forewomen	1	10	0	0	15	0
Stemmers ...(Females)	1	0	0	0	10	0
Coverers... ... ,,	1	13	0	0	15	0
Cutting-room hands ,,	1	0	0	0	10	0
Cigarette-making—						
Machine-hands ... ,,	0	14	0	0	7	0
Cigarette-makers ,,	1	4	0	0	16	0
Mouth-piece makers ,,	0	16	6	0	12	6
Cigarette-making—*contd.*						
Filling and Closing, &c. ... ...Females	0	8	0	0	5	0
Packers ... ... ,,	0	17	0	0	7	0
Umbrella-making—						
Males	2	5	0	0	12	0
Females	1	5	0	0	10	0
Watchmaking and Jewellery, &c.—						
Watchmakers	5	0	0	1	10	0
,, apprentices.	0	10	0	0	5	0
Jewellers	6	0	0	1	10	0
,, apprentices ...	0	10	0		.....	
Instrument-makers... ...	3	0	0	1	2	6
Opticians	2	10	0	1	10	0
Polishers	2	15	0	1	5	0
Gem Cutters	3	0	0	2	0	0
Engravers	5	0	0	2	0	0
Packers	1	7	6	0	17	6
Electroplaters	4	0	0	1	10	0
Burnishers ...(Females)	1	10	0	1	0	0
Boys	0	17	6	0	5	0

Coal-mines—

The rates of pay given here were those ruling in 1898 for work actually done. It does not follow that the miners and other hands were able to secure anything like regular employment at these rates.

	Northern Mines.						Southern Mines.					
	per ton.						per ton.					
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Miners	0	3	2	0	3	0	0	2	0	0	1	10
	per day.						per day.					
Overmen (underground) ...	0	13	0	0	10	0	0	13	0	0	10	0
Deputy Overmen	0	9	6	0	8	6	0	9	0	0	8	6
Shiftmen	0	8	6	0	8	0	0	8	6	0	7	6
Onsetters	0	7	0	0	6	0	0	7	6	0	7	0
Banksmen	0	7	0	0	6	6	0	6	6	0	6	0
Screenmen and boys ...	0	7	0	0	3	0	0	6	6	0	6	0
Mechanics	0	12	0	0	8	6	0	12	6	0	8	6
Engineers	0	12	6	0	9	0	0	12	0	0	8	6
Engine-drivers	0	9	0		.....		0	9	0	0	8	0
Enginemen and Firemen ...	0	7	6	0	6	6	0	8	0	0	6	0
Screen-overmen	0	7	6	0	7	0		.....			.....	
Overmen (overground) ...	0	12	0	0	11	0		.....			.....	
Locomotive-engine drivers..	0	11	0	0	10	0	0	11	0	0	9	0
,, ,, stokers.	0	8	0	0	6	6	0	8	0	0	7	0
Platelayers	0	8	6	0	6	6	0	9	0	0	7	0
Furnacemen	0	8	0	0	7	0	0	7	0	0	6	0
Harness-makers	0	8	0		.....		0	8	0	0	7	6
Pickers	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	6	6		.....	
Wheelers	0	7	0	0	5	0	0	8	0	0	6	6
Water-bailers	0	7	0	0	6	6	0	7	6	0	6	6
Horse-drivers	0	6	6	0	5	0	0	7	6	0	6	0
Stablemen	0	8	0	0	7	6	0	8	0	0	7	0
Labourers	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	6	6	0	6	0
Flatters	0	7	6	0	7	0	0	7	6*	0	6	0
Trappers	0	3	6	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	3	6
Boys	0	5	0	0	2	3	0	5	6	0	3	6

Note.—The Union rules fix 43½ hours as the maximum working hours per week for miners. The actual time worked during 1898 did not average more than 32 hours for miners and 45 hours for mechanical trades.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*

Silver Mines, Broken Hill District—

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Per day.	
Underground—		
Timbermen	0 10 0	.....
Miners	0 9 0	.....
Brace and Platmen ...	0 8 4	.....
Truckers...	0 7 6	.....
Ore-dressing—		
Shift washers	0 9 0	.....
Crusher feeders... ...	0 8 4	.....
Oilers	0 8 4	.....
Chloridising—		
Firemen	0 9 0	.....
Tappers...	0 8 4	.....
Crusher feeders ...	0 8 4	.....
Leaching—		
Precipitators	0 8 4	.....
Pressers	0 8 4	.....
Tramway Traffic—		
Porters	0 8 0	.....
Guards	0 8 0	.....
Gangers	0 9 0	.....

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	Per day.	
Mechanics and Surface Hands—		
Assay Office Assistants...	0 7 6	0 3 6
Boilermakers	0 10 6	0 9 0
Blacksmiths	0 10 6	0 8 4
Boys	0 5 0	0 2 6
Boiler cleaners	0 8 4	.....
Carpenters	0 10 6	0 8 4
Electricians	0 10 6	0 8 4
Engine-drivers, Stationary	0 9 0	0 8 0
,, Winding ..	0 10 0	.....
,, Locomotive	0 10 0	.....
Fitters	0 10 6	0 9 0
Firemen	0 8 4	.....
Fettlers (Foundry) ..	0 9 0	.....
Furnace men (Foundry)	0 9 0	.....
Horse-drivers	0 8 0	.....
Labourers	0 7 6	.....
Machinists	0 10 0	0 8 4
Masons and Bricklayers..	0 10 6	0 9 0
Moulders (Foundry) ..	0 10 0	0 9 0
Saw sharpeners	0 10 0	.....
Sawyers	0 8 4	.....
Stablemen	0 8 4	.....
Turners	0 10 6	.....
Tinsmiths	0 10 0	.....
Pattern Makers (Foundry)	0 10 6	.....

Note.—The whole of the above figures represent the amount paid per shift of eight hours, and overtime is paid for at the same rate.

Shipping—

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	per month.	
First Officers (Steamers) ...	15 0 0	10 0 0
,, (Sailing Vessels)	8 0 0	6 10 0
Second Officers (Steamers)	12 0 0	10 0 0
,, (Sailing Vessels)	6 0 0	5 0 0
Third Officers (Steamers)...	10 0 0	8 0 0
Chief Engineers	25 0 0	20 0 0
Second Engineers	18 0 0	16 0 0
Third Engineers	15 0 0	14 0 0
Fourth Engineers	12 0 0	.....
Firemen	8 0 0	.....
Boatswains...	7 0 0	5 0 0
Seamen (Steamers) ...	6 0 0	.....
Seamen (Sailing Vessels) ...	4 0 0	3 10 0
Trimmers	6 0 0	.....

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	per month.	
Sea Cooks	12 0 0	5 0 0
Chief Stewards	12 0 0	10 0 0
Assistant Stewards ...	5 0 0	3 0 0
	per hour.	
Wharf Labourers and Lumpers...	0 1 0	0 0 11¼
Wharf Labourers and Lumpers (Overtime) ...	0 1 6	0 1 0
	per week.	
Wharf Labourers and Lumpers (constant hands)	2 5 0	2 2 0
	per hour.	
Coal Lumpers	0 1 6	.....
Do (overtime)...	0 3 0	.....

Note.—The rates quoted for steamers are those paid by owners belonging to the Steamship Owners' Association of Australasia. Some owners of small steamers pay lower rates, and on ships trading with the islands and foreign parts the monthly rates paid to seamen range from £4 to £3.

Coaching—

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Carters and Trollymen ...	2 0 0	1 16 0
Drivers (Licensed) ...	1 15 0	1 0 0
Farriers	2 5 0	2 0 0
Grooms	1 10 0	1 0 0
Omnibus Drivers	2 0 0	1 5 0

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Average.
XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*			
Railways and Tramways—			
Salaried Staff—	per annum. £	per annum. £	per annum. £ s. d.
Station-masters	400	150	214 10 4
Officers-in-charge	220	130	150 0 9½
Night Officers	185	120	134 14 9½
Operators	200	60	124 7 8½
Clerks	500	125	195 10 6½
Junior Clerks	120	30	82 13 5½
Wages Staff—	per day. s. d.	per day. s. d.	per day. s. d.
Locomotive Engine-drivers	15 0	11 0	13 8*
,, Firemen	10 0	8 0	9 6*
,, Cleaners	7 0	2 6	5 3¾*
Turners	10 6 to 11 0	10 0	10 6*
Fitters	10 8	10 0	10 6*
Machinists	9 0 to 9 6	8 0	8 7½*
Boilermakers	10 0 to 10 6	9 4	10 0¾*
Boilermakers' Assistants	7 6	6 8	7 2*
Moulders	10 6 to 11 2	10 0	10 4½*
Blacksmiths	12 2	10 0	10 8¾*
Strikers	7 0 to 7 6	6 8	7 3*
Tinsmiths	10 8	9 6	9 11¾*
Pattern-makers	11 0	10 0	10 10¼*
Gasfitters	10 0	9 2	9 7½*
Carriage and Waggon Builders	10 6	10 0	10 0¾*
Carriage and Waggon Examiners	9 0 to 10 0	8 0	9 4½*
Carpenters	11 0	9 0	9 7½*
Painters	10 0	8 0	9 2*
Stationary Engine-drivers	8 0 to 8 8	7 6	8 3¼*
Fuelmen	9 6	6 6	7 1¼*
Oilers	7 6 to 8 0	6 6	6 7¼*
Pumpers	9 0	7 0	8 3½*
Guards	11 0	9 0	9 11¾*
Assistant Guards	8 6	8 0	8 3*
Porters	8 0	6 0	7 0*
Junior Porters	5 0	2 6	3 10¼*
Signalmen	11 6	7 0	8 6*
Shunters	9 0	7 0	7 8½*
Gangers	9 0	8 6	8 11*
Fettlers	7 6	6 6	7 5¼*
Labourers	7 6	6 6	6 9*

* These are the ruling Minimum and Maximum rates. There are, however, a few rates both below and above these; but they are governed by exceptional circumstances.

Occupation.	Maximum. £ s. d.	Minimum. £ s. d.	Occupation.	Maximum. £ s. d.	Minimum. £ s. d.
Attendance and Service—					
Males—			Females—		
Barmen	1 5 0	0 15 0	Barmaids	1 5 0	0 15 0
Butlers	1 0 0	0 15 0	Cooks	1 5 0	0 15 0
Coachmen	1 0 0	0 12 6	General Servants	0 12 6	0 8 0
Cooks	2 10 0	1 0 0	House and Parlour Maids	0 12 0	0 10 0
Dairymen	0 15 0	0 12 6	Laundresses	1 0 0	0 15 0
Gardeners	1 0 0	0 12 6	Nursemaids	0 8 0	0 6 0
Gardeners' Labourers	0 12 0	0 10 0	Waitresses (Board only)	0 14 0	0 13 0
Scullerymen	0 15 0	0 10 0			
Waiters	1 0 0	0 15 0			

Note.—Board and Lodging is provided in addition to the wages quoted.

No. 21.—Rates of Wages paid per week in various Trades and Occupations, 1898—*continued.*

XI.—Persons engaged in Miscellaneous Trades—*continued.*

Shop Assistants—

Occupation.	Maximum.	Minimum.
Males—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Butchers...	2 10 0	1 10 0
Drapers	3 15 0	1 10 0
Do (Juniors) ...	1 5 0	0 15 0
Grocers	3 0 0	1 10 0
Ironmongers	3 10 0	1 10 0
General	2 0 0	1 10 0
Boys	0 10 0	0 7 0
Females—		
Milliners...	3 0 0	0 15 0
Drapers	2 0 0	1 0 0
Do (Juniors) ...	1 1 0	0 12 0
General	1 10 0	0 10 0
Girls	0 5 0	0 2 6

Note.—At the Abattoirs butchers are paid by piecework, and, when in full employment, are able to earn over £7 per week, out of which they have each to pay an assistant. In butchers' shops three meals a day are provided.

In some shops, assistants (male and female), are in addition to the wages here quoted, provided with a midday meal, and when working late, with tea.

Municipal Employés (City)—

Overseers	3 0 0	2 8 0	Inspectors of Timber ...	3 0 0	.....
Timekeepers	2 15 0	.....	House Inspectors	2 8 0	.....
Engineers	4 10 0	3 5 0	*Park Rangers	2 8 0	2 5 6
Firemen	2 10 0	2 2 0	*Watchmen	2 9 0	.....
Masons	2 14 0	.....	Bailiffs	2 10 0	.....
Plumbers	3 0 0	2 8 0	Messengers	2 8 0	.....
Carpenters	3 0 0	2 14 0	Tar-pavers and Asphalters..	2 2 0	.....
Gangers	3 6 0	2 8 0	Street Cleaners	2 2 0	1 10 0
Labourers	2 2 0	.....	Metal Gatherers	1 10 0	.....
Carters	3 3 0	.....			

* Working 7 days per week.

Fire Brigade Employés (City)—per annum.

	£	£		£	£
Foremen	182	172	Firemen	150	112
Assistant Officers	162	.....	Probationers	106	.....

Agricultural and Pastoral pursuits—per week.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Boundary Riders	0 17 6	0 15 0	Farm Labourers	0 15 0	0 12 6
Bush Carpenters	1 5 0	0 17 6	Milkers	0 15 0	0 10 0
Cooks (Station)	1 5 0	0 17 6			
	per 100 sheep.				
Shearers	1 0 0	0 17 6			
	per annum.				
	£	£		£	£
Married Couples (wife, cook)	70	60			
,, (husband, cook)	75	70	Stockmen	50	40
			Vignerons	40	35

Note.—Except in the case of shearers, board and lodging, or rations, are provided in addition to the rates quoted.

PART VII.

POPULATION & VITAL STATISTICS.

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PART VII.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS.

Section 1.—POPULATION.

Census, 1891.—The Census was taken on the night of the 5th April, 1891, under authority of Act 54 Vic., No. 31. For complete information regarding the Census see "Census Report" and Nine Parts, which are as follow:—Part 1, Ages; Part 2, Education; Part 3, Conjugal Condition; Part 4, Religions; Part 5, Birthplaces; Part 6, Sickness and Infirmity Part 7, Habitations; Part 8, Occupations; Part 9, Miscellaneous.

No. 1.—Population at each Official Enumeration, 1821 to 1891.

Date of Enumeration.	Population.			Increase since previous Census.	Annual Increase per cent.
	Males.	Females.	Total.		
1821—(Muster only)	21,541	8,121	29,662	.....	.....
1828—November	27,611	8,987	36,598	6,936	3·05
1833—2nd September	44,644	16,150	60,794	24,196	10·68
1836 „	55,539	21,557	77,096	16,302	8·24
1841—2nd March	87,298	43,558	130,856	53,760	12·47
1846 „	114,769	74,840	189,609	58,753	7·70
„ „ (excluding Port Phillip Districts)	95,537	62,241	157,778	.....	.....
1851—1st March*	109,643	81,356	190,999	33,221	3·90
1856 „	150,488	119,234	269,722	78,723	7·15
„ „ (excluding Moreton Bay District)	139,994	112,646	252,640	.....	.....
1861—7th April	198,488	152,372	350,860	98,220	6·79
1871—2nd „	275,551	228,430	503,981	153,121	3·69
1881—3rd „	411,149	340,319	751,468	247,487	4·08
1891—5th „	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	380,766	4·18

* This being the year of the separation of the Colony of Victoria, the population of the District then known as Port Phillip is not included in the figures here presented.

Separation of Victoria and Queensland.—Victoria was separated from New South Wales on the 1st July, 1851, and Queensland on the 10th December, 1859. For the Census Enumerations immediately preceding these dates, the populations are given both inclusive and exclusive of the territory afterwards constituted as a separate colony.

Census Report.—For particulars of the Muster of 1821, and the eleven Censuses which followed, see the Statistician's Report on the Census of 1891.

No. 2.—Population at the Census, 5th April, 1891.

Population.	Males.	Females.	Total.
General Population (exclusive of Chinese and Aborigines)...	594,448	515,350	1,109,798
Chinese—			
Full-blood	13,133	156	13,289
Half-castes	422	445	867
	13,555	601	14,156
Aborigines—			
Full-blood	2,896	2,201	5,097
Half-castes	1,663	1,520	3,183
	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population on the night of the 5th April, 1891	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 3.—Population in Districts, Census Years 1861–91.

Census Year.		Metropolitan.			Country Districts.	Lord Howe Island.	Shipping.	Total.
		Sydney.	Suburbs.	Total.				
1861	Males	27,657	18,556	46,213	150,433	No Census taken.	1,842	198,488
	Females	29,183	19,760	48,943	103,361		68	152,372
	Total	56,840	38,316	95,156	253,794		1,910	350,860
1871	Males	36,226	30,481	66,707	206,486		2,358	275,551
	Females	38,340	32,539	70,879	157,507		44	228,430
	Total	74,566	63,020	137,586	363,993		2,402	503,981
1881	Males	51,242	61,521	112,763	295,227		3,159	411,149
	Females	48,910	63,266	112,176	228,075		68	340,319
	Total	100,152	124,787	224,939	523,302		3,227	751,468
1891	Males	57,904	135,883	193,787	413,436	30	5,309	612,562
	Females	49,765	139,834	189,599	329,708	25	340	519,672
	Total	107,669	275,717	383,386	743,144	55	5,649	1,132,234

No. 4.—Population in Divisions, Census Years 1881 and 1891.

Division.	1881.			1891.			Increase.			Increase per cent. per annum.	Total Increase per cent.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.		
Eastern Division—											
Metropolitan	112,763	112,176	224,939	193,787	189,599	383,386	81,024	77,423	158,447	5·48	70·44
Outside Metropolitan	235,636	193,066	428,702	313,512	265,689	579,201	77,876	72,623	150,499	3·05	35·11
Central Division	43,892	28,299	72,191	61,777	43,161	104,938	17,885	14,862	32,747	3·81	45·36
Western Division	15,699	6,710	22,409	38,147	20,858	59,005	22,448	14,148	36,596	10·17	163·31
Lord Howe Island	Census not taken.			30	25	55	30	25	55	No Census.	
Shipping	3,159	68	3,227	5,309	340	5,649	2,150	272	2,422	5·76	75·05
Total	411,149	340,319	751,468	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	201,413	179,353	380,766	4·18	50·67

Lord Howe Island.—This island (situated 436 miles N.E. of Sydney) is a dependency of New South Wales.

Aborigines.—The aboriginal population for the Census years cannot be compared, as the number enumerated in 1881 included only those who were civilized or in contact with Europeans.

Chinese.—In 1881 the Chinese numbered—males, 10,141; females, 64; total, 10,205; and in 1891, males, 13,555; females, 601; total, 14,156—which shows an increase of males, 3,414; females, 537; total, 3,951.

No. 5.—Population in Divisions at the Census of 1891.

Classification.	Eastern Division.		Central Division.	Western Division.	Lord Howe Island.	Shipping.	Total.
	Metropolitan.	Outside Metropolitan.					
General Population (exclusive of Chinese and Aborigines)—							
Males	190,238	304,830	58,234	35,936	30	5,180	594,448
Females	189,403	263,479	42,171	19,933	25	339	515,350
	379,641	568,309	100,405	55,869	55	5,519	1,109,798
Chinese (Full-blood)—							
Males	3,424	6,212	2,336	1,032	.....	129	13,133
Females	79	49	21	6	.....	1	156
	3,503	6,261	2,357	1,038	.....	130	13,289
Do (Half-castes)—							
Males	70	245	72	35	.....	.....	422
Females	69	280	65	31	.....	.....	445
	139	525	137	66	.....	.....	867
Aborigines (Full-blood)—							
Males	34	1,350	607	905	.....	.....	2,896
Females	19	1,062	412	708	.....	.....	2,201
	53	2,412	1,019	1,613	.....	.....	5,097
Do (Half-castes)—							
Males	21	875	528	239	.....	.....	1,663
Females	29	819	492	180	.....	.....	1,520
	50	1,694	1,020	419	.....	.....	3,183
Total Population—							
Males	193,787	313,512	61,777	38,147	30	5,309	612,562
Females	189,599	265,689	43,161	20,858	25	340	519,672
Total	383,386	579,201	104,938	59,005	55	5,649	1,132,234

No. 6.—Population of Municipalities at the Census of 1891.

Municipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.	Municipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.
METROPOLITAN.									
City of Sydney...	57,892	49,760	107,652	6·01	Manly	1,471	1,765	3,236	5·56
Alexandria ...	4,023	3,482	7,505	4·88	Marrickville ...	6,535	6,972	13,507	5·22
Ashfield ...	5,356	6,341	11,697	5·37	Newtown ...	8,734	9,136	17,870	4·96
Balmain ...	11,726	11,749	23,475	5·15	North Sydney ...	8,192	8,914	17,106	5·19
Botany ...	1,139	921	2,060	5·08	Paddington ...	8,852	9,540	18,392	5·28
Botany, North...	1,390	1,017	2,407	5·09	Petersham ...	4,832	5,537	10,369	5·18
Burwood ...	2,731	3,496	6,227	5·52	Randwick ...	3,108	3,128	6,236	6·27
Camperdown ...	3,373	3,285	6,658	5·31	Redfern ...	10,952	10,370	21,322	5·41
Canterbury ...	1,322	1,104	2,426	5·02	Rockdale ...	2,477	2,431	4,908	5·18
Concord ...	1,093	1,014	2,107	4·88	Ryde	1,756	1,469	3,225	4·71
Darlington ..	1,750	1,715	3,465	5·15	St. Peter's ...	2,460	2,400	4,860	5·14
Drummoyne ...	709	742	1,451	5·07	Strathfield ...	818	1,002	1,820	5·65
Enfield	1,003	1,047	2,050	5·35	Waterloo ...	4,425	4,276	8,701	5·00
Five Dock ...	606	644	1,250	5·81	Waverley ...	4,112	4,730	8,842	5·30
Glebe	8,294	8,781	17,075	5·29	Willoughby ...	1,914	1,497	3,411	4·80
Hunter's Hill ...	2,005	1,628	3,633	7·93	Woollahra ...	4,527	5,496	10,023	5·42
Hurstville ...	1,595	1,580	3,175	4·91	Homebush (unincorporated).	268	204	472	5·69
Kogarah ...	1,198	1,130	2,328	5·07	Total, Metropolitan.	193,732	189,551	383,283	5·44
Leichhardt ...	8,516	8,551	17,067	5·15					
Macdonaldtown (now Erskineville).	2,578	2,697	5,275	4·85					
COUNTRY.									
Adamstown ...	1,082	948	2,030	4·95	Deniliquin ...	1,142	1,131	2,273	5·09
Albury	2,704	2,743	5,447	5·66	Dubbo	2,445	2,110	4,555	5·80
Armidale ...	1,931	1,895	3,826	6·17	Dundas... ...	808	758	1,566	6·23
Auburn... ...	1,074	952	2,026	4·70	Forbes	1,569	1,442	3,011	5·31
Ballina... ...	599	485	1,084	5·09	Gerringong ...	879	655	1,534	3·69
Balranald ...	315	322	637	4·93	Glen Innes ...	1,280	1,252	2,532	5·48
Bathurst ...	4,591	4,571	9,162	5·72	Gosford ...	355	330	685	4·96
Bega	1,007	1,016	2,023	5·71	Goulburn ...	5,412	5,504	10,916	5·97
Berry	490	418	908	5·60	Grafton ...	2,181	2,264	4,445	5·51
Bingara... ...	382	356	738	5·30	Granville ...	2,215	2,033	4,248	5·20
Blayney ...	646	608	1,254	5·77	Grenfell ...	379	366	745	5·10
Bombala ...	555	546	1,101	5·76	Greta	925	826	1,751	5·00
Bourke	1,859	1,290	3,149	5·59	Gulgong ...	649	634	1,283	4·26
Bowral	1,136	1,122	2,258	5·19	Gundagai ...	494	454	948	5·26
Braidwood ...	685	811	1,496	5·15	Gunnedah ...	716	646	1,362	5·10
Broken Hill ...	11,835	7,954	19,789	4·00	Hamilton ...	2,481	2,363	4,844	5·31
Broughton Vale	228	196	424	5·36	Hay	1,459	1,282	2,741	4·93
Burrowa ...	384	383	767	5·32	Hill End ..	450	364	814	4·40
Camden ...	655	648	1,303	5·81	Hillston ..	417	317	734	4·58
Campbelltown ...	1,252	1,129	2,381	5·03	Illawarra, Central	1,772	1,475	3,247	5·32
Carcoar... ...	284	278	562	5·15	Illawarra, North	1,438	1,077	2,515	4·68
Carrington ...	1,190	947	2,137	5·31	Inverell ...	1,325	1,209	2,534	5·55
Casino	779	707	1,486	5·87	Jerilderie ..	291	250	541	5·35
Cobar	668	521	1,189	4·55	Junee	895	787	1,682	5·42
Condobolin ..	443	299	742	5·98	Katoomba ...	888	704	1,592	4·16
Cooma	855	874	1,729	5·40	Kempsey ...	1,083	1,111	2,194	5·27
Coonamble ...	624	517	1,141	5·53	Kiama (now Jamberoo).	1,230	1,005	2,235	3·82
Cootamundra ...	1,017	1,009	2,026	5·56	Kiama, East (now Kiama).	1,227	1,075	2,302	4·84
Coraki	274	264	538	6·00	Lambton ...	1,793	1,643	3,436	5·22
Cowra	770	776	1,546	5·85	Lambton, New...	857	691	1,548	4·73
Cudal	211	236	447	4·91					
Cudgegong ..	1,362	1,157	2,519	5·45					

Boroughs and Municipal Districts—New Municipalities.—Since the taking of the Census of 1891 the following new Municipalities have been created :—In the Metropolitan District : Annandale, Lane Cove, Marsfield, Mosman, Vaucluse; in the Country : Aberdeen, Bankstown, Cabramatta and Canley Vale, Castlereagh, Dungog, Ermington and Rydalmere, Ingleburn, Mulgoa, Narromine, Peak Hill, Picton, South Grafton, South Shoalhaven (amalgamation of Numba and Central Shoalhaven), Wallendbeen, Warren, West Narrabri.

Boroughs and Municipal Districts—Alteration of Names.—The names of Macdonaldtown, Kiama, and East Kiama have been altered since the Census of 1891 to Erskineville, Jamberoo, and Kiama respectively.

No. 6.—Population of Municipalities at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Municipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.	Municipality.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Average number of Persons per occupied house.
COUNTRY—*continued.*									
Lismore ...	1,648	1,277	2,925	4·59	Richmond ...	621	621	1,242	5·67
Lithgow ...	2,047	1,818	3,865	5·13	Rookwood ...	1,090	994	2,084	5·05
Liverpool ...	2,770	1,693	4,463	5·75	Scone	426	450	876	5·40
Maclean ...	450	457	907	5·03	Shellharbour ...	832	755	1,587	5·75
Maitland, East...	1,436	1,483	2,919	5·35	Shoalhaven, Central*	236	215	451	5·78
Maitland, West..	3,605	3,690	7,295	5·33	Silverton ...	783	614	1,397	3·71
Merewether ...	2,343	1,996	4,339	5·02	Singleton ...	845	948	1,793	5·22
Mittagong ...	785	683	1,468	4·53	Singleton, South.	381	421	802	5·94
Moama	356	360	716	5·50	Smithfield and Fairfield ...	746	646	1,392	4·85
Molong	541	571	1,112	5·44	St. Mary's ...	1,020	803	1,823	5·29
Moree	647	496	1,143	5·98	Stockton ...	1,248	1,169	2,417	5·41
Morpeth ...	548	590	1,138	4·95	Tamworth ...	2,305	2,297	4,602	5·68
Moruya ...	617	619	1,236	5·51	Taree	354	362	716	5·51
Moss Vale ...	614	626	1,240	6·07	Temora... ...	503	412	915	4·33
Mudgee ...	1,162	1,248	2,410	5·35	Tenterfield ...	1,225	1,252	2,477	5·44
Murrumburrah ..	653	573	1,226	5·86	Tumut	658	617	1,275	5·40
Murrurundi ...	636	618	1,254	5·50	Ulladulla ...	830	752	1,582	5·43
Musclebrook ...	651	647	1,298	5·67	Ulmarra ...	851	741	1,592	5·83
Narrabri ..	1,046	931	1,977	5·32	Uralla	414	405	819	5·46
Narrandera ...	1,030	785	1,815	5·45	WaggaWagga ...	2,361	2,235	4,596	5·51
Newcastle ...	6,964	5,950	12,914	5·94	Walcha... ...	446	418	864	6·04
Nowra	847	858	1,705	5·74	Wallsend ...	1,909	1,735	3,644	5·26
Numba* ...	361	327	688	5·92	Waratah ...	1,369	1,349	2,718	5·27
Nyngan... ...	778	577	1,355	4·60	Wellington ...	788	757	1,545	5·36
Orange	1,644	1,593	3,237	6·05	Wentworth ...	393	408	801	4·76
Orange, East ...	890	937	1,827	5·32	Wickham ...	3,431	3,151	6,582	5·35
Parkes	1,357	1,092	2,449	4·48	Wilcannia ...	775	512	1,287	4·29
Parramatta ...	6,594	5,083	11,677	6·90	Windsor ...	956	1,077	2,033	5·42
Penrith... ...	1,938	1,859	3,797	5·54	Wingham ...	256	238	494	5·55
Plattsburg ...	1,739	1,562	3,301	5·18	Wollongong ...	1,513	1,528	3,041	5·62
Port Macquarie..	470	491	961	5·24	Yass	889	881	1,770	5·43
Prospect and Sherwood ...	1,096	979	2,075	4·94	Young	1,367	1,379	2,746	4·92
Queanbeyan ...	604	658	1,262	5·71					
Quirindi ...	565	574	1,139	6·05					
Raymond Terrace	449	450	899	5·28	Total, Country	162,644	146,029	308,673	5·36

* Now included with South Shoalhaven.

SUMMARY.

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Population within Incorporated Areas—			
Metropolitan	193,732	189,551	383,283
Country	162,644	146,029	308,673
Total within Incorporated Areas	356,376	335,580	691,956
Total within Unincorporated Areas... ...	251,627	180,371	431,998
	608,003	515,951	1,123,954
Aborigines—not tabulated	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population, Census, 5th April, 1891 ...	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

Boroughs and Municipal Districts—Municipalities Act.—Under the provisions of Act 31 Vic. No. 12 the Municipalities are divided into two classes, Boroughs and Municipal Districts, although the name of "Municipality" is common to both institutions. A borough shall, upon its first incorporation, contain an area of not more than 9 square miles with a population of not less than 1,000; a municipal district must not exceed 50 square miles, and shall contain a population of at least 500. The boundaries of each class of division must not overlap.

Sydney—The City of Sydney is classed as a Municipality, but is incorporated under a Special Act.

No. 7.—Population in Electorates at the Census of 1891.

Electorates (existing at Census).	Total Persons.	Inclusive of Chinese, but exclusive of Aborigines.						Chinese (included in foregoing).				
		Males.			Females.			Males.		Females.		Total Chinese.
		Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	
Albury	6,846	3,455	1,681	1,774	3,391	1,838	1,553	3	82	1	..	86
Argyle	10,087	5,382	2,839	2,543	4,705	2,707	1,998	4	30	2	..	36
Balmain	35,567	17,763	9,132	8,631	17,804	9,152	8,652	..	8	2	..	10
Balranald	11,514	7,187	2,529	4,658	4,327	2,349	1,978	17	455	10	1	483
Bathurst	9,162	4,591	2,278	2,313	4,571	2,353	2,218	7	96	2	2	107
Bogan, The	21,819	12,818	5,492	7,326	9,001	5,284	3,717	23	375	10	4	412
Boorowa	4,581	2,469	1,230	1,239	2,112	1,280	832	2	15	2	..	19
Bourke	13,719	9,362	2,718	6,644	4,357	2,472	1,885	10	372	9	2	393
Braidwood	6,277	3,344	1,693	1,651	2,933	1,697	1,236	13	127	10	2	152
Camden	22,708	12,127	5,876	6,251	10,581	5,752	4,829	7	57	1	..	65
Canterbury	68,786	33,075	17,218	15,857	35,711	18,105	17,606	26	359	9	1	395
Carcoar	13,873	7,574	3,970	3,604	6,299	3,827	2,472	10	152	13	1	176
Central Cumberland	35,141	19,041	8,733	10,308	16,100	8,375	7,725	14	275	8	..	297
Clarence, The	8,221	4,423	2,295	2,128	3,798	2,260	1,538	..	15	..	..	15
Durham	6,733	3,547	1,991	1,556	3,186	1,892	1,294	3	12	..	1	16
Eden	16,385	9,029	4,588	4,441	7,356	4,309	3,047	8	266	6	..	280
Forbes	13,131	7,985	3,069	4,916	5,146	2,972	2,174	7	352	7	..	366
Glebe, The	22,050	10,773	5,410	5,363	11,277	5,576	5,701	..	6	..	..	6
Glen Innes	8,986	5,220	2,300	2,920	3,766	2,299	1,467	23	624	13	2	662
Gloucester	6,366	3,508	1,878	1,630	2,858	1,674	1,184	..	8	..	..	8
Goulburn	10,916	5,412	2,817	2,595	5,504	3,037	2,467	4	32	9	1	46
Grafton	9,852	5,259	2,755	2,504	4,593	2,673	1,920	3	48	2	..	53
Grenfell	7,218	4,274	1,944	2,330	2,944	1,772	1,172	5	96	2	2	105
Gundagai	8,296	4,533	2,205	2,328	3,763	2,190	1,573	13	131	16	4	164
Gunnedah	7,059	4,075	1,857	2,218	2,984	1,804	1,180	8	58	11	3	80
Gwydir, The	8,284	4,964	2,110	2,854	3,320	2,018	1,302	4	182	..	..	186
Hartley	12,369	6,787	3,236	3,551	5,582	3,127	2,455	2	46	..	..	48
Hastings & Manning, The	13,428	7,239	3,871	3,368	6,189	3,706	2,483	1	4	..	..	5
Hawkesbury, The	10,339	5,411	2,926	2,485	4,928	2,700	2,228	..	41	..	..	41
Hume, The	10,872	6,429	2,699	3,730	4,443	2,505	1,938	6	138	3	1	148
Hunter, The	7,572	3,977	2,079	1,898	3,595	2,047	1,548	..	13	..	..	13
Hunter, The Upper	12,956	7,021	3,565	3,456	5,935	3,385	2,550	3	68	4	1	76
Illawarra	12,735	6,790	3,508	3,282	5,945	3,397	2,548	1	34	1	..	36
Inverell	8,647	4,932	2,408	2,524	3,715	2,261	1,454	45	604	33	11	693
Kiama	8,082	4,396	1,994	2,402	3,686	1,984	1,702	..	8	..	..	8
Macleay, The	11,530	6,339	3,292	3,047	5,191	3,071	2,120	..	12	..	..	12
Macquarie, East	9,136	5,102	2,445	2,657	4,034	2,365	1,669	7	279	1	..	287
Macquarie, West	4,834	2,593	1,339	1,254	2,241	1,262	979	13	85	6	..	104
Maitland, East	5,122	2,632	1,332	1,300	2,490	1,348	1,142	..	12	2	..	14
Maitland, West	7,295	3,605	1,751	1,854	3,690	1,881	1,809	4	93	4	..	101
Molong	7,915	4,312	2,258	2,054	3,603	2,197	1,406	4	48	7	1	60
Monaro	12,395	6,653	3,500	3,153	5,742	3,466	2,276	32	201	37	3	273
Morpeth	4,641	2,354	1,274	1,080	2,287	1,255	1,032	..	10	..	..	10
Mudgee	15,753	8,666	4,118	4,548	7,087	4,143	2,944	22	456	22	8	508
Murray, The	8,228	4,793	1,893	2,900	3,435	1,798	1,637	6	179	7	..	192
Murrumbidgee, The	25,022	14,750	6,031	8,719	10,272	5,866	4,406	49	777	26	2	854

Electorates—Changes in Boundaries by existing Act.—The Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893 provided for the subdivision of New South Wales into 125 Electorates, instead of the 74 existing at the time of the Census, consequently the returns given for each Electorate are not applicable to present circumstances.

No. 7.—Population in Electorates at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Electorates (existing at Census).	Total Persons.	Inclusive of Chinese, but exclusive of Aborigines.						Chinese (included in foregoing).				
		Males.			Females.			Males.		Females.		Total Chinese.
		Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Total.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	Under 21.	21 and over.	
Namoi, The	8,846	5,221	2,367	2,854	3,625	2,140	1,485	9	170	8	2	189
Nepean, The	10,093	5,360	2,749	2,611	4,733	2,531	2,202	6	27	..	..	33
Newcastle	29,612	15,704	7,740	7,964	13,908	7,677	6,231	14	205	17	3	239
New England	19,713	10,803	5,480	5,323	8,910	5,271	3,639	12	161	9	..	182
Newtown	33,268	16,435	8,445	7,990	16,833	8,531	8,302	7	7	..	..	14
Northumberland	27,000	14,603	7,705	6,898	12,397	7,256	5,141	2	78	1	..	81
Orange	11,892	6,353	3,270	3,083	5,539	3,197	2,342	4	97	..	..	101
Paddington	43,001	20,283	9,740	10,543	22,718	10,722	11,996	15	107	..	..	122
Parramatta	11,677	6,594	2,304	4,290	5,083	2,499	2,584	3	141	3	..	147
Patrick's Plains	8,224	4,153	2,292	1,861	4,071	2,333	1,738	3	19	4	..	26
Queanbeyan	6,505	3,451	1,880	1,571	3,054	1,781	1,273	2	28	..	..	30
Redfern	42,487	22,245	10,885	11,360	20,242	10,519	9,723	36	878	16	1	931
Richmond, The	22,321	13,050	5,847	7,203	9,271	5,512	3,759	..	70	..	1	71
Shoalhaven	10,502	5,702	3,002	2,700	4,800	2,753	2,047	1	34	4	2	41
St. Leonards	26,091	12,884	6,106	6,778	13,207	6,535	6,672	26	313	10	4	353
Sturt	26,583	16,658	5,860	10,798	9,925	5,252	4,673	4	104	1	..	109
Sydney, East	30,128	15,492	5,151	10,341	14,636	5,608	9,028	22	218	5	3	248
Sydney, South	42,074	22,146	8,888	13,258	19,928	9,153	10,775	32	989	22	9	1,052
Sydney, West	35,450	20,254	7,457	12,797	15,196	7,134	8,062	58	451	45	22	576
Tamworth	14,495	7,878	4,021	3,857	6,617	3,912	2,705	12	214	11	2	239
Tenterfield	6,978	3,852	1,857	1,995	3,126	1,902	1,224	2	252	1	..	255
Tumut	6,950	3,923	1,823	2,100	3,027	1,762	1,265	8	397	9	1	415
Wellington	6,139	3,391	1,673	1,718	2,748	1,674	1,074	11	117	5	3	136
Wentworth	3,410	2,175	770	1,405	1,235	695	540	12	49	14	2	77
Wilcannia	2,704	1,940	493	1,447	764	402	362	2	72	1	..	75
Wollombi	7,741	4,313	2,379	1,934	3,428	2,037	1,391	..	9	..	..	9
Yass Plains	8,986	4,737	2,492	2,245	4,249	2,448	1,801	..	30	1	..	31
Young	12,932	7,093	3,597	3,496	5,839	3,393	2,446	5	131	6	1	143
Total, in Electorates	1,118,250	602,664	282,400	320,264	515,586	278,060	237,526	717	12,709	491	109	14,026
Lord Howe Island	55	30	14	16	25	15	10	..	....	..	..	....
Shipping	5,649	5,309	630	4,679	340	67	273	18	111	..	1	130
Total	1,123,954	608,003	283,044	324,959	515,951	278,142	237,809	735	12,820	491	110	14,156
Aborigines not tabulated	8,280	4,559	1,630	2,929	3,721	1,524	2,197	..	....	..	..	....
Total Population	1,132,234	612,562	284,674	327,888	519,672	279,666	240,006	735	12,820	491	110	14,156

No. 8.—Population in Counties at the Census of 1891.

Counties.	Area in square miles.	Population (inclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).				Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese (included in foregoing).			Total Aborigines.
		Males.	Females.	Total. Persons.	Total. Persons per square mile.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
Argyle	1,972	9,688	9,251	18,939	9·6	9,680	9,248	18,928	70	12	82	11
Arrawatta ..	2,313	1,006	783	1,789	·8	983	769	1,752	12	..	12	37
Ashburnham ..	2,136	7,623	6,535	14,158	6·6	7,555	6,474	14,029	108	10	118	129
Auckland	1,885	5,333	4,368	9,701	5·2	5,328	4,367	9,695	114	1	115	6
Baradine	2,415	1,021	698	1,719	·7	965	636	1,601	65	5	70	118
Barrona	2,612	134	49	183	·07	133	47	180	1	..	1	3
Bathurst	1,939	15,882	14,261	30,143	15·5	15,854	14,252	30,106	346	10	356	37
Benarba	3,150	699	351	1,050	·3	639	289	928	26	..	26	122
Beresford	1,425	2,246	1,980	4,226	3·0	2,242	1,973	4,215	61	12	73	11
Bland	2,419	2,735	1,836	4,571	1·9	2,735	1,836	4,571	71	..	71	..
Blaxland	4,354	857	427	1,284	·3	785	386	1,171	88	..	88	113
Bligh	1,581	1,860	1,428	3,288	2·1	1,845	1,423	3,268	17	1	18	20
Booroondarra ..	2,066	237	92	329	·2	190	57	247	22	..	22	82
Bourke	2,300	2,132	1,330	3,462	1·5	2,126	1,325	3,451	100	3	103	11
Boyd	1,565	715	336	1,051	·7	630	260	890	52	..	52	161
Brisbane	2,218	3,891	3,415	7,306	3·3	3,859	3,385	7,244	39	3	42	62
Buccleuch ..	1,409	1,360	941	2,301	1·6	1,305	901	2,206	141	..	141	95
Buckland	1,487	2,540	2,051	4,591	3·1	2,513	2,026	4,539	20	4	24	52
Buller	1,458	1,050	592	1,642	1·1	983	541	1,524	145	..	145	118
Burnett	1,820	939	777	1,716	·9	930	772	1,702	7	..	7	14
Cadell	1,043	1,064	935	1,999	1·9	1,000	856	1,856	3	..	3	143
Cairn	2,649	839	585	1,424	·5	798	555	1,353	46	..	46	71
Canbelego	2,185	708	306	1,014	·5	707	306	1,013	2	..	2	1
Camden	2,226	22,308	19,195	41,503	18·6	22,208	19,110	41,318	97	2	99	185
Clarence	1,356	8,348	7,490	15,838	11·7	8,223	7,390	15,613	66	2	68	225
Clarendon	1,158	3,635	2,817	6,452	5·6	3,633	2,815	6,448	93	4	97	4
Clarke	1,520	897	532	1,429	·9	859	508	1,367	41	2	43	62
Clive	1,721	2,137	2,004	4,141	2·4	2,103	1,964	4,067	52	1	53	74
Clyde	2,945	916	481	1,397	·5	847	427	1,274	50	..	50	123
Cook	1,696	8,041	6,832	14,873	8·8	7,991	6,791	14,782	47	..	47	91
Cooper	2,752	2,210	1,343	3,553	1·3	2,165	1,324	3,489	217	3	220	64
Courallie	1,926	1,520	1,046	2,566	1·3	1,480	1,023	2,503	69	..	69	63
Cowley	1,158	411	292	703	·6	402	281	683	1	..	1	20
Cowper	4,691	2,782	1,659	4,441	·9	2,740	1,622	4,362	131	6	137	79
Culgoa	2,337	511	243	754	·3	437	185	622	14	..	14	132
Cumberland ..	1,573	228,296	218,883	447,179	284·3	228,205	218,809	447,014	4,074	160	4,234	165
Cunningham ..	2,395	1,525	756	2,281	·9	1,514	750	2,264	179	..	179	17
Dampier	1,471	2,867	2,339	5,206	3·5	2,785	2,259	5,044	155	5	160	162
Darling	1,553	1,609	1,275	2,884	1·8	1,552	1,221	2,773	6	1	7	111
Delalah	2,156	54	12	66	·03	54	12	66	2	..	2	..
Denham	1,491	185	94	279	·2	183	91	274	3	..	3	5
Denison	1,232	1,187	680	1,867	1·5	1,186	680	1,866	17	..	17	1
Dowling	1,840	551	343	894	·5	541	330	871	57	1	58	23
Drake	1,314	784	621	1,405	1·1	697	548	1,245	6	..	6	160
Dudley	986	3,196	2,779	5,975	6·1	3,082	2,684	5,766	3	..	3	209
Durham	2,095	8,006	7,319	15,325	7·3	7,982	7,294	15,276	36	3	39	49
Evelyn	3,713	442	133	575	·2	407	109	516	24	..	24	59
Ewenmar	2,054	1,238	797	2,035	1·0	1,220	777	1,997	29	..	29	38
Farnell	3,007	400	93	493	·2	392	89	481	3	..	3	12
Finch	4,124	853	395	1,248	·3	742	317	1,059	31	..	31	189
Fitzgerald	2,148	221	36	257	·1	221	35	256	2	..	2	1
Fitzroy	1,540	1,521	1,051	2,572	1·7	1,448	999	2,447	....	..	....	125
Flinders	2,415	526	147	673	·3	525	147	672	58	..	58	1
Forbes	1,413	1,823	1,439	3,262	2·3	1,792	1,416	3,208	3	..	3	54
Franklin	1,397	300	191	491	·4	267	152	419	14	..	14	72
Georgiana	1,922	3,386	2,729	6,115	3·2	3,380	2,722	6,102	98	14	112	13
Gipps	2,448	1,082	519	1,601	·7	1,073	517	1,590	50	1	51	11
Gloucester ..	3,101	7,396	6,236	13,632	4·4	7,320	6,172	13,492	14	..	14	140
Gordon	1,520	1,519	1,043	2,562	1·7	1,466	996	2,462	8	6	14	100
Gough	1,779	7,323	5,729	13,052	7·3	7,293	5,704	12,997	810	24	834	55
Goulburn	1,384	4,917	4,325	9,242	6·7	4,912	4,324	9,236	116	4	120	6
Gowen	1,696	1,202	938	2,140	1·3	1,134	890	2,024	17	..	17	116
Gregory	3,068	838	423	1,261	·4	755	352	1,107	33	1	34	154
Gresham	1,109	391	161	552	·5	385	140	525	2	..	2	27
Gunderbooka ..	2,440	579	271	850	·3	572	263	835	15	1	16	15
Harden	1,721	5,328	4,391	9,719	5·6	5,323	4,388	9,711	70	3	73	8
Hardinge	1,807	2,538	1,705	4,243	2·3	2,519	1,687	4,206	499	37	536	37
Hawes	1,643	190	85	275	·2	173	75	248	1	..	1	27
Hume	1,664	2,992	2,140	5,132	3·1	2,989	2,139	5,128	77	1	78	4
Hunter	2,095	1,071	902	1,973	·9	1,064	899	1,963	5	1	6	10
Inglis	875	3,502	3,210	6,712	7·7	3,485	3,207	6,692	138	6	144	20
Irrara	4,263	420	120	540	·1	375	95	470	12	..	12	70
Jamison	2,317	856	492	1,348	·6	831	474	1,305	9	..	9	43
Kennedy	2,292	1,331	549	1,880	·8	1,306	537	1,843	60	..	60	37

County Boundaries.—Although the Electorates have been amended in accordance with the "Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893," the boundaries of the Counties remain practically unaltered.

No. 8.—Population in Counties at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Counties.	Area in square miles.	Population (inclusive of Chinese and Aborigines).				Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese (included in foregoing).			Total Aborigines.
		Males.	Females.	Total. Persons.	Total. Persons per square mile.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
Kilfera	1,651	99	44	143	·09	97	44	141	....	..	....	2
Killara	2,834	104	31	135	·05	96	29	125	7	..	7	10
King	1,873	4,479	4,010	8,489	4·5	4,443	3,968	8,411	25	2	27	78
Landsborough ..	1,968	141	31	172	·09	136	25	161	3	..	3	11
Leichhardt ..	3,697	1,781	1,118	2,899	·8	1,735	1,087	2,822	114	5	119	77
Lincoln	1,968	4,687	3,680	8,367	4·2	4,644	3,657	8,301	106	8	114	66
Livingstone ..	4,033	394	140	534	·1	348	110	458	6	..	6	76
Macquarie ..	2,555	6,627	5,717	12,344	4·8	6,445	5,528	11,973	5	..	5	371
Manara	4,005	208	39	247	·06	206	39	245	4	..	4	2
Menindee	2,473	226	107	333	·1	219	98	317	12	2	14	16
Mitchell	1,290	1,533	1,049	2,582	2·0	1,533	1,049	2,582	28	..	28	..
Monteagle ..	1,232	4,773	4,195	8,968	7·3	4,762	4,193	8,955	61	10	71	13
Mootwingee ..	3,545	242	24	266	·07	232	21	253	2	..	2	13
Mossgiel	4,194	508	245	753	·2	480	213	693	32	..	32	60
Mouramba ..	2,436	1,118	637	1,755	·7	1,117	634	1,751	73	2	75	4
Murchison ..	1,889	1,664	1,245	2,909	1·5	1,658	1,236	2,894	27	..	27	15
Murray	2,234	4,824	4,417	9,241	4·1	4,810	4,403	9,213	46	1	47	28
Nandewar	1,331	1,763	1,398	3,161	2·4	1,738	1,366	3,104	60	1	61	57
Napier	1,043	551	451	1,002	1·0	547	448	995	10	4	14	7
Narran	3,668	872	432	1,304	·4	687	279	966	31	..	31	338
Narromine ..	1,807	2,369	1,516	3,885	2·1	2,334	1,500	3,834	57	..	57	51
Nicholson	2,206	992	676	1,668	·8	985	676	1,661	61	..	61	7
Northumberland ..	2,411	45,896	40,765	86,661	35·9	45,873	40,745	86,618	448	30	478	43
Oxley	1,327	1,815	1,195	3,010	2·3	1,795	1,185	2,980	76	..	76	30
Parry	1,356	2,065	1,465	3,530	2·6	2,055	1,455	3,510	82	5	87	20
Perry	3,027	175	63	238	·08	172	63	235	6	..	6	3
Phillip	1,688	3,089	2,620	5,709	3·4	3,081	2,609	5,690	108	12	120	19
Poole	2,013	35	7	42	·02	33	7	40	....	..	....	2
Pottinger	2,818	2,771	2,010	4,781	1·7	2,726	1,971	4,697	55	11	66	84
Raleigh	974	2,226	1,686	3,912	4·0	2,074	1,564	3,638	7	..	7	274
Rankin	2,608	213	73	286	·1	198	53	251	2	..	2	35
Richmond	1,101	2,242	1,726	3,968	3·6	2,183	1,692	3,875	12	..	12	93
Robinson	2,452	1,138	646	1,784	·7	1,136	645	1,781	42	4	46	3
Rous	2,313	10,671	7,554	18,225	7·9	10,474	7,362	17,836	52	1	53	389
Roxburgh	1,631	5,390	4,106	9,496	5·8	5,380	4,095	9,475	270	3	273	21
Sandon	1,265	6,982	5,980	12,962	10·2	6,959	5,961	12,920	136	5	141	42
Selwyn	1,906	1,125	868	1,993	1·0	1,125	868	1,993	10	..	10	..
Stapylton	2,448	731	406	1,137	·5	669	352	1,021	61	..	61	116
Sturt	1,512	534	227	761	·5	533	227	760	85	..	85	1
St. Vincent ..	2,551	7,434	6,402	13,836	5·4	7,358	6,343	13,701	169	18	187	135
Taila	2,354	226	141	367	·2	218	138	356	....	..	....	11
Tandora	2,395	142	41	183	·08	142	41	183	2	..	2	..
Tara	3,196	209	134	343	·1	209	134	343	2	..	2	..
Thoulcanna ..	1,623	49	5	54	·03	48	5	53	1	..	1	1
Tongowoko ..	2,362	459	202	661	·3	404	155	559	23	..	23	102
Townsend	3,647	2,211	1,676	3,887	1·1	2,194	1,669	3,863	113	3	116	24
Ularara	2,929	377	84	461	·2	363	77	440	16	..	16	21
Urana	3,122	1,974	1,169	3,143	1·0	1,956	1,165	3,121	86	8	94	22
Vernon	1,680	1,442	1,188	2,630	1·6	1,417	1,170	2,587	5	..	5	43
Wakool	2,970	726	360	1,086	·4	675	316	991	53	..	53	95
Waljeers	2,686	466	259	725	·3	461	244	705	25	..	25	20
Wallace	2,156	1,887	1,555	3,442	1·6	1,882	1,554	3,436	50	12	62	6
Waradgery ..	2,789	2,501	1,806	4,307	1·5	2,498	1,806	4,304	151	9	160	3
Wellesley	1,512	2,535	2,219	4,754	3·1	2,520	2,212	4,732	122	16	138	22
Wellington ..	1,894	8,904	7,581	16,485	8·7	8,870	7,558	16,428	514	22	536	57
Wentworth ..	3,368	776	588	1,364	·4	774	588	1,362	35	14	49	2
Werunda	2,395	99	25	124	·05	97	25	122	2	..	2	2
Westmoreland ..	1,627	2,161	1,813	3,974	2·4	2,155	1,809	3,964	25	..	25	10
White	1,889	712	530	1,242	·7	637	468	1,105	9	..	9	137
Windeyer	3,425	387	151	538	·2	356	128	484	4	..	4	54
Woore	2,505	79	36	115	·05	72	29	101	....	..	....	14
Wynyard	1,705	6,741	5,789	12,530	7·3	6,738	5,788	12,526	506	40	546	4
Yancowinna ..	2,641	14,961	9,502	24,463	9·3	14,945	9,493	24,438	47	1	48	25
Yanda	2,974	416	141	557	·2	396	120	516	4	..	4	41
Yantara	2,990	187	52	239	·08	156	25	181	8	..	8	58
Young	2,637	1,058	582	1,640	·6	1,051	580	1,631	56	1	57	9
Yungnulgra ..	2,908	331	65	396	·1	331	65	396	6	..	6	..
Total of Counties ..		607,223	519,307	1,126,530	..	602,664	515,586	1,118,250	13,426	600	14,026	8,280
Shipping		5,309	340	5,649	..	5,309	340	5,649	129	1	130	..
Lord Howe Island ..		30	25	55	..	30	25	55	....	..	....	..
Total Population ..		612,562	519,672	1,132,234	..	608,003	515,951	1,123,954	13,555	601	14,156	8,280

No. 9.—Birthplaces of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Birthplaces.	1861.			1871.			1881.			1891.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Australasia—												
Australia—												
New South Wales ..	80,106	80,192	160,298	147,877	146,367	294,244	233,515	232,044	465,559	363,495	361,520	725,015
Aborigines (See note)	....	....	....	709	274	983	938	705	1,643	4,559	3,721	8,280
Victoria	912	890	1,802	3,399	2,998	6,397	14,328	10,678	25,006	22,792	17,976	40,768
Queensland	173	152	325	1,088	1,030	2,118	2,781	2,712	5,493	4,987	5,186	10,173
South Australia	261	236	497	885	752	1,637	1,824	1,436	3,260	9,850	7,866	17,716
Western Australia ..	23	13	36	74	71	145	155	123	278	244	220	464
Australia—Colony not named	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,819	1,691	3,510	471	403	874
Tasmania	708	655	1,363	1,156	936	2,092	2,223	1,831	4,054	3,075	2,776	5,851
New Zealand	365	306	671	546	511	1,057	1,535	1,378	2,913	4,883	4,132	9,015
Fiji	....	....	....	....	....	....	115	79	194	158	132	290
Total, Australasia ..	82,548	82,444	164,992	155,734	152,939	308,673	259,233	252,677	511,910	414,514	403,932	818,446
United Kingdom—												
England	53,163	30,989	84,152	55,664	31,670	87,334	68,769	38,805	107,574	92,617	56,615	149,232
Wales	912	466	1,378	1,235	635	1,870	2,018	1,082	3,100	3,232	1,765	4,997
Scotland	11,006	7,216	18,222	12,139	7,902	20,041	15,828	9,251	25,079	23,026	13,795	36,821
Ireland	27,611	27,218	54,829	31,925	31,018	62,943	36,494	32,698	69,192	39,449	35,602	75,051
Other British Possessions ..	2,258	1,211	3,469	1,404	575	1,979	2,559	1,008	3,567	3,436	1,203	4,639
Total, British Empire	177,498	149,544	327,042	258,101	224,739	482,840	384,901	335,521	720,422	576,274	512,912	1,089,186
Foreign Countries—												
German Empire	3,590	1,877	5,467	4,576	2,047	6,623	5,367	2,154	7,521	6,976	2,589	9,565
France, and Possessions ..	517	173	690	724	167	891	1,205	292	1,497	1,718	552	2,270
United States of America ..	906	161	1,067	1,080	260	1,340	1,947	571	2,518	2,509	870	3,379
Chinese Empire	12,986	2	12,988	7,208	12	7,220	10,141	64	10,205	13,048	109	13,157
Other Foreign Countries ..	2,465	277	2,742	2,775	402	3,177	6,038	740	6,778	9,953	1,463	11,416
Total, Foreign Countries	20,464	2,490	22,954	16,363	2,888	19,251	24,698	3,821	28,519	34,204	5,583	39,787
At Sea—												
British names ..	....	....	....	759	665	1,424	947	744	1,691	1,067	863	1,930
Foreign names ..										20	10	30
Unspecified—												
British names ..	526	338	864	328	138	466	603	233	836	913	293	1,206
Foreign names ..										84	11	95
Total Population ..	198,488	152,372	350,860	275,551	228,430	503,981	411,149	340,319	751,468	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

Aborigines.—The Aboriginal population was not included in the Census of 1861, while in 1871 and 1881 the wandering tribes were passed over, and only those who were civilized or in contact with Europeans were enumerated. It is probable that the total numbers for these years were, approximately—in 1861, 15,000; in 1871, 12,000; and in 1881, 10,000.

No. 10.—Birthplaces of the People at the Census of 1891.

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females.	Total.
BRITISH EMPIRE.			
AUSTRALASIA—			
New South Wales	363,495	361,520	725,015
Aborigines	4,559	3,721	8,280
Victoria	22,792	17,976	40,768
Queensland	4,987	5,186	10,173
South Australia (including Northern Territory)	9,850	7,866	17,716
Western Australia	244	220	464
Australia (Colony not defined)	471	403	874
Tasmania	3,075	2,776	5,851
New Zealand	4,883	4,132	9,015
Fiji	158	132	290
UNITED KINGDOM—			
England	92,617	56,615	149,232
Wales	3,232	1,765	4,997
Scotland	23,026	13,795	36,821
Ireland	39,449	35,602	75,051
MEDITERRANEAN—			
Gibraltar	36	22	58
Malta	90	28	118
Cyprus	1	.....	1
ASIA—			
India (including Burmah)	1,309	491	1,800
Ceylon	141	40	181
Straits Settlements	44	6	50
Hongkong	54	10	64
Aden	8	.....	8
British Borneo	1	1	2
British New Guinea	2	1	3
AFRICA—			
Cape Colony	147	103	250
Natal	7	13	20
British South Africa (so described)	85	75	160
Mauritius and Dependencies (Seychelles Is., &c.)	166	97	263
St. Helena	33	11	44
Ascension Island	.....	1	1
AMERICA—			
Dominion of Canada	885	189	1,074
Newfoundland	42	8	50
Bermudas	12	3	15
British Guiana	14	7	21
Honduras	4	.....	4
Falkland Islands	1	2	3
WEST INDIES—			
Jamaica	114	28	142
Grand Cayman	1	.....	1
Barbadoes	39	5	44
Trinidad	.....	2	2
Windward Islands	4	2	6
Leeward Islands	10	1	11
Bahamas	5	.....	5
Tobago	1	1	2
British West Indies (Island not stated)	176	55	231
POLYNESIA—			
Louisiade Islands	1	.....	1
Hervey Islands	3	.....	3
Gilbert Islands	.....	1	1
Total, British Empire	576,274	512,912	1,089,186
FOREIGN COUNTRIES.			
EUROPEAN COUNTRIES (*including Possessions out of Europe*)—			
German Empire (including Heligoland)	6,976	2,589	9,565
France (including Corsica)	1,585	445	2,030
New Caledonia	76	72	148
Reunion Island	34	13	47
Society Islands	14	15	29
Other Possessions	9	7	16
Russia (including Poland and Siberia)	987	189	1,176
Austria, Austro-Hungary	534	54	588
Spain	76	35	111
Philippine Islands	12	5	17
Other Possessions	7	3	10
Portugal	159	14	173
Goa	30	1	31
Other Possessions	44	1	45

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females.	Total.
FOREIGN COUNTRIES—*continued*.			
EUROPEAN COUNTRIES—*continued*—			
Switzerland	494	100	594
Holland	228	27	255
Java	13	7	20
Other Possessions	8	1	9
Belgium	143	38	181
Denmark	1,268	212	1,480
Iceland	5	.....	5
Danish West Indies	3	.....	3
Balkan States—			
Roumania	13	1	14
Bulgaria	1	.....	1
Servia	1	.....	1
Turkey	169	73	242
Turkey in Asia—			
Syria	99	17	116
Armenia	1	1	2
Asia Minor	11	7	18
Greece and Ionian Isles	241	14	255
Sweden and Norway	3,237	160	3,397
Italy (including Sardinia)	1,229	248	1,477
Montenegro	3	.....	3
Europe (Country not stated)	2	2	4
ASIATIC COUNTRIES—			
Chinese Empire (including Tartary)	13,048	109	13,157
Afghanistan	20	.....	20
Siam	2	1	3
Japan	69	11	80
Persia	2	.....	2
Arabia	144	7	151
Asia (Country not stated)	5	3	8
AFRICAN COUNTRIES—			
Egypt	20	9	29
Madagascar	.....	1	1
Abyssinia	3	.....	3
Zanzibar	26	.....	26
Transvaal	.....	1	1
West Coast	2	1	3
Morocco	.....	2	2
Central Africa	.....	1	1
Africa (Country not stated)	87	42	129
AMERICAN COUNTRIES—			
United States	2,509	870	3,379
Mexico	13	3	16
Hayti and Santo Domingo	1	2	3
West Indies (not British)	16	.....	16
Brazil	42	3	45
Chili	41	12	53
Peru	8	3	11
Argentine Republic	8	6	14
Ecuador	1	.....	1
Uruguay	1	3	4
United States of Colombia	1	.....	1
South America (Country not stated)	51	25	76
Central America (Country not stated)	3	.....	3
POLYNESIA—			
Sandwich Islands	16	13	29
New Hebrides	52	18	70
Tonga	27	25	52
Samoa	33	26	59
Solomon Islands	26	.....	26
Other Islands	215	35	250
Total, Foreign Countries	34,204	5,583	39,787
AT SEA—			
British names	1,067	863	1,930
Foreign names	20	10	30
UNSPECIFIED—			
British names	913	293	1,206
Foreign names	84	11	95
SUMMARY—			
British Empire	576,274	512,912	1,089,186
Foreign Countries	34,204	5,583	39,787
At Sea	1,087	873	1,960
Unspecified	997	304	1,301
Total Population	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 11.—Ages of the People, Census Periods 1871-91.

Ages.	Males.			Females.			Total.		
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1871.	1881	1891.	1871	1881.	1891.
Under 5 years	41,650	56,169	84,014	40,334	54,954	81,736	81,984	111,123	165,750
5 years and under 10...	35,835	49,877	72,895	34,692	49,141	71,359	70,527	99,018	144,254
10 „ „ 15...	29,130	45,071	62,230	28,542	43,408	61,186	57,672	88,479	123,416
15 „ „ 20...	21,082	38,169	54,267	21,554	37,565	54,476	42,636	75,734	108,743
20 „ „ 21...	4,124	7,567	11,224	4,290	7,399	10,857	8,414	14,966	22,081
21 „ „ 25...	17,137	32,489	46,739	16,723	27,082	42,584	33,860	59,571	89,323
25 „ „ 30...	23,919	35,050	59,895	19,698	25,488	46,950	43,617	60,538	106,845
30 „ „ 35...	22,761	29,361	52,115	15,228	21,278	36,690	37,989	50,639	88,805
35 „ „ 40...	20,086	27,338	40,380	12,881	19,067	27,303	32,967	46,405	67,683
40 „ „ 45...	16,409	24,242	31,446	9,490	15,293	22,237	25,899	39,535	53,683
45 „ „ 50...	11,098	19,426	27,054	7,064	11,896	18,658	18,162	31,322	45,712
50 „ „ 55...	10,984	15,649	22,753	6,833	8,835	14,853	17,817	24,484	37,606
55 „ „ 60...	7,227	9,086	16,716	4,124	5,923	10,812	11,351	15,009	27,528
60 „ „ 65...	6,056	8,350	12,690	3,246	5,528	7,762	9,302	13,878	20,452
65 „ „ 70...	3,255	5,134	7,030	1,595	3,148	4,905	4,850	8,282	11,935
70 „ „ 75...	2,495	3,461	5,048	1,114	2,057	3,692	3,609	5,518	8,740
75 „ „ 80...	892	1,645	2,842	383	992	1,903	1,275	2,637	4,745
80 „ „ 100...	627	1,260	1,879	332	628	1,267	959	1,888	3,146
100 „ and over ...	13	17	12	5	9	7	18	26	19
Unspecified	771	1,788	1,333	302	628	435	1,073	2,416	1,768
Total Population ...	275,551	411,149	612,562	228,430	340,319	519,672	503,981	751,468	1,132,234

No. 12.—Ages of the People at the Census of 1891.

Ages.	Population (including Chinese and Aborigines).			Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese and Chinese Half-castes.			Ages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
Under 1	17,573	17,226	34,799	17,488	17,141	34,629	22	50	72	Under 1
1	16,438	15,791	32,229	16,380	15,724	32,104	32	35	67	1
2	17,136	16,502	33,638	17,055	16,423	33,478	35	34	69	2
3	16,599	16,408	33,007	16,520	16,321	32,841	42	33	75	3
4	16,284	15,824	32,108	16,197	15,745	31,942	28	32	60	4
5	15,816	15,317	31,133	15,734	15,250	30,984	37	26	63	5
6	15,668	14,847	29,915	14,988	14,759	29,747	28	35	63	6
7	14,647	14,308	28,955	14,564	14,247	28,811	28	22	50	7
8	13,751	13,789	27,540	13,679	13,685	27,364	23	26	49	8
9	13,627	13,113	26,740	13,546	13,036	26,582	21	20	41	9
10	13,695	13,521	27,216	13,591	13,450	27,041	24	23	47	10
11	12,704	12,447	25,151	12,648	12,383	25,031	15	22	37	11
12	12,558	12,344	24,902	12,464	12,267	24,731	17	18	35	12
13	11,435	11,264	22,699	11,371	11,202	22,573	13	21	34	13
14	11,846	11,620	23,466	11,766	11,565	23,331	21	10	31	14
15	11,024	11,135	22,159	10,972	11,062	22,034	16	5	21	15
16	11,063	11,088	22,151	10,990	11,020	22,010	21	19	40	16
17	10,490	10,544	21,034	10,428	10,486	20,914	23	21	44	17
18	10,733	10,884	21,617	10,646	10,817	21,463	59	8	67	18
19	10,962	10,835	21,797	10,895	10,775	21,670	75	15	90	19
20	11,225	10,859	22,084	11,122	10,784	21,906	155	16	171	20
21	11,685	10,798	22,483	11,590	10,724	22,314	132	9	141	21
22	11,902	10,828	22,730	11,792	10,746	22,538	233	12	245	22
23	11,761	10,718	22,479	11,665	10,643	22,308	188	14	202	23
24	11,583	10,306	21,889	11,497	10,236	21,733	336	4	340	24
25	12,123	9,969	22,092	11,989	9,864	21,853	443	12	455	25
26	12,309	9,978	22,287	12,227	9,909	22,136	388	8	396	26
27	11,888	9,197	21,085	11,823	9,141	20,964	300	6	306	27
28	12,838	9,763	22,601	12,768	9,675	22,443	537	4	541	28
29	10,982	8,119	19,101	10,945	8,084	19,029	294	7	301	29
30	13,869	9,872	23,741	13,686	9,697	23,383	794	13	807	30
31	9,368	6,312	15,680	9,329	6,285	15,614	309	2	311	31
32	10,442	7,300	17,742	10,381	7,258	17,639	494	1	495	32
33	9,336	6,728	16,064	9,284	6,689	15,973	282	1	283	33
34	9,312	6,537	15,849	9,253	6,495	15,748	327	1	328	34
35	9,785	6,168	15,953	9,655	6,070	15,725	455	5	460	35
36	8,904	6,039	14,943	8,847	5,994	14,841	399	1	400	36
37	7,129	4,946	12,075	7,096	4,921	12,017	236	...	236	37
38	7,888	5,388	13,276	7,834	5,340	13,174	352	1	353	38
39	6,836	4,806	11,642	6,806	4,785	11,591	179	1	180	39
40	9,678	6,480	16,158	9,471	6,308	15,779	722	1	723	40
41	5,291	3,511	8,802	5,269	3,491	8,760	208	...	208	41
42	6,588	4,417	11,035	6,539	4,414	10,953	389	1	390	42
43	5,264	3,928	9,192	5,231	3,909	9,140	175	1	176	43
44	4,752	3,906	8,658	4,717	3,881	8,598	182	3	185	44
45	6,814	4,364	11,178	6,657	4,289	10,946	397	...	397	45
46	5,585	3,972	9,557	5,543	3,936	9,479	227	...	227	46
47	4,754	3,448	8,202	4,719	3,427	8,146	176	...	176	47
48	5,448	3,847	9,295	5,411	3,810	9,221	310	...	310	48
49	4,563	3,056	7,619	4,535	3,029	7,564	130	...	130	49
50	7,301	4,853	12,154	7,151	4,725	11,876	571	1	572	50
51	3,637	2,212	5,849	3,612	2,197	5,809	182	...	182	51
52	4,432	2,776	7,208	4,402	2,741	7,143	321	...	321	52
53	3,623	2,414	6,037	3,592	2,396	5,988	145	...	145	53
54	3,852	2,624	6,476	3,829	2,603	6,432	215	...	215	54

No. 12.—Ages of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Ages.	Population (including Chinese and Aborigines).			Population (exclusive of Aborigines).			Chinese and Chinese Half-castes.			Ages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
55	3,902	2,504	6,406	3,861	2,462	6,323	215	1	216	55
56	4,022	2,686	6,708	3,983	2,666	6,649	191	...	191	56
57	3,078	2,024	5,102	3,062	2,006	5,068	132	...	132	57
58	3,254	2,109	5,363	3,231	2,091	5,322	149	...	149	58
59	2,528	1,510	4,038	2,507	1,496	4,003	77	...	77	59
60	4,435	2,744	7,179	4,280	2,684	6,964	254	...	254	60
61	2,102	1,148	3,250	2,070	1,148	3,218	86	...	86	61
62	2,359	1,365	3,724	2,345	1,351	3,696	118	...	118	62
63	1,967	1,284	3,251	1,943	1,270	3,213	78	...	78	63
64	1,878	1,238	3,116	1,866	1,224	3,090	86	...	86	64
65	2,017	1,257	3,274	1,983	1,232	3,215	84	...	84	65
66	1,455	1,055	2,510	1,438	1,043	2,481	56	...	56	66
67	1,346	940	2,286	1,322	940	2,262	41	...	41	67
68	1,194	923	2,117	1,177	910	2,087	50	...	50	68
69	1,048	740	1,788	1,025	740	1,765	21	...	21	69
70	1,601	1,198	2,799	1,550	1,164	2,714	46	...	46	70
71	952	637	1,589	952	637	1,589	11	...	11	71
72	1,015	758	1,773	1,015	758	1,773	26	...	26	72
73	790	557	1,347	790	557	1,347	11	...	11	73
74	690	542	1,232	690	542	1,232	9	...	9	74
75	810	557	1,367	807	557	1,364	10	...	10	75
76	703	449	1,152	703	449	1,152	7	...	7	76
77	507	344	851	507	344	851	5	...	5	77
78	467	307	774	466	307	773	8	...	8	78
79	355	246	601	354	246	600	4	...	4	79
80	477	312	789	474	311	785	6	...	6	80
81	274	167	441	274	167	441	2	...	2	81
82	227	159	386	227	159	386	1	...	1	82
83	163	118	281	163	118	281	...	...	...	83
84	153	121	274	153	121	274	...	...	...	84
85	135	89	224	134	89	223	1	...	1	85
86	107	73	180	107	73	180	2	...	2	86
87	77	59	136	77	59	136	...	...	...	87
88	60	40	100	60	40	100	...	...	...	88
89	43	23	66	43	23	66	...	...	...	89
90	59	43	102	59	43	102	3	...	3	90
91	37	14	51	37	14	51	1	...	1	91
92	24	9	33	24	9	33	1	...	1	92
93	8	10	18	8	10	18	...	...	...	93
94	14	3	17	14	3	17	...	...	...	94
95	8	9	17	8	9	17	...	...	...	95
96	3	9	12	3	9	12	...	...	...	96
97	4	4	8	4	4	8	...	...	...	97
98	5	1	6	5	1	6	...	...	...	98
99	1	4	5	1	4	5	...	...	...	99
100	5	2	7	5	2	7	...	...	...	100
101	2	2	4	2	2	4	...	...	...	101
102	1	1	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	102
103	2	2	4	2	2	4	...	...	...	103
104	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	...	...	...	104
107	1	.....	1	1	.....	1	...	...	...	107
Total...	612,562	519,672	1,132,234	608,003	515,951	1,123,954	13,555	601	14,156	Total.

Ages.—The ages of 1,768 persons, concerning whom the Householders' Schedules merely disclosed that 96 were under the age of 21 and 1,672 adults, have been distributed by a process of gradation among the ages under 70.

No. 13.—Religions of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Religions.	1861.		1871.		1881.		1891.	
	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.	Number.	Proportion per cent.
Protestants—								
Church of England	159,958	45·59	229,243	45·49	342,359	45·56	502,980	44·75
Presbyterian	34,692	9·89	49,122	9·75	72,545	9·65	109,390	9·73
Wesleyan Methodist	23,682	6·75	36,275	7·20	57,049	7·59	87,516	7·79
Other Methodists			3,291	0·65	7,303	0·97	22,596	2·01
Congregationalists	5,411	1·54	9,253	1·83	14,328	1·91	24,112	2·14
Baptist			4,151	0·82	7,307	0·97	13,112	1·17
Lutheran			.....	.....	4,836	0·64	7,950	0·71
Unitarian	9,863	2·81	849	0·17	828	0·11	1,329	0·12
Salvation Army			.....	.....	.....	....	10,315	0·92
Other Protestants			7,208	1·43	9,957	1·33	12,046	1·07
Total Protestants	233,606	66·58	339,392	67·34	516,512	68·73	791,346	70·41
Catholics—								
Roman Catholic	99,193	28·27	147,627	29·29	207,606	27·63	286,911	25·53
Greek Church	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	.....	253	0·02
Total Catholics	99,193	28·27	147,627	29·29	207,606	27·63	287,164	25·55
Others—								
Jew, Hebrew	1,759	0·50	2,395	0·48	3,266	0·44	5,484	0·49
Buddhist, Confucian, Mahometan, &c.	12,909	3·68	7,455	1·48	9,345	1·24	10,950	0·97
Other Persuasions	3,393	0·97	1,166	0·23	1,042	0·14	14,982	1·33
Unspecified and ill-defined			5,946	1·18	13,697	1·82	14,028	1·25
Total	350,860	100·00	503,981	100·00	751,468	100·00	*1,132,234	100·00

* Aborigines.—Includes 8,280 Aborigines, who have not been classified.

No. 14.—Religions of the People at the Census of 1891.

Religions.	Males.	Females	Total.
Episcopalians—			
Church of England, Episcopalian, Anglican	269,605	233,370	502,975
Free Church of England	41	35	76
English Catholic	1	1	2
Episcopal Church of Scotland	2	1	3
Protestant Episcopal Church of United States of America	9	10	19
Catholics—			
Roman Catholic	149,371	137,524	286,895
Greek, Russian, Orthodox Church	242	11	253
Catholic, not otherwise defined	13	3	16
Presbyterians—			
Presbyterian Church of New South Wales	57,855	48,609	106,464
Presbyterian Church of Eastern Australia	1,092	1,062	2,154
Free Presbyterian Church	215	99	314
Covenanter	1	....	1
Church of Scotland	216	120	336
United Presbyterian Church	63	58	121
Methodists—			
Wesleyan, Wesleyan Methodist	44,713	42,803	87,516
Primitive Methodist	10,448	9,904	20,352
Bryanite	2	....	2
United Methodist Free Church	516	489	1,005
Methodist New Connexion	14	5	19
Lay Methodist	288	296	584
Protestant Methodist	3	10	13
Independent Methodist	5	4	9
Methodist Episcopal Church of the United States	8	....	8
French Evangelistic Methodist	....	1	1
Free Church of Tonga	....	1	1
Methodist, not otherwise defined	360	242	602
Baptists—			
General Baptist, Baptist Union of New South Wales	6,282	6,039	12,321
Welsh Baptist	9	8	17
Mennonite	2	2	4
Particular, Close Communion Baptist	347	337	684
Seventh-day Baptists, Adventist	43	40	83
Other Baptists	2	1	3
Independents—			
Congregationalist, Independent	12,090	11,999	24,089
Nonconformist	18	5	23
Lutherans—			
German Evangelical	3,377	1,526	4,903
Norwegian Evangelical	1,356	78	1,434
Danish Church	1	....	1
Lutheran, not otherwise defined	1,206	406	1,612
Bible Christian	1,273	1,063	2,336
Other Christian Sects—			
Christian, Disciple of Christ, Church of Christ	1,002	1,040	2,042
Christian Brethren, Plymouth Brethren	477	559	1,036
Christian Israelite, First Day Christian	77	76	153
Moravian, United Brethren	12	4	16
New Church, New Jerusalem Church, Swedenborgian	194	176	370
Catholic Apostolic Church, Irvingite	175	170	345

No. 14.—Religions of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Religions.	Males.	Females	Total.
Other Christian Sects—*continued.*			
Society of Friends, Quaker	159	88	247
Unitarian, Unitarian Christian	885	444	1,329
Welsh Church	38	24	62
Calvinist	25	13	38
Calvinistic Methodist	20	12	32
Reformed Church	2	....	2
Reformed Church of Germany	2	1	3
Swiss Reformed Church	20	3	23
Dutch Reformed Church	1	....	1
Australian Church	15	12	27
Christadelphian	273	275	548
Latter-day Saint	148	159	307
Salvation Army	5,264	5,051	10,315
Evangelical Church	5	8	13
Evangelical Union	5	....	5
Arminian	....	1	1
Independent, unconnected	1	....	1
Lay Church	2	2	4
Free Church	13	10	23
Church of God	27	33	60
Church of The Living God	3	2	5
City Mission	6	19	25
Chinese Mission	14	....	14
Shaker	1	....	1
Ranter	3	1	4
Dissenter	16	5	21
Blue Ribbon Army	....	4	4
Christian Army	9	2	11
Peculiar People	9	15	24
Universalist	13	2	15
Separatist	1	1	2
Zwinglian	1	....	1
Antinomian	1	....	1
Glassite	2	....	2
Christian Pythagorean	1	....	1
Morrisonian	....	1	1
Carmelite	1	....	1
Christian Socialist	23	4	27
Christian Association	2	2	4
French Protestant	2	1	3
Christians, Unsectarian—			
Rational Christian	1	....	1
Christian Saint	....	1	1
Broad Churchman	1	....	1
Evangelist	9	2	11
Christian Spiritualist	1	....	1
Bible Religion	1	....	1
Conditional Immortality	2	....	2
Gospel Temperance	1	....	1
Scripturalist	1	....	1
Believer in God	2	....	2
Member of the Body of Christ	5	7	12
Child of God	1	2	3
Believer in Christ	10	9	19
Believer in the Lord	4	3	7
Believer in the Bible	1	....	1
Faith in Christ	9	2	11
True Believer	2	....	2
"Nurtured in the Admonition of the Lord"	1	3	4
Free Bible Study	1	1	2
Seeker of Truth	1	....	1
"Jesus Only," Ephesians II. 8	3	3	6
Christ's Religion	2	5	7
"Gathered unto Me"	1	....	1
Saved by Grace	1	1	2
Saint	5	3	8
Ecclesiastes VI. Only	....	1	1
Christians Unsectarian	108	85	193
Protestant, not otherwise defined	2,347	1,440	3,787
Non-Christian Sects—			
Jew, Hebrew	3,034	2,442	5,476
Jewish Israelite	3	4	7
Reformed Hebrew	1	....	1
Mahometan	524	4	528
Mormon	14	10	24
Theosophist	15	13	28
Neo-Buddhist	4	4	8
Esoteric Buddhist	4	1	5

Religions.	Males.	Females	Total.
Non-Christian Sects—*continued.*			
Spiritualist	147	140	287
Buddhist	9,287	69	9,356
Confucian	622	10	632
Chinese Church	88	....	88
Joss House	31	....	31
Japanese Church	3	....	3
Hindoo	34	9	43
Brahmin	9	3	12
Pagan	242	..	242
Sun Worshipper	12	....	12
Parsee	2	....	2
Zoroastrian	1	....	1
Deist	87	13	100
Theist	17	1	18
Sceptics—			
Freethinker	4,444	1,020	5,464
Sceptic	5	....	5
Agnostic	294	53	347
Infidel	13	....	13
Atheist	224	69	293
Materialistic Atheist	1	....	1
Pantheist	7	1	8
Socialist	38	15	53
Fatalist	1	....	1
Eclectic	1	....	1
Materialist	8	1	9
Ethical	1	....	1
Indefinite Religions—			
Exclusive Brethren	2	1	3
Open Brethren	1	....	1
"Do Good"	1	....	1
Rationalist	15	....	15
Secularist	111	50	161
National Religion	1	....	1
Experience	1	....	1
Seeker	1	....	1
Bellamyite	1	....	1
Positivist	3	....	3
Iconoclast	2	....	2
Believer in Facts	1	....	1
Radical	1	....	1
Free Option	4	2	6
Moralist	1	....	1
Philosopher	1	....	1
Cosmopolitan	10	....	10
Reformer	1	....	1
Nihilist	1	....	1
Evolutionist	1	....	1
Brotherhood of Man	1	....	1
Non-intrusionist	1	....	1
Natist	1	....	1
Admirer of Nature	1	....	1
Pessimist	1	....	1
Tolerationist	2	2	4
Pantheistic Presbyterian	1	....	1
Neutral	....	2	2
Unprejudiced	3	....	3
Non-sectarian	....	3	3
Humanitarian	14	2	16
Liberal	1	1	2
No Denomination	3,816	1,111	4,927
No Religion	2,477	658	3,135
No Christian	1	....	1
Object to state religion	7,655	3,582	11,237
Not stated or ill-defined	2,090	705	2,795
Total	608,003	515,951	1,123,954
Aborigines—not tabulated	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population	612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 15.—Education of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Census Periods.	Under 10.			10 and under 20.			20 and over.			Total, all Ages.		
	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.	Read and Write.	Read only.	Cannot Read.
1861.												
Males	4,968	6,685	39,121	24,416	5,103	6,044	81,179	10,026	20,946	110,563	21,814	66,111
Females ..	4,858	7,032	36,703	26,257	5,164	3,464	46,865	12,014	10,015	77,980	24,210	50,182
1871.												
Males	12,412	10,916	54,330	38,986	5,685	5,680	114,061	10,764	22,717	165,459	27,365	82,727
Females ..	12,387	10,376	52,360	41,408	4,896	3,852	77,487	13,754	11,910	131,282	29,026	68,122
1881.												
Males	21,749	10,006	74,816	73,504	4,394	5,620	185,578	9,790	25,692	280,831	24,190	106,128
Females ..	22,002	9,649	72,718	74,266	3,358	3,440	129,968	12,175	12,743	226,236	25,182	88,901
1891.												
Males	38,463	10,973	103,715	112,220	1,417	2,134	307,860	9,039	19,182	458,543	21,429	128,031
Females ..	38,687	10,120	103,524	112,825	988	1,214	225,515	10,999	12,079	377,027	22,107	116,817

Aborigines.—The 1861 and 1891 returns are exclusive of Aborigines; the 1871 and 1881 figures, however, include those who were enumerated. See explanatory note, Table No. 9.

No. 16.—Education of the People at the Census of 1891.

Ages.	English Language.				Foreign Language only.				Cannot Read.		Total.		
	Read and write.		Read only.		Read and write.		Read only.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
Under 1	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,488	17,141	17,488	17,141	34,629
1	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	16,380	15,724	16,380	15,724	32,104
2	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	17,055	16,423	17,055	16,423	33,478
3	....	....	24	34	..	..	..	..	16,496	16,287	16,520	16,321	32,841
4	....	....	693	714	..	..	..	..	15,504	15,031	16,197	15,745	31,942
5	1,532	1,525	1,935	1,852	..	..	..	..	12,267	11,873	15,734	15,250	30,984
6	4,802	4,940	3,291	3,077	..	..	..	..	6,895	6,742	14,988	14,759	29,747
7	8,971	9,078	2,802	2,487	1	..	1	..	2,789	2,682	14,564	14,247	28,811
8	11,026	11,218	1,444	1,320	..	2	..	..	1,209	1,145	13,679	13,685	27,364
9	12,131	11,920	783	635	..	4	..	1	632	476	13,546	13,036	26,582
10	12,856	12,846	377	335	..	..	..	..	358	269	13,591	13,450	27,041
11	12,171	12,032	228	189	2	1	..	..	247	161	12,648	12,383	25,031
12	12,098	12,004	167	118	3	1	..	..	196	144	12,464	12,267	24,731
13	11,118	11,033	109	75	4	..	..	..	140	94	11,371	11,202	22,573
14	11,506	11,411	83	66	4	..	..	..	173	88	11,766	11,565	23,331
15	10,706	10,939	80	41	13	2	1	..	172	80	10,972	11,062	22,034
16	10,695	10,885	91	35	25	3	..	..	179	97	10,990	11,020	22,010
17	10,129	10,357	85	42	30	5	..	..	184	82	10,428	10,486	20,914
18	10,271	10,673	83	41	48	7	5	..	239	96	10,646	10,817	21,463
19	10,460	10,620	105	46	81	6	3	..	246	103	10,895	10,775	21,670
20	10,516	10,606	96	54	193	7	2	..	315	117	11,122	10,784	21,906
21 & under 25	43,554	41,357	526	272	998	38	15	..	1,451	682	46,544	42,349	88,893
25 ,, 30	54,902	44,972	751	547	1,782	63	57	5	2,260	1,086	59,752	46,673	106,425
30 ,, 35	46,877	34,352	794	768	1,948	63	71	3	2,243	1,238	51,933	36,424	88,357
35 ,, 40	35,664	24,906	886	909	1,496	65	56	3	2,136	1,227	40,238	27,110	67,348
40 ,, 45	26,797	19,539	894	1,169	1,448	45	74	7	2,014	1,243	31,227	22,603	53,230
45 ,, 50	22,952	15,798	938	1,303	1,033	46	47	3	1,895	1,341	26,865	18,491	45,356
50 ,, 55	18,608	11,758	916	1,484	1,117	31	59	5	1,886	1,384	22,586	14,662	37,248
55 ,, 60	13,864	8,175	779	1,375	595	41	50	5	1,356	1,125	16,644	10,721	27,365
60 ,, 65	10,096	5,697	659	1,050	511	41	29	7	1,209	882	12,504	7,677	20,181
65 ,, 70	5,530	3,418	431	776	201	50	7	4	776	617	6,945	4,865	11,810
70 ,, 75	3,753	2,411	407	644	114	32	9	7	714	564	4,997	3,658	8,655
75 ,, 80	2,014	1,211	287	368	41	23	3	1	492	300	2,837	1,903	4,740
80 ,, 85	877	542	134	163	17	6	..	..	262	165	1,291	876	2,167
85 ,, 90	258	167	46	51	3	1	..	..	114	65	421	284	705
90 ,, 95	82	45	11	13	2	..	..	..	47	21	142	79	221
95 ,, 100	10	8	3	3	1	..	..	..	7	16	21	27	48
100	3	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	5	2	7
101	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	2	2	4
102	....	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	....	1	1	1	2
103	1	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	....	2	2	2	4
104	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	1	....	1
107	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	1	....	1
Total	446,832	376,444	20,940	22,056	11,711	583	489	51	128,031	116,817	608,003	515,951	1,123,954
Aborigines, not tabulated	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	....	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population, Census 1891											612,562	519,672	1,132,234

Ages.—The ages of 1,768 persons, concerning whom the Householders' Schedules merely disclosed that 96 were under the age of 21, and 1,672 adults, have been distributed by a process of gradation among the ages under 70.

Education—Read and Write, and Read only in a Foreign Language.—Under the headings of Read and Write, and Read only, the return includes those who have been educated in a foreign language only. In previous censuses this information was not obtained.

No. 17.—Occupations of the People, Census Periods 1861-91.

Occupations.	1861.		1871.		1881.		1891.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
DIVISIONS.								
Breadwinners	132,408	28,806	171,320	36,373	262,691	54,963	382,385	89,502
Dependents	63,509	122,245	99,820	190,854	145,410	282,510	223,285	425,918
CLASSES.								
Professional	5,003	1,158	6,817	2,075	11,546	4,288	21,089	10,402
Domestic	6,178	13,919	8,721	16,507	12,689	25,000	17,659	38,208
Commercial	15,536	2,043	23,119	2,473	41,441	4,194	81,291	5,338
Industrial	36,181	3,983	49,316	6,126	97,293	10,326	122,650	17,801
Primary producers—								
Agriculture	33,640	5,755	45,733	6,361	60,365	6,520	67,576	7,022
Pastoral pursuits	13,276	1,231	17,169	1,666	17,333	2,385	31,172	5,092
Mining	21,382	.....	18,529	.....	18,393	.....	30,936	1
Other primary producers ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,224	3
Indefinite	1,212	717	1,916	1,165	3,631	2,250	4,788	5,635
Dependents	63,509	122,245	99,820	190,854	145,410	282,510	223,285	425,918
Occupation not stated	2,571	1,321	4,411	1,203	3,048	2,846	2,333	531
Total, exclusive of Aborigines	198,488	152,372	275,551	228,430	411,149	340,319	608,003	515,951
	350,860		503,981		751,468		1,123,954	

No. 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891.

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
CLASSES.			
Professional	21,089	10,402	31,491
Domestic	17,659	38,208	55,867
Commercial	81,291	5,338	86,629
Industrial	122,650	17,801	140,451
Agricultural, pastoral, mineral, and other primary producers ...	134,908	12,118	147,026
Indefinite	4,788	5,635	10,423
Dependents	223,285	425,918	649,203
Occupation not stated	2,333	531	2,864
ORDERS.			
Ministering to—			
Government, defence, law, &c.	7,263	99	7,362
Religion, charity, health, education, &c....	13,826	10,303	24,129
Board, lodging, and attendance	17,659	38,208	55,867
Dealing in—			
Finance and real property...	7,267	652	7,919
Art and mechanic productions	3,304	247	3,551
Textile fabrics, dress, and fibrous materials	4,965	857	5,822
Food, drinks, and stimulants	12,736	1,066	13,802
Animals, animal and vegetable matters	2,692	59	2,751
Fuel and light	1,339	10	1,349
Minerals and metals	1,503	26	1,529
General and undefined dealers, and speculators on chance events...	16,819	1,920	18,739
Engaged in—			
Storage	313	1	314
Railway, road, and marine traffic, post and telegraph service, &c.	30,353	500	30,853
Working in—			
Art and mechanic productions	18,496	621	19,117
Textile fabrics, dress and fibrous materials	7,709	16,892	24,601
Food, drinks, and stimulants	7,683	240	7,923
Animal and vegetable substances...	9,181	12	9,193
Minerals and metals	13,717	8	13,725
Construction of buildings, railways, roads, bridges, and earthworks	38,507	4	38,511
Imperfectly defined industrial pursuits	27,357	24	27,381
Engaged in cultivation of land, rearing of animals, &c.	134,908	12,118	147,026
Of independent means, and indefinite..	4,788	5,635	10,423
Dependent relatives and others, including scholars...	214,692	421,960	636,652
Dependents on charity and public support	8,593	3,958	12,551
Occupation not stated	2,333	531	2,864

No. 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
SUB-ORDERS.			
Ministering to—			
General government	1,192	8	1,200
Local government	270	7	277
Defence	1,237	.....	1,237
Law and order	4,564	84	4,648
Religion	1,374	164	1,538
Charity, exclusive of hospitals	64	289	353
Health	2,579	2,574	5,153
Literature	694	36	730
Science	230	.....	230
Civil engineering, architecture, and surveying	2,876	.....	2,876
Education	3,035	5,727	8,762
Fine arts	751	235	986
Music	629	1,088	1,717
Amusements	1,594	190	1,784
Engaged in—			
Board and lodging	7,777	10,132	17,909
Attendance	9,882	28,076	37,958
Banking and finance	3,225	48	3,273
Insurance and valuation	1,926	14	1,940
Land and household property	2,069	590	2,659
Property rights not elsewhere classed	47	.....	47
Books, publications, and advertising	877	77	954
Dealing in—			
Musical instruments	68	6	74
Prints, pictures, and art materials	24	2	26
Ornaments, minor art products, and small wares	227	79	306
Requisites for sports and games	.....	.....	.....
Designs, medals, type, and dies	2	.....	2
Watches, clocks, and scientific instruments	384	7	391
Surgical instruments and appliances	2	.....	2
Arms and explosives	3	.....	3
Machines, tools, and implements	186	9	195
Carriages and vehicles	11	.....	11
Harness, saddlery, and leatherware	35	.....	35
Ships, boats, and ship-chandlery	59	.....	59
Building materials and house fittings (not elsewhere classed)	703	1	704
Furniture	301	23	324
Chemicals and by-products	73	.....	73
Paper, paper-makers' materials	349	43	392
Textile fabrics	4,343	744	5,087
Dress	607	113	720
Fibrous materials	15	.....	15
Animal food	6,289	110	6,399
Vegetable food	2,174	474	2,648
Groceries, drinks, narcotics, and stimulants	4,273	482	4,755
Living animals	1,232	3	1,235
Manures, and animal waste products	.....	.....	.....
Hides, skins, and raw materials	60	1	61
Wool and other animal matters	390	.....	390
Seeds, plants, flowers, vegetable products for fodder and gardening purposes	990	55	1,045
Other vegetable matters not included elsewhere	20	.....	20
Coal and other substances mainly used for fuel and light	1,339	10	1,349
Stone, clay, earthenware, glassware, and minerals not otherwise classed	159	16	175
Gold, silver, and precious stones	5	.....	5
Metals other than gold and silver	1,339	10	1,349
General and undefined dealers	9,412	1,323	10,735
Speculators on chance events	234	9	243
Other mercantile persons, undefined	7,173	588	7,761

No. 18.—Occupations of the People at the Census of 1891—*continued.*

Occupations.	Males.	Females.	Total.
SUB-ORDERS—*continued.*			
Engaged in—			
Storage	313	1	314
Railway and tramway traffic	7,778	143	7,921
Road traffic	7,672	24	7,696
Sea and river traffic	10,498	57	10,555
Postal service	1,875	253	2,128
Telegraph and telephone service	1,598	22	1,620
Delivery of documents, parcels, and messages	932	1	933
Working in—			
Books and publications	4,045	314	4,359
Musical instruments	145	.....	145
Prints, pictures, and art materials	277	13	290
Ornaments, minor art products, and small wares	317	114	431
Requisites for sports and games	13	.....	13
Designs, medals, type, and dies	150	.....	150
Watches, clocks, and scientific instruments	712	4	716
Surgical instruments and appliances	16	1	17
Arms, ammunition, and explosives	80	.....	80
Engines, machines, tools, and implements	3,716	.....	3,716
Carriages and vehicles	2,912	1	2,913
Harness, saddlery, leather, and leatherware	2,861	10	2,871
Ships, boats, and their equipment	1,181	.....	1,181
Furniture	1,979	120	2,099
Chemicals and by-products	92	44	136
Textile fabrics	143	74	217
Dress	7,361	16,803	24,164
Fibrous materials	205	15	220
Animal food	492	5	497
Vegetable food	5,003	157	5,160
Groceries, drinks, narcotics, and stimulants	2,188	78	2,266
Animal matters (not otherwise classed)	1,082	3	1,085
Wood (not otherwise classed)	8,038	5	8,043
Vegetable produce for fodder	36	.....	36
Paper manufacture	25	4	29
The conversion of coal and other substances to purposes of heat, light, &c.	1,634	.....	1,634
Manufactures and processes relating to stone, earthenware, clay, glass, &c.	2,955	4	2,959
Precious metals and precious stones	202	1	203
Other metals	8,926	3	8,929
Houses and buildings	24,378	1	24,379
Roads, railways, earthworks, &c., or undefined	13,333	1	13,334
Disposal of dead matter or refuse	796	2	798
Imperfectly defined industrial pursuits	27,357	24	27,381
Engaged in—			
Agricultural pursuits	67,576	7,022	74,598
Pastoral pursuits, including dairy farming	31,172	5,092	36,264
Fisheries, the capture, preservation, or destruction of wild animals, &c.	1,666	2	1,668
Forestry, or the acquisition of raw products yielded by natural vegetation	1,653	.....	1,653
Conservation of water, and water supply	1,905	1	1,906
Mines, quarries, or the acquisition of mineral products	30,936	1	30,937
Persons of independent means, having no specific occupation, or undefined	4,606	5,617	10,223
Others undefined, both as regards means and particular occupation	182	18	200
Dependents—			
Performing domestic duties	98	210,701	210,799
Scholars and students	118,454	117,136	235,590
Relatives not stated to be performing domestic duties	96,140	94,123	190,263
Supported by the State and voluntary contributions	6,059	3,450	9,509
Criminal class	2,534	508	3,042
Occupation not stated	2,333	531	2,864

No. 19.—Conjugal Condition of the People, Census Periods 1861–91.

Conjugal Condition.	1861.			1871.			1881.			1891.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Never married	137,638	93,079	230,717	192,776	143,671	336,447	290,440	216,158	506,598	424,286	324,378	748,664
Married	56,038	53,550	109,588	76,026	74,960	150,986	110,725	108,063	218,788	166,634	165,648	332,282
Widowed	4,812	5,743	10,555	6,749	9,799	16,548	9,984	16,098	26,082	16,905	25,799	42,704
Divorced	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	178	126	304
Total Population (exclusive of Aborigines)	198,488	152,372	350,860	275,551	228,430	503,981	411,149	340,319	751,468	608,003	515,951	1,123,954

Aborigines.—The Aborigines are not included for the years 1861 and 1891; but for 1871 and 1881, while the wandering Aborigines were passed over, those who were civilized or in communication with Europeans were enumerated, so that the totals for 1871 and 1881 include 983 and 1,643 Aborigines respectively. In the above table also those unspecified as to conjugal condition have been distributed by proportion amongst the other numbers.

No. 20.—Conjugal Condition, according to Age, of the People at the Census of 1891.

Ages.	Never married.		Married.		Widowed.		Divorced.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Persons.
Under 16	228,963	224,243	....	17	....	....	....	....	228,963	224,260	453,223
16	10,988	10,910	2	110	....	....	....	....	10,990	11,020	22,010
17	10,419	10,160	9	325	....	1	....	....	10,428	10,486	20,914
18	10,623	9,936	21	880	2	1	....	....	10,646	10,817	21,463
19	10,804	9,225	90	1,543	1	6	....	1	10,895	10,775	21,670
20	10,847	8,407	271	2,358	4	17	....	2	11,122	10,784	21,906
21 and under 25	39,932	24,403	6,519	17,685	86	255	7	6	46,544	42,349	88,893
25 ,, 30	35,894	13,719	23,324	32,041	514	881	20	32	59,752	46,673	106,425
30 ,, 35	21,160	5,541	29,818	29,505	929	1,352	26	26	51,933	36,424	88,357
35 ,, 40	12,598	2,883	26,396	22,584	1,201	1,618	43	25	40,238	27,110	67,348
40 ,, 45	8,983	1,834	20,673	18,018	1,547	2,135	24	16	31,227	22,003	53,230
45 ,, 50	6,610	1,188	18,504	14,549	1,730	2,744	21	10	26,865	18,491	45,356
50 ,, 55	6,048	790	14,506	10,530	2,020	3,337	12	5	22,586	14,662	37,248
55 ,, 60	3,908	439	10,761	7,061	1,965	3,219	10	2	16,644	10,721	27,365
60 ,, 65	3,112	323	7,354	4,289	2,029	3,065	9	....	12,504	7,677	20,181
65 ,, 70	1,489	158	3,936	2,183	1,516	2,524	4	....	6,945	4,865	11,810
70 ,, 75	1,063	127	2,501	1,263	1,431	2,267	2	1	4,997	3,658	8,655
75 ,, 80	499	51	1,291	508	1,047	1,344	....	....	2,837	1,903	4,740
80 ,, 85	228	29	498	151	565	696	....	....	1,291	876	2,167
85 and over	118	12	160	48	318	337	....	....	596	397	993
Total	424,286	324,378	166,634	165,648	16,905	25,799	178	126	608,003	515,951	1,123,954
Aborigines not tabulated	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	4,559	3,721	8,280
Total Population, inclusive of Aborigines—Census, 1891									612,562	519,672	1,132,234

No. 21.—Sickness and Infirmity at the Census of 1891.

Nature of Infirmity.		Under 1 year.	1 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 20.	20 and under 30.	30 and under 40.	40 and under 50.	50 and under 60.	60 and over.	Age not stated	Total, all Ages.
Sick	Males	67	190	440	222	768	750	732	876	1,682	5	5,732
	Females	48	195	435	272	872	719	562	519	760	3	4,385
Accident	Males	....	14	90	128	248	254	202	163	146	3	1,248
	Females	....	7	33	17	28	21	25	26	54	..	211
Deaf and Dumb	Males	....	9	74	41	39	24	13	7	3	..	210
	Females	....	4	54	32	28	24	17	7	7	..	173
Deaf only	Males	....	2	31	24	63	105	123	133	298	1	780
	Females	....	5	38	22	55	72	101	96	179	..	568
Dumb only	Males	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	3
	Females	....	....	2	1	2	1	....	....	....	..	6
Blind	Males	1	1	21	15	33	37	49	65	194	..	416
	Females	1	3	26	13	25	23	33	40	161	..	325
Insane	Males	....	....	25	32	234	447	442	407	332	7	1,926
	Females	....	....	21	35	155	233	316	231	202	10	1,203
Idiotic	Males	....	....	38	15	47	23	12	14	13	2	164
	Females	....	....	29	22	25	7	11	7	20	1	122
Epileptic	Males	....	5	36	22	56	45	15	16	13	1	209
	Females	....	2	32	24	31	19	9	7	6	..	130
Paralytic	Males	....	7	56	27	40	41	61	100	198	..	530
	Females	....	7	49	18	22	35	25	42	123	..	321
Leprous (see note)	Males	....	....	1	2	5	6	1	....	....	..	15
	Females	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	..	....
Crippled	Males	2	30	197	99	154	123	123	145	308	1	1,182
	Females	....	17	142	71	70	49	43	49	152	..	593
Lost a Limb	Males	....	1	36	33	112	112	94	90	88	..	566
	Females	....	....	10	7	8	11	13	11	9	..	69
Lost Sight of an Eye	Males	....	10	70	47	112	183	152	173	198	..	945
	Females	....	4	30	27	29	32	26	30	40	1	219
Total (exclusive of Aborigines)	Males	70	269	1,118	707	1,911	2,150	2,019	2,189	3,473	20	13,926
	Females	49	244	901	561	1,350	1,246	1,181	1,065	1,713	15	8,325
Total		119	513	2,019	1,268	3,261	3,396	3,200	3,254	5,186	35	22,251

Lepers.—The 15 lepers, 10 of whom were Chinese, were all inmates of the Government Leper Lazaret.

No. 22.—Habitations at the Census of 1891.

See also "Census of 1891, Part 7, Habitations."

Houses.

Houses, &c.	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		New South Wales.	
	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.
Inhabited houses	124,182	85·21	72,668	75·50	196,850	81·34
„ stores, offices, &c.	296	0·20	.....	.....	296	0·12
„ tents	4,368	3·00	14,426	14·99	18,794	7·77
„ public institutions	221	0·15	41	0·04	262	0·11
Vacant houses	9,080	6·23	7,086	7·36	16,166	6·68
Houses being built	876	0·60	379	0·39	1,255	0·52
Stores, offices, &c., used as places of business only—not residences	6,711	4·61	1,657	1·72	8,368	3·46
Total	145,734	100·00	96,257	100·00	241,991	100·00

Materials of which Built.

Materials of which Built.	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.		New South Wales.	
	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.	Number.	Per-centage.
Stone	6,819	4·68	1,801	1·87	8,620	3·56
Brick	76,166	52·26	4,756	4·95	80,922	33·44
Concrete, adobe, pisé	236	0·16	678	0·70	914	0·38
Iron	1,899	1·30	1,556	1·62	3,455	1·43
Wood, slabs	54,644	37·50	67,432	70·05	122,076	50·44
Lath and plaster, wattle and dab, mud, bark	514	0·35	4,318	4·49	4,832	2·00
Canvas, calico	4,368	3·00	14,426	14·98	18,794	7·77
Unspecified	1,088	0·75	1,290	1·34	2,378	0·98
Total	145,734	100·00	96,257	100·00	241,991	100·00

Rooms and average number of Persons to a Dwelling.

Dwellings of—	Within Boroughs and Municipal Districts.			Outside Boroughs and Municipal Districts.			New South Wales.		
	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.	Habitations.	Persons.	Persons to a Dwelling.
One room (principally tents)	6,110	9,898	1·62	18,766	31,070	1·66	24,876	40,968	1·65
Two rooms	5,982	18,348	3·07	10,155	32,793	3·23	16,137	51,141	3·17
Three and four rooms	42,576	188,607	4·43	23,344	117,081	5·01	65,920	305,688	4·64
Five and six rooms	45,613	248,751	5·45	18,729	115,412	6·16	64,342	364,163	5·66
Seven to ten rooms	21,099	139,462	6·61	11,176	82,284	7·36	32,275	221,746	6·87
Eleven to fifteen rooms	4,554	38,646	8·49	2,817	26,034	9·24	7,371	64,680	8·77
Sixteen to twenty rooms	1,169	13,880	11·87	743	8,759	11·79	1,912	22,639	11·84
Over twenty rooms	830	16,558	19·95	330	5,070	15·36	1,160	21,628	18·64
Rooms not stated	913	4,578	5·01	1,034	4,756	4·60	1,947	9,334	4·80
Migratory population and others camping out, not including those in tents	.....	1,018	...	.....	2,124	...	.....	3,142	...
Public Institutions	221	12,210	55·25	41	966	23·56	262	13,176	50·29
Shipping	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	5,649	...
Total Population (exclusive of Aborigines)	129,067	691,956	5·36	87,135	426,349	4·89	216,202	1,123,954	5·2

No. 23.—Estimated Population of New South Wales, on 31st December, 1898.

	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Births during the year 1898	18,723	17,499	36,222			
Deaths during the year 1898	9,636	7,025	16,661			
Excess of Births over Deaths... ...	...	...	...	9,087	10,474	19,561
Arrivals by sea	49,186	26,340	75,526			
Departures by sea*	44,841	25,340	70,181			
Excess of Arrivals by sea	...	...	...	4,345	1,000	5,345
Arrivals overland from Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland	40,309	23,273	63,582			
Departures overland to Victoria, South Australia, and Queensland	41,766	23,942	65,708			
Excess of Departures overland				(-)1,457	(-)669	(-)2,126
Total increase during the year 1898				11,975	10,805	22,780
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1897				709,360	614,100	1,323,460
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1898				721,335	624,905	1,346,240

*Allowance has been made for those unrecorded. (-) Denotes decrease.

No. 24.—Population of Metropolitan and Country Districts, 31st December, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.	New South Wales.		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	114,960	245,710	360,670	721,150	589,010	492,810	1,081,820
1890	111,980	268,060	380,040	741,820	609,650	512,210	1,121,860
1891	108,490	279,150	387,640	777,660	630,870	534,430	1,165,300
1892	105,710	285,810	391,520	806,130	646,540	551,110	1,197,650
1893	102,910	291,570	394,480	828,890	658,990	564,380	1,223,370
1894	101,370	296,160	397,530	853,920	672,950	578,500	1,251,450
1895	99,940	303,530	403,470	874,400	685,160	592,710	1,277,870
1896	98,750	312,040	410,790	886,850	695,150	602,490	1,297,640
1897	97,500	319,750	417,250	906,210	709,360	614,100	1,323,460
1898	98,250	328,700	426,950	919,290	721,335	624,905	1,346,240

Population of New South Wales (estimated), 30th June, 1899—Males, 725,900; Females, 631,150; Total, 1,357,050.

No. 25.—Mean Population of Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.	New South Wales.		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Total.		Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	116,490	234,985	351,475	714,975	581,100	485,350	1,066,450
1890	113,470	256,885	370,355	731,485	599,330	502,510	1,101,840
1891	110,235	273,605	383,840	759,740	620,260	523,320	1,143,580
1892	107,100	282,480	389,580	791,895	638,705	542,770	1,181,475
1893	104,310	288,690	393,000	817,510	652,765	557,745	1,210,510
1894	102,140	293,865	396,005	841,405	665,970	571,440	1,237,410
1895	100,655	299,845	400,500	864,160	679,055	585,605	1,264,660
1896	99,345	307,785	407,130	880,625	690,155	597,600	1,287,755
1897	98,125	315,895	414,020	896,530	702,255	608,295	1,310,550
1898	97,875	324,225	422,100	912,750	715,348	619,502	1,334,850

No. 26.—Excess of Births over Deaths in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	3,457	3,549	7,006	7,204	8,289	15,493	10,661	11,838	22,499
1890	3,847	4,091	7,938	7,758	9,046	16,804	11,605	13,137	24,742
1891	3,685	3,903	7,588	7,143	8,441	15,584	10,828	12,344	23,172
1892	4,161	4,397	8,558	7,827	9,246	17,073	11,988	13,643	25,631
1893	3,759	3,713	7,472	7,774	9,074	16,848	11,533	12,787	24,320
1894	3,739	3,564	7,303	7,540	8,938	16,478	11,279	12,502	23,781
1895	3,538	3,738	7,276	7,669	8,916	16,585	11,207	12,654	23,861
1896	3,288	3,425	6,713	6,147	7,807	13,954	9,435	11,232	20,667
1897	3,353	3,436	6,789	7,322	8,872	16,194	10,675	12,308	22,983
1898	2,670	2,880	5,550	6,417	7,594	14,011	9,087	10,474	19,561

No. 27.—Excess of Immigration over Emigration, 1889–98.

Year.	Arrivals.		Departures.		Excess.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	85,328	36,809	83,114	34,786	2,214	2,023	4,237
1890	95,480	41,231	86,445	34,968	9,035	6,263	15,298
1891	87,845	51,509	77,453	41,433	10,392	9,876	20,268
1892	78,661	45,586	74,979	42,549	3,682	3,037	6,719
1893	72,427	39,657	71,510	39,174	917	483	1,400
1894	75,979	42,418	73,298	40,800	2,681	1,618	4,299
1895	82,640	46,206	82,080	44,578	560	1,628	2,188
1896	78,219	43,274	77,664	44,726	555	(—) 1,452	(—) 897
1897	86,014	45,865	82,479	46,563	3,535	(—) 698	2,837
1898	89,495	49,613	86,607	49,282	2,888	331	3,219

Excess of Immigration.—It is believed that not a few persons leave New South Wales without their departure being recorded; the figures given, therefore, are somewhat in excess of the truth.

Chinese Immigration.—Under Act. 52 Vic., No. 4, passed in the year 1888, no Chinese, unless exempted by the Act, are allowed to enter New South Wales either by sea or land without the payment of a tax of £100 each. The exemptions are—Chinese who are British subjects by birth, who have been naturalised in New South Wales, or those who arrive on a special mission under the authority of the British or Chinese Governments, and members of crews of vessels who land in the performance of their duties. Naturalisation of Chinese in New South Wales is now prohibited by the Act. Chinese naturalised in other Colonies are not entitled to the right of British citizenship in New South Wales.

(—) Denotes excess of Emigration.

No. 28.—Arrivals and Departures Overland, 1889–98.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	44,124	17,231	61,355	44,507	17,215	61,722
1890	50,183	19,012	69,195	47,621	17,937	65,558
1891	40,826	28,409	69,235	39,631	26,696	66,327
1892	37,091	24,959	62,050	37,362	25,372	62,734
1893	27,519	17,656	45,175	29,176	20,031	49,207
1894	26,247	16,562	42,809	27,328	18,114	45,442
1895	33,427	19,368	52,795	35,839	21,286	57,125
1896	37,536	21,324	58,860	35,740	21,950	57,690
1897	41,234	23,629	64,863	41,698	24,599	66,297
1898	40,309	23,273	63,582	41,766	23,942	65,708

No. 29.—Arrivals and Departures by Sea, 1889–98.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures, making allowance for those unrecorded.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	41,204	19,578	60,782	38,607	17,571	56,178
1890	45,297	22,219	67,516	38,824	17,031	55,855
1891	47,019	22,900	69,919	37,822	14,737	52,559
1892	41,570	20,627	62,197	37,617	17,177	54,794
1893	44,908	22,001	66,909	42,334	19,143	61,477
1894	49,732	25,856	75,588	45,970	22,686	68,656
1895	49,213	26,838	76,051	46,241	23,292	69,533
1896	40,683	21,950	62,633	41,924	22,776	64,700
1897	44,780	22,236	67,016	40,781	21,964	62,745
1898	49,186	26,340	75,526	44,841	25,340	70,181

No. 30.—Movements of Chinese Population, 1889–98.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.	Excess of Departures over Arrivals.
	British Subjects, or those who have been naturalised in New South Wales.	Not Naturalised	Total.		
1889	6	1	7	941	934
1890	12	3	15	637	622
1891	16	1	17	581	564
1892	19	2	21	755	734
1893	27	7	34	558	524
1894	73	3	76	627	551
1895	92	2	94	413	319
1896	97	2	99	450	351
1897	31	3	34	428	394
1898	29	3	32	419	387

No. 31.—State-Assisted Immigrants, 1832–98.

Adults and Children.

Year.	Adults.			Children under 12 years.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1832–88	76,647	81,364	158,011	26,891	25,604	52,495	210,506
1889	44	168	212	104	115	219	431
1890	55	132	187	110	79	189	376
1891	26	81	107	45	38	83	190
1892	25	73	98	40	41	81	179
1893	19	47	66	23	31	54	120
1894	13	28	41	18	8	26	67
1895	2	16	18	12	7	19	37
1896	8	3	11	3	3	6	17
1897	6	11	17	8	10	18	35
1898	1	2	3	2	.....	2	5
Total ...	76,846	81,925	158,771	27,256	25,936	53,192	211,963

Birthplaces and Religions.

Year.	Birthplaces.				Religions.		
	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Other Countries.	Protestants.	Roman Catholics.	Other Religions.
1832–88	95,438	23,903	88,694	2,471	136,454	73,038	1,014
1889	297	105	23	6	395	31	5
1890	255	88	19	14	339	26	11
1891	143	30	6	11	163	17	10
1892	95	39	26	19	134	26	19
1893	72	25	18	5	92	19	9
1894	48	9	8	2	57	8	2
1895	13	10	10	4	24	4	9
1896	11	.....	6	.....	11	6	.....
1897	23	.....	12	.....	30	5	.....
1898	5	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....
Total ...	96,400	24,209	88,822	2,532	137,704	73,180	1,079

No. 32.—Nationality of Persons Naturalised in New South Wales, 1849–98.

Native Countries.	1849 to 1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Total.
Europe—								
Austria	103	10	4	8	6	9	11	151
Belgium	17	1	..	..	1	..	3	22
Denmark	275	22	26	16	10	12	20	381
France	228	8	16	9	1	9	10	281
Germany	3,010	78	89	62	90	72	104	3,505
Greece	33	1	..	..	..	1	13	48
Holland	65	1	..	2	2	3	2	75
Italy	147	..	6	2	8	7	13	183
Norway	100	14	22	11	7	4	13	171
Portugal	33	2	2	..	..	1	..	33
Russia	109	35	18	26	13	20	24	245
Spain	16	..	1	..	1	..	..	18
Sweden	287	40	31	20	23	21	25	447
Switzerland	140	1	5	3	3	..	8	160
America—								
United States	102	2	4	1	1	..	3	113
Not specified	18	..	1	..	..	..	..	19
Asia—								
China	908	..	..	..	..	..	..	908
Other Nationalities—								
Western Islands	20	..	1	2	..	..	..	23
Not specified	121	6	8	8	18	45	28	234
Total	5,732	221	234	170	184	204	277	7,022

Naturalisation Act.—The first Act empowering the Governor to grant letters of naturalisation in New South Wales was assented to in 1828 (9 Geo. IV, No. 6). The next important Act passed was 11 Vic., No. 39, amended by 17 Vic., No. 8. This was repealed in 1876 in favour of the Act 39 Vic., No. 19, which was repealed, together with the Act 9, Geo. IV, No. 6, by the Consolidation Act No. 21 of 1898, known as the "Naturalization and Denization Act of New South Wales, 1898." An alien who has resided in New South Wales for a term of not less than five years may apply to the Governor to be naturalised. Should a certificate of naturalisation be granted, the applicant must take the oath of allegiance prescribed by the Act. The Chief Secretary records all certificates of naturalisation, and receives a fee of one pound for each certificate issued. The register of certificates of naturalisation may be inspected upon payment of a fee of one shilling.

Naturalisation of Chinese.—A clause in the Chinese Immigrants Regulation and Restriction Act of 1861 (25 Vic., No. 3) provided that certificates of naturalisation should not be granted to Chinese. The Act was, however, repealed on the 20th November, 1867, but since the date of the passing of the Chinese Restriction and Regulation Act of 1888 (52 Vic., No. 4), no certificates of naturalisation can be issued to Chinese in New South Wales.

Naturalisation Certificates.—Certificates of naturalisation granted in other Colonies do not confer the right of British citizenship in New South Wales.

No. 33.—Trades and Occupations of Persons Naturalised in New South Wales, 1895–98.

Trades, &c.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Accountant	..	2	1	1
Agent	..	1	..	..
Architect	2	..	..	..
Attendant (Hospital, &c.)	3	1	..	..
Baker	1	3	4	2
Blacksmith	1	1	2	4
Bootmaker	2	..	1	2
Butcher	1	1	1	2
Cabinet-maker	2	1	2	1
Caretaker	1	..	..	1
Carpenter	2	5	6	8
Carrier, Carter	1	..	1	1
Chemist	1	..	2	2
Clerk	4	3	3	3
Clothier	1	..	1	..
Coachbuilder	..	..	..	1
Coal-lumper	2	..	..	2
Commercial Traveller	..	4	2	2
Compositor	1	..	..	..
Contractor	1	..	1	..
Cook	2	2	1	3
Cooper	1	..	..	..
Dealer	2	4	5	2
Dentist	1	..	..	2
Diver	..	..	..	1
Draftsman	1	1	..	..
Draper	1	..	2	3
Engine-driver	..	2	2	2
Engineer	6	3	4	5
Farmer	10	38	26	31
Fettler	1	..	2	..
Financier	1	..	..	2
Fireman	..	2	1	1
Fishdealer	..	..	1	12
Fruitgrower	1	2	2	2
Gardener	1	4	2	6
Grocer	1	1	..	1
Hairdresser	..	1	..	3
Hawker	1	5	5	12
Hotelkeeper	2	2	6	2
Importer	..	3	2	1
Jeweller	3	2	2	4
Labourer	25	23	16	40
Lighthouse-keeper	1	..	..	..
Manager	1	..	..	..
Manufacturer	1	..	..	3
Mariner	18	10	7	19
Medical Practitioner	1	1	..	1
Merchant	5	5	4	9
Messenger	2	..	..	..
Miner	3	8	1	6
Musician	..	..	4	1
Painter	3	..	..	1
Pawnbroker	2	..	..	..
Photographer	..	1	..	..
Quarryman	1	..	..	..
Railway Employé	2	1	1	2
Restaurant-keeper	1	..	1	..
Road-maintenance Man	..	..	1	..
Selector	2	2	..	..
Shipwright	1	1	..	1
Stoker	..	1	..	1
Stonemason	2	..	..	..
Storekeeper	9	14	35	16
Storeman	..	1	6	3
Surveyor	..	..	1	..
Tailor	5	3	3	10
Tanner	..	..	1	1
Teacher	2	1	..	1
Van Proprietor	3	..	..	1
Warder	..	..	1	..
Wharf Labourer	4	1	..	2
Woolscourer	1	..	..	1
Other Trades, &c.	14	17	32	31
Total	170	184	204	277

Section II.—VITAL STATISTICS.

VITAL STATISTICS.—For fuller information regarding Vital Statistics, see "Vital Statistics," published by the Registrar-General's Department.

No. 34.—Births in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	1,819	1,731	3,550	5,119	4,675	9,794	12,397	11,554	23,951	19,335	17,960	37,295
1890	1,795	1,720	3,515	5,125	4,889	10,014	12,967	12,464	25,431	19,887	19,073	38,960
1891	1,866	1,668	3,534	5,377	5,097	10,474	13,143	12,307	25,450	20,386	19,072	39,458
1892	1,783	1,597	3,380	5,411	5,279	10,690	13,338	12,633	25,971	20,532	19,509	40,041
1893	1,748	1,586	3,334	5,540	5,082	10,622	13,534	12,852	26,386	20,822	19,520	40,342
1894	1,671	1,562	3,233	5,203	4,755	9,958	13,119	12,641	25,760	19,993	18,958	38,951
1895	1,585	1,445	3,030	4,935	4,796	9,731	13,357	12,656	26,013	19,877	18,897	38,774
1896	1,486	1,468	2,954	4,853	4,495	9,348	12,352	11,852	24,204	18,691	17,815	36,506
1897	1,487	1,364	2,851	4,710	4,448	9,158	12,792	12,446	25,238	18,989	18,258	37,247
1898	1,451	1,335	2,786	4,639	4,488	9,127	12,633	11,676	24,309	18,723	17,499	36,222

No. 35.—Illegitimate Births in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	325	293	618	226	222	448	446	475	921	997	990	1,987
1890	287	303	590	256	210	466	506	489	995	1,049	1,002	2,051
1891	342	303	645	265	239	504	480	486	966	1,087	1,028	2,115
1892	366	337	703	274	265	539	526	521	1,047	1,166	1,123	2,289
1893	317	332	649	302	306	608	671	582	1,253	1,290	1,220	2,510
1894	331	328	659	295	250	545	634	599	1,233	1,260	1,177	2,437
1895	355	285	640	303	276	579	687	618	1,305	1,345	1,179	2,524
1896	297	347	644	269	276	545	628	628	1,256	1,194	1,251	2,445
1897	303	283	586	307	283	590	648	628	1,276	1,258	1,194	2,452
1898	312	298	610	305	318	623	663	615	1,278	1,280	1,231	2,511

Sydney.—The Benevolent Asylum situated at Sydney is used as a Maternity Hospital.
The figures in the foregoing table are included in those shown in Table No. 34.

No. 36.—Birth-rates in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Births per Thousand of Mean Population.				Proportion per cent. of Illegitimate to Total Births.			Total Male Births to every 100 Female Births.
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.	Metropolitan.	Country.	New South Wales.	
	Sydney.	Suburbs.						
1889	30·47	41·68	33·50	34·97	7·99	3·85	5·33	107·65
1890	30·98	38·98	34·77	35·36	7·81	3·91	5·26	104·27
1891	32·06	38·28	33·50	34·50	8·20	3·80	5·36	106·89
1892	31·56	37·84	32·80	33·89	8·83	4·03	5·72	105·24
1893	31·96	36·79	32·28	33·33	9·01	4·75	6·22	106·67
1894	31·65	33·89	30·62	31·48	9·13	4·79	6·26	105·46
1895	30·10	32·45	30·10	30·66	9·55	5·02	6·51	105·19
1896	29·73	30·37	27·49	28·35	9·66	5·19	6·70	104·92
1897	29·05	28·99	28·15	28·42	9·79	5·06	6·58	104·00
1898	28·46	28·15	26·63	27·14	10·35	5·25	6·93	106·99
Mean Birth-rate for last 10 years	30·64	34·37	30·77	31·62	8·99	4·56	6·07	105·72

No. 37.—Marriages Solemnized by Ministers of Religion and District Registrars, 1889–98.

Religion.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Church of England	2,885	3,126	3,323	3,216	3,022	2,895	2,836	2,979	3,130	3,125
Roman Catholic...	1,288	1,373	1,510	1,469	1,462	1,361	1,416	1,553	1,562	1,717
Presbyterian	979	965	1,142	1,055	983	1,042	918	966	1,019	1,091
Independent Presbyterian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
Wesleyan Methodist	753	798	885	816	862	821	831	944	938	922
Primitive Methodist	271	256	282	241	218	187	204	199	251	226
United Methodist Free Church ...	...	12	36	29	30	20	23	19	23	70
Lay Methodist	...	...	...	...	8	14	25	14	17	18
Baptist	167	118	118	119	121	120	218	159	121	139
Independent Baptist	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31
Congregationalist	546	540	500	456	386	351	313	295	338	308
German Evangelical, Lutheran ...	28	23	17	19	17	23	25	15	20	22
Bible Christian	...	...	18	13	11	17	27	17	31	28
Christian, Church of Christ	28	33	15	17	14	154	97	12	14	21
Catholic Apostolic Church	4	5	...	2	2	...	...	1	3	2
Society of Friends (Quakers)	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Swedenborgian, New Church	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Bethel Union	...	...	...	...	10	45	21	...	...	...
Gospel Temperance Church	...	...	...	...	...	...	56	2	...	...
Salvation Army	26	41	37	44	29	29	35	47	40	38
Unitarian	6	10	11	9	6	16	7	5	6	11
Hebrew	35	23	23	14	21	20	30	30	20	28
Other Sects	...	1	2	35	4	11	13	21	20	30
Matrimonial Agencies	...	...	...	...	...	98	599	856	948	806
District Registrars	509	551	537	466	543	442	336	359	312	241
Total Marriages	7,530	7,876	8,457	8,022	7,749	7,666	8,030	8,495	8,813	8,888

No. 38.—Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population, 1889–98.

Year.	Marriages Registered.				*Marriages per 1,000 of Mean Population.			
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.	New South Wales.	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.	New South Wales.
1889	1,830	1,574	4,126	7,530	15·71	6·70	5·77	7·06
1890	1,836	1,667	4,373	7,876	16·18	6·49	5·98	7·15
1891	1,956	1,879	4,622	8,457	17·74	6·87	6·08	7·40
1892	1,844	1,732	4,446	8,022	17·22	6·13	5·61	6·79
1893	1,636	1,733	4,380	7,749	15·68	6·00	5·36	6·40
1894	1,868	1,573	4,225	7,666	18·29	5·35	5·02	6·20
1895	2,177	1,443	4,410	8,030	21·63	4·81	5·10	6·35
1896	2,076	1,672	4,747	8,495	20·90	5·43	5·39	6·60
1897	1,875	1,992	4,946	8,813	19·11	6·31	5·52	6·72
1898	2,109	1,767	5,012	8,888	21·55	5·45	5·49	6·66
Mean Marriage-rate for last 10 years					18·29	5·92	5·51	6·71

* By doubling the numbers, the *persons* married per 1,000 of the mean population may be obtained.

No. 39.—Solemnization of Marriages by Ministers of Religion and District Registrars, 1889–98—Percentages.

Year.	Marriages Performed—					Year.	Marriages Performed—				
	Total.	By Ministers of Religion.		By District Registrars.			Total.	By Ministers of Religion.		By District Registrars.	
		Number.	Per cent.	Number.	Per cent.			Number.	Per cent.	Number.	Per cent.
1889	7,530	7,021	93·24	509	6·76	1894	7,666	7,224	94·23	442	5·77
1890	7,876	7,325	93·00	551	7·00	1895	8,030	7,694	95·82	336	4·18
1891	8,457	7,920	93·65	537	6·35	1896	8,495	8,136	95·77	359	4·23
1892	8,022	7,556	94·19	466	5·81	1897	8,813	8,501	96·46	312	3·54
1893	7,749	7,206	92·99	543	7·01	1898	8,888	8,647	97·29	241	2·71

Marriages by Ministers of Religion.—In January, 1899, there were 1,175 Ministers of Religion registered under Act 19 Vic. No. 34 for the celebration of marriages.

Marriages by District Registrars.—In addition to the Ministers of Religion who have been registered in accordance with the Act, District Registrars appointed by the Government for the registration of Births, Marriages, and Deaths may perform the marriage ceremony, conditionally that the persons about to be married declare that they conscientiously object to be married by a Minister of Religion.

No. 40.—Persons signing Marriage Register with Marks, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.				Country.		New South Wales.		
	Sydney.		Suburbs.						
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	48	65	18	32	195	146	261	243	504
1890	30	33	27	24	161	151	218	208	426
1891	40	54	46	32	187	162	273	248	521
1892	35	53	39	41	189	134	263	228	491
1893	18	27	29	27	132	102	179	156	335
1894	22	33	10	22	110	95	142	150	292
1895	33	46	19	19	125	94	177	159	336
1896	39	41	19	26	140	106	198	173	371
1897	25	28	20	19	95	78	140	125	265
1898	39	44	14	19	103	88	156	151	307

PROPORTION OF PERSONS SIGNING MARRIAGE REGISTER WITH MARKS TO TOTAL PERSONS MARRIED.

Year.	Metropolitan.		Country.	N. S. Wales	Year.	Metropolitan.		Country.	N. S. Wales
	Sydney.	Suburbs.				Sydney.	Suburbs.		
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.		per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
1889	3·09	1·59	4·13	3·35	1894	1·47	1·02	2·43	1·90
1890	1·71	1·52	3·56	2·70	1895	1·81	1·30	2·49	2·09
1891	2·40	2·08	3·78	3·08	1896	1·93	1·35	2·59	2·18
1892	2·39	2·31	3·63	3·06	1897	1·41	0·98	1·75	1·50
1893	1·38	1·62	2·67	2·16	1898	1·97	0·93	1·90	1·72

No. 41.—Divorced Persons Re-married during each year, 1889–98.

Year.	Marriages Dissolved. (Decree Nisi made absolute.)	Divorced Persons who were Re-married.			Year.	Marriages Dissolved. (Decree Nisi made absolute.)	Divorced Persons who were Re-married.		
		Males.	Females.	Total.			Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	38	11	6	17	1894	288	31	73	104
1890	50	10	13	23	1895	293	47	86	133
1891	53	15	15	30	1896	272	54	70	124
1892	55	22	17	39	1897	209	59	93	152
1893	247	19	47	66	1898	230	63	76	139

Divorce.—Under Act 55 Vic., No. 37, assented to 9th May, 1892, and 56 Vic., No. 36 (13th June, 1893), the grounds on which Divorce may be granted have been largely extended. This explanation accounts for the large yearly increase in the number of marriages dissolved in 1893 and each subsequent year. For full particulars of Divorce see Part "Law and Crime," and statistics in reference to Divorced persons published in the Report of the Registrar-General, "Vital Statistics."

Re-marriages.—The number of those persons who were divorced in New South Wales, and again married in the Colony cannot be separated in the above table, which shows the Re-marriages of persons who had been divorced either in New South Wales or elsewhere.

No. 42.—Deaths in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	1,200	919	2,119	2,281	1,938	4,219	5,193	3,265	8,458	8,674	6,122	14,796
1890	1,114	786	1,900	1,959	1,732	3,691	5,209	3,418	8,627	8,282	5,936	14,218
1891	1,292	899	2,191	2,266	1,963	4,229	6,000	3,866	9,866	9,558	6,728	16,286
1892	1,037	745	1,782	1,996	1,734	3,730	5,511	3,387	8,898	8,544	5,866	14,410
1893	1,177	878	2,055	2,352	2,077	4,429	5,760	3,778	9,538	9,289	6,733	16,022
1894	987	804	1,791	2,148	1,949	4,097	5,579	3,703	9,282	8,714	6,456	15,170
1895	962	721	1,683	2,020	1,782	3,802	5,689	3,740	9,429	8,671	6,243	14,914
1896	966	659	1,625	2,085	1,879	3,964	6,205	4,045	10,250	9,256	6,583	15,839
1897	910	663	1,573	1,934	1,713	3,647	5,470	3,574	9,044	8,314	5,950	14,264
1898	1,077	829	1,906	2,343	2,114	4,457	6,216	4,082	10,298	9,636	7,025	16,661

No. 43.—Death-rates in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Deaths per 1,000 of Mean Population.						Male Deaths to every 100 Female Deaths.
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.			
	Sydney.	Suburbs.		Males.	Females.	Total.	
1889	18·19	17·95	11·83	14·93	12·61	13·87	141·69
1890	16·74	14·37	11·79	13·82	11·81	12·90	139·52
1891	19·88	15·46	12·99	15·41	12·86	14·24	142·06
1892	16·64	13·20	11·24	13·38	10·81	12·20	145·65
1893	19·70	15·34	11·67	14·23	12·07	13·24	137·96
1894	17·53	13·94	11·03	13·08	11·30	12·26	134·98
1895	16·72	12·68	10·91	12·77	10·66	11·79	138·89
1896	16·36	12·88	11·64	13·41	11·02	12·30	140·60
1897	16·03	11·54	10·09	11·84	9·78	10·88	139·73
1898	19·49	13·74	11·28	13·47	11·34	12·47	137·17
Mean Death-rate for last 10 years	17·74	13·99	11·41	13·59	11·37	12·57	139·74

No. 44.—Proportion of Deaths of Children to Total Deaths, Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Under 5 years.				Under 1 year.			
	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.	Metropolitan.		Country.	New South Wales.
	Sydney.	Suburbs.			Sydney.	Suburbs.		
	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.	℔ cent.
1889	45·35	53·99	38·77	44·05	33·32	37·80	27·93	31·51
1890	38·05	48·09	37·85	40·52	28·68	34·62	26·07	28·64
1891	39·02	46·49	37·39	39·97	30·30	33·36	26·51	28·80
1892	38·05	47·40	38·00	40·44	29·29	35·12	27·12	29·46
1893	42·97	51·37	41·05	44·14	27·59	33·44	27·18	28·96
1894	35·68	44·15	37·33	38·98	27·81	30·92	26·75	28·00
1895	31·13	45·11	35·14	37·23	23·94	33·30	25·89	27·56
1896	33·35	42·68	36·01	37·41	26·71	32·19	26·59	28·00
1897	29·50	41·49	32·76	34·63	23·97	32·19	24·88	26·65
1898	33·68	46·13	34·86	37·74	23·66	30·85	25·17	26·51
Mean Proportion for last 10 years	37·10	46·80	36·88	39·53	27·74	33·36	26·38	28·39

No. 45.—Deaths of Individuals over 5 Years of Age in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	685	473	1,158	1,068	873	1,941	3,439	1,740	5,179	5,192	3,086	8,278
1890	712	465	1,177	1,028	888	1,916	3,439	1,910	5,349	5,179	3,263	8,442
1891	832	504	1,336	1,206	1,057	2,263	3,975	2,202	6,177	6,013	3,763	9,776
1892	672	432	1,104	1,013	949	1,962	3,651	1,866	5,517	5,336	3,247	8,583
1893	695	477	1,172	1,122	1,033	2,155	3,631	1,992	5,623	5,448	3,502	8,950
1894	657	495	1,152	1,186	1,102	2,288	3,690	2,127	5,817	5,533	3,724	9,257
1895	683	476	1,159	1,101	987	2,088	3,908	2,211	6,119	5,692	3,674	9,366
1896	685	398	1,083	1,176	1,096	2,272	4,220	2,339	6,559	6,081	3,833	9,914
1897	659	450	1,109	1,104	1,030	2,134	3,845	2,236	6,081	5,608	3,716	9,324
1898	729	535	1,264	1,256	1,145	2,401	4,260	2,448	6,708	6,245	4,128	10,373

No. 46.—Deaths of Children under 5 Years of Age in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.						Country.			New South Wales.		
	Sydney.			Suburbs.								
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	515	446	961	1,213	1,065	2,278	1,754	1,525	3,279	3,482	3,036	6,518
1890	402	321	723	931	844	1,775	1,770	1,508	3,278	3,103	2,673	5,776
1891	460	395	855	1,060	906	1,966	2,025	1,664	3,689	3,545	2,965	6,510
1892	365	313	678	983	785	1,768	1,860	1,521	3,381	3,208	2,619	5,827
1893	482	401	883	1,230	1,044	2,274	2,129	1,786	3,915	3,841	3,231	7,072
1894	330	309	639	962	847	1,809	1,889	1,576	3,465	3,181	2,732	5,913
1895	279	245	524	919	795	1,714	1,781	1,529	3,310	2,979	2,569	5,548
1896	281	261	542	909	783	1,692	1,985	1,706	3,691	3,175	2,750	5,925
1897	251	213	464	830	683	1,513	1,625	1,338	2,963	2,706	2,234	4,940
1898	348	294	642	1,087	969	2,056	1,956	1,634	3,590	3,391	2,897	6,288

No. 47.—Deaths of Children under 1 Year of Age in Metropolitan and Country Districts, 1889-98.

Year.	Metropolitan.				Country.		New South Wales.	
	Sydney.		Suburbs.					
	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.	Total.	Per 1,000 Births.
1889	706	198·9	1,595	162·8	2,362	98·6	4,663	125·0
1890	545	155·0	1,278	126·7	2,249	88·4	4,072	104·5
1891	664	187·9	1,411	134·7	2,616	102·8	4,691	118·9
1892	522	154·4	1,310	122·5	2,413	92·9	4,245	106·0
1893	567	170·1	1,481	139·4	2,592	98·2	4,640	115·0
1894	498	154·0	1,267	127·2	2,483	96·4	4,248	109·1
1895	403	133·0	1,266	130·1	2,437	93·7	4,106	105·9
1896	434	146·9	1,276	136·5	2,725	112·6	4,435	121·5
1897	377	132·2	1,174	128·2	2,250	89·2	3,801	102·0
1898	451	161·8	1,375	150·6	2,592	106·6	4,418	121·9

The figures in the foregoing table are included in those shown in Table No. 46.

No. 48.—Deaths by Suicide, 1889-98.

Year.	Mode of taking Life.												Total Suicides.			Proportion of		
	Shooting.		Cut, Stab.		Poison.		Drowning.		Hanging.		Other Modes.					Male Suicides	Female Suicides	Total Suicides
																Per Ten Thousand of		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	Male Population.	Female Population.	Total Population.
1889	25	...	20	4	18	10	8	5	15	3	3	1	89	23	112	1·53	0·47	1·05
1890	19	1	16	2	16	12	14	5	25	2	4	2	94	24	118	1·57	0·48	1·07
1891	36	1	14	2	16	10	3	2	29	4	2	...	100	19	119	1·61	0·36	1·04
1892	37	...	17	1	20	11	8	4	20	1	6	2	108	19	127	1·69	0·35	1·07
1893	42	...	18	2	28	8	22	8	15	6	3	1	128	25	153	1·96	0·45	1·26
1894	29	2	15	3	22	14	23	16	17	5	5	...	111	40	151	1·67	0·70	1·22
1895	37	1	24	2	25	10	24	9	18	4	7	2	135	28	163	1·99	0·48	1·29
1896	39	1	18	2	26	10	39	11	26	3	7	...	155	27	182	2·25	0·45	1·41
1897	34	1	26	1	22	13	40	17	20	4	7	2	149	38	187	2·12	0·62	1·43
1898	36	...	16	4	23	18	33	12	16	1	5	1	129	36	165	1·80	0·58	1·23

Suicides.—The number of suicides in this table does not agree with the verdicts at inquests as given on the next page, as in many instances where an open verdict was returned the case has been tabulated by the Registrar-General's Department according to the weight of evidence.

No. 49.—Inquests and Magisterial Inquiries as to Causes of Death, 1898.

Verdicts and Findings as to Causes of Death.	Number. M.	F.	Total.
Deaths resulting from—			
I. Specific Febrile or Zymotic Diseases.			
Diarrhœal Diseases—			
Diarrhœa	5	..	5
II Parasitic Diseases.			
Hydatids	2	..	2
III. Dietetic Diseases.			
Starvation	1	2	3
Thirst	3	..	3
Intemperance and exposure	1	1	2
Cold and exposure	6	1	7
Exhaustion	3	3	6
IV. Constitutional Diseases.			
Phthisis	5	..	5
V. Developmental Diseases.			
Premature birth	..	1	1
Old age	16	4	20
VI. Local Diseases.			
Diseases of the Nervous System—			
Inflammation of the brain	6	1	7
Apoplexy	12	4	16
Paralysis	2	..	2
Epilepsy	1	2	3
Convulsions	8	3	11
Congestion of the brain	4	3	7
Diseases of the Circulatory System—			
Syncope	61	16	77
Rupture of the heart	8	2	10
Rupture of a blood vessel	9	..	9
Heart disease (undefined)	63	8	71
Diseases of the Respiratory System—			
Bronchitis	3	1	4
Pneumonia	9	4	13
Congestion of the lungs	9	1	10
Pleurisy	1	1	2
Lung disease (undefined)	5	1	6
Diseases of the Digestive System—			
Enteritis	6	3	9
Peritonitis	6	7	13
Liver disease	4	1	5

Verdicts and Findings as to Causes of Death.	Number. M.	F.	Total.
Deaths resulting from—			
VI. Local Diseases—*continued.*			
Diseases of the Urinary System—			
Kidney disease	7	3	10
Diseases of Parturition—			
Childbirth	..	5	5
VII. Violence.			
Accident or Negligence—			
Fractures and contusions	284	18	302
Gunshot wounds	16	1	17
Blood poisoning	1	2	3
Burns	22	45	67
Scalds	5	12	17
Poison	9	13	22
Drowning	98	17	115
Suffocation—whilst eating	4	1	5
,, infants overlain	2	3	5
,, under chloroform	6	4	10
,, otherwise	14	3	17
Shock to the system	9	2	11
Eating bad fish, meat, fruit	2	..	2
Homicide—			
Murder	13	17	30
Suicide—			
Gunshot wounds	35	..	35
Cutting throat	14	2	16
Poison	19	11	30
Drowning	6	5	11
Hanging	19	1	20
Otherwise	3	3	6
Execution—			
Hanging	1	..	1
Violent Deaths not Classified (Open Verdicts)—			
Found drowned	55	8	63
,, injured	1	..	1
VIII. Ill-defined and not specified Causes.			
Atrophy, debility, inanition	3	4	7
Hæmorrhage	9	3	12
Natural causes	36	16	52
No evidence to show	19	15	34
No verdict returned	1	..	1
Total	972	284	1,256

1889–98.

Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	1,082	261	1,343	1894	908	269	1,177
1890	1,060	245	1,305	1895	969	251	1,220
1891	1,102	217	1,319	1896	1,036	241	1,277
1892	1,053	268	1,321	1897	982	251	1,233
1893	971	249	1,220	1898	972	284	1,256

PART VIII.

EDUCATION, SCIENCE, AND ART.

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Head of Expenditure.	Amount Expended.
FROM CONSOLIDATED REVENUE.	£
Public Instruction under Act 43 Vic. No. 23	686,571
Sydney University	12,056
Affiliated Colleges (Endowment)	1,500
Women's College	500
Sydney Grammar School	1,500
Observatory	4,353
Meteorological Stations	500
Public Library of New South Wales	7,524
Board of International Exchanges	100
Australian Museum	6,492
National Art Gallery of New South Wales	4,217
Art Society of New South Wales	400
Society of Artists	300
Royal Society of New South Wales...	500
†Linnean Society	100
Funafuti Coral Investigation	41
Anthropological Society	100
New South Wales Zoological Society	2,023
Imperial Institute, London	411
Historical Records of New South Wales	544
In aid of Educational Establishments	6,989
Instruction to the Blind	367
*Industrial Schools	16,445
Animals' Protection Society	190
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Total from Consolidated Revenue ... ... £	753,773
FROM LOANS.	
Sydney University	1,788
Technical Colleges and Technological Museums—Erection of	1,499
Public School Buildings and Additional Areas to existing Public School Grounds	5,000
Art Gallery—Additions to	2,490
Australian Museum—Additions, &c.	291
Total from Loans ... ... £	11,068
Grand Total Cost ... ... £	764,841

*These schools are practically reformatories. †The amount shown is not in the nature of a subsidy, but is a special vote for the purchase of books. NOTE.—Where furniture, stores, and stationery have been supplied during the year, the cost of these articles has been included in the amount set down.

No. 2.—Schools, Teachers, and Pupils enrolled at all Schools, 1898.

Class of School.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars on the Roll.		
	For Males.	For Females	Mixed.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
University	3	1	1	5	49	...	49	402	63	465
State Schools ...	2	3	2,597	2,602	2,491	2,268	4,759	119,951	107,610	227,561
Sydney Grammar School	1	...	...	1	18	...	18	587	.....	587
Other Private Institutions	90	80	780	950	566	2,683	3,249	25,515	32,143	57,658
Reformatories ...	2	1	...	3	4	1	5	391	19	410
Industrial School ...	...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	110	110
Charitable Schools ...	...	...	8	8	6	27	33	425	370	795
Total	98	86	3,386	3,570	3,134	4,981	8,115	147,271	140,315	287,586

No. 3.—State Schools, Teaching Staff, and number of Scholars, 1892-98.

Year.	Schools in operation.	Teachers.	Gross Aggregate Enrolment.	Corrected Aggregate Year's Enrolment of Distinct Scholars	Quarterly Enrolment.	Average Attendance.		
						Number.	Percentage of Year's Enrolment.	Percentage of Quarterly Enrolment.
	Schools, Teachers, and Scholars. (Including High Schools.)							
1892	2,502	4,636	239,364	210,641	186,207	132,580	62·94	71·20
1893	2,520	4,527	238,951	210,277	186,327	128,322	61·02	68·86
1894	2,508	4,453	234,392	206,265	181,678	130,089	63·06	71·60
1895	2,563	4,477	245,904	216,396	192,075	139,978	64·68	72·87
1896	2,574	4,442	251,821	221,603	197,025	142,192	64·16	72·17
1897	2,577	4,626	256,996	226,157	201,947	148,381	65·60	73·47
1898	2,602	4,759	258,592	227,561	203,910	141,723	62·27	69·50

Primary Schools.—Under the Public Instruction Act (43 Vic. No. 23), which came into force on 1st May, 1880, it is provided that the instruction imparted at Public Schools shall be absolutely unsectarian. "Secular instruction" is defined by the Act as including "general religious teaching as distinguished from dogmatical or polemical theology."

Compulsory Attendance.—The Act makes it obligatory upon the parents or guardians of all children between the ages of 6 and 14 years (unless just cause of exemption can be shown), to cause such children to attend school for a period of not less than 70 days in each half-year. The minimum age for admission of pupils has been fixed at 5 years by a Ministerial Minute.

Causes of Exemption.—The causes of exemption defined by the Act are :—That the child is being regularly and efficiently instructed in some other manner; that from sickness or infirmity or from fear of infection or other unavoidable cause there is inability to attend; that there is no State School within 2 miles by the nearest road, or that the child has already been educated up to the standard of education required. Under this last clause, examinations for exemption certificates are held at the annual inspection of the schools.

Public School Fees :—The weekly fee is three-pence for each child up to four children of one family; for four or any larger number of the same family the charge is one shilling. Where inability to pay fees is shown payment is not enforced.

No. 4.—Religions of Scholars attending State Schools, 1892-98.

Year.	Total Enrolment.			Religions.					
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Church of England.	Roman Catholic.	Presbyterian.	Wesleyan.	Other.	Total.
1892	96,125	89,156	185,281	95,503	27,658	19,656	23,337	19,127	185,281
1893	93,605	85,982	179,587	92,228	26,915	19,098	22,697	18,649	179,587
1894	94,457	86,407	180,864	92,907	26,693	19,340	22,902	19,022	180,864
1895	99,704	90,926	190,630	98,256	28,306	20,161	24,047	19,860	190,630
1896	103,056	93,494	196,550	101,932	29,077	20,941	24,293	20,307	196,550
1897	105,774	95,878	201,652	104,412	29,874	21,628	24,810	20,928	201,652
1898	106,373	95,675	202,048	104,679	30,015	21,781	24,689	20,884	202,048

Religious Instruction.—Provision is made for clergymen or other authorised religious teachers of any denomination to give religious instruction at specified hours to the scholars belonging to their persuasion, and separate class rooms are generally provided for this purpose.

Note.—The enrolment is that of the December quarter of each year.

No. 5.—Average Daily Attendance and Number of Free Scholars, 1892–98.

Year.	Average Daily Attendance.			Free Scholars.			"State" Children included with Free Scholars.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
1892	68,603	62,476	131,079	5,374	4,980	10,354	1,477
1893	64,081	57,341	121,422	7,092	6,581	13,673	1,559
1894	70,435	63,779	134,214	9,579	9,028	18,607	1,777
1895	74,692	67,239	141,931	12,263	11,690	23,953	1,950
1896	76,706	67,601	144,307	13,920	13,054	26,974	2,080
1897	77,030	69,866	146,896	15,296	14,380	29,676	2,262
1898	74,603	65,217	*139,820	15,277	14,242	29,519	2,254

NOTE.—The above figures refer to the December quarter of each year.
* The shrinkage is due to the closing of schools during an epidemic of measles.

No. 6.—State High Schools, 1898.

(Included in foregoing Tables.)

High Schools. [Established October, 1883.]	Teachers.			Scholars.			
	Male.	Female.	Total.	Total enrolment.	Average quarterly enrolment.	Average daily attendance.	Fees paid.
							£
Sydney { Boys	8	...	8	162	130	119·3	833
Sydney { Girls	2	5	7	187	147	126·7	1,032
Maitland { Boys	3	...	3	104	83	77·1	431
Maitland { Girls	1	4	5	61	48	42·9	154
*Bathurst Girls	...	1	1	13	12	10·3	13
Total	14	10	24	527	420	376·3	2,463

* Closed at end of 1898.

Expenditure.—The total expenditure on High Schools for 1898 was £6,200, of which £5,540 was paid as salaries. The amount received as fees was £2,463, the net cost to the State being £3,737, or £7 1s. 10d. per head of total enrolment.

No. 7.—State Scholarships and Bursaries, 1898.

Scholarships and Bursaries.	Obtained at examinations held during 1898.						Current on 31st December, 1898.					
	Scholarships.			Bursaries.			Scholarships.			Bursaries.		
Holders attending—	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
Sydney University ...	...	...	...	*5	4	9	...	...	...	13	10	23
Sydney Grammar School	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	12	...	12
Public High Schools—												
Sydney	16	16	32	13	8	21	37	37	74	29	20	49
Maitland	9	10	19	8	5	13	22	23	45	26	11	37
†Bathurst	...	3	3	...	...	...	...	9	9	...	2	2
Superior Public Schools	...	1	1	1	5	6	2	4	6	...	7	7
Total	25	30	55	31	22	53	61	73	134	80	50	130

* One of these did not take up his bursary, another accepted employment as a pupil teacher during the year and consequently forfeited his bursary. Only three of the five are, therefore, now current.
† After 31st December, 1898, bursaries and scholarships held at this school will be transferred to other schools.

Matriculated Students.—The total number of scholars and bursars who passed the Matriculation examination includes 17 who qualified at the Junior, and 7 at the Senior examination.

Scholarships.—In the High Schools, 60 scholarships are open for competition annually, viz., 30 in the Sydney schools, 10 in the Bathurst Girls' School, and 20 in the Maitland schools. A scholarship is tenable for 3 years, and entitles a scholar to a free grant of text-books and free education in a High School. In a few exceptional cases, scholarships have been made tenable in country Superior Public Schools.

Bursaries.—Bursaries are available for admission to the Superior Schools, High Schools, or Sydney Grammar School. In the metropolitan and sub-metropolitan districts, 20 half-bursaries are open to competition, and in the country districts, 10 full bursaries, winners of which are eligible for free education at the Superior Schools, High Schools, or Grammar School of Sydney. For the Maitland Boys' High School 10 full bursaries, and for the Maitland and Bathurst Girls' High Schools 5 full bursaries each, are available. A bursary is tenable for 3 years, and entitles a scholar to a free grant of text-books and free education in the above-named Schools. When a bursar is compelled to board away from home, an allowance not exceeding £30 per annum is made.

Examinations.—Half-yearly examinations for scholarships and bursaries are held during June and December.

University Bursaries.—Ten bursaries, 6 to boys and 4 to girls, tenable for 3 years at the Sydney University, are open to competition according to the position of candidates at the annual matriculation examination. Competitors must be under 18 years of age, and must have attended a State High School, a Public School, or as State Bursars the Sydney Grammar School, for the year preceding the examination. Bursars are entitled to a free grant of text-books and free education, together with an allowance not exceeding £20 per annum to those who need not board away from home, and not exceeding £50 per annum to those who must necessarily do so.

No. 8.—Classification of State Schools, 1898.

Schools and Departments.			
Schools.	Requisite average daily attendance.	Number of—	
		Schools.	Departments in Schools.
High Schools	.....	5	5
Public and Half-time Schools—			
Class I	600 and upwards.....	45	135
,, II...	400 and under 600...	39	105
,, III	300 ,, 400...	28	60
,, IV	200 ,, 300...	62	88
,, V	100 ,, 200...	121	122
,, VI	50 ,, 100...	233	233
,, VII	40 ,, 50...	227	227
,, VIII	30 ,, 40...	365	365
,, IX	20 ,, 30...	840	840
,, X...	Under 20	133	133
Unclassed	.....	125	125
Provisional Schools	.....	313	313
House-to-house Schools	.....	37	37
Evening Public Schools	.....	29	29
Total	.....	2,602	2,817

Schools and Departments, 1898.—The number of schools and departments in operation during 1898 was 2,602 and 2,817 respectively. Of these there were 2,551 schools and 2,766 departments open on the 31st December, 1898. With few exceptions all Schools below Class IV are "Mixed Schools," the boys, girls, and infants not being separated into different departments.

Superior Public Schools.—To entitle a Public School to be designated a "Superior" Public School at least 20 pupils must be eligible to join a fifth class. At the end of 1898 there were 101 Public Schools of Classes I to V, comprising 252 Departments, classed as "Superior" Public Schools. In these schools instruction is given to the fifth class in Latin, French, and other subjects prescribed for the Senior and Junior Examinations.

No. 9.—Teaching Staff at State Schools, 1898.

Teachers.			
Classification.	Males.	Females.	Total.
High School	14	10	24
Principal...	1,770	546	2,316
Mistresses of Departments	.....	214	214
Assistant...	325	757	1,082
Pupil	366	654	1,020
Students in Training	16	25	41
Work Mistresses	.....	62	62
Total	2,491	2,268	4,759

Training Schools for Teachers.—There are two Training Schools, Fort-street for males, and Hurlstone for females, the total enrolment for 1898 being 16 and 25 respectively. Persons who have completed their course as pupil-teachers are alone eligible for admission. Students who gain a classification of II A, with honors, are granted, on their passing the matriculation examination, scholarships at the University for twelve months, which may be conditionally renewed for the second year. The students are also given practical work under supervision in the Practising Schools and Kindergarten Department of the Model Public School, Fort-street. On completion of the course of training each student undergoes examination for a Classification certificate.

No. 10.—Ages of Scholars at State Schools, 1894–98.

Year.	Under 6 years.*	6 years and under 14.	14 years and over.	Total Scholars on the Roll.
1894	8,879	181,502	15,884	206,265
1895	13,185	186,350	16,861	216,396
1896	13,052	191,256	17,295	221,603
1897	12,857	194,922	18,378	226,157
1898	11,915	196,054	19,592	227,561

* In January, 1894, the Age of Admission was fixed at 6 years, but was altered in the month of October to 5 years.

No. 11.—Expenditure on Public Instruction, 1894–98.

Head.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
School Premises—	£	£	£	£	£
Sites	8,584	3,195	2,257	1,402	920
Buildings, &c.	19,432	27,586	15,583	45,510	31,043
Additions, repairs, &c.	29,491	56,974	28,517	30,522	65,247
Weather-sheds	515	631	44	618	1,377
Architect's expenses	5,550	5,934	3,337	†	†
Rent	8,758	8,584	5,256	1,574	1,162
Water and sewerage rates	1,462	1,493	1,758	5,283	5,305
£	73,792	104,397	56,752	84,909	105,054
Maintenance of Schools—					
Teachers' salaries and allowances ...	512,173	522,496	520,690	527,471	543,777
,, travelling expenses	2,218	2,762	2,458	3,157	2,983
,, forage allowances	2,382	2,634	2,666	2,514	1,779
School fuel allowances	977	1,026	1,075	1,201	1,471
,, cleaning allowances	9,261	9,577	9,689	10,025	7,147
,, materials	7,370	8,221	8,120	10,647	16,679
Miscellaneous expenses, including advertising, State scholarships and bursaries, cookery, &c.	4,064	4,626	4,614	5,376	4,697
£	538,445	551,342	549,312	560,391	578,533
Administration and Training Schools—					
General management	*17,036	*16,294	*17,279	*19,900	*19,753
Chief Inspector's Branch—					
Inspection	24,009	23,985	23,203	22,791	22,785
Fort-street Training School	3,830	2,145	2,015	2,170	1,713
Hurlstone ,, ,, ...	2,767	2,255	2,160	2,234	2,084
Examiner's Branch	1,176	1,409	586	†	†
£	48,818	46,088	45,243	47,095	46,335
Total... ... ... £	661,055	701,827	651,307	692,395	729,922

* Includes salary of the Minister of Public Instruction. † Now included under General Management.

NOTE.—The amounts show the Departmental expenditure during the Calendar year.

No. 12.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—State and Private Colleges and Schools—1890–98.

Year.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.					
								On the Roll.			Average Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
1890	89	67	2,964	3,120	2,577	3,997	6,574	120,670	117,183	237,853	77,235	73,808	151,043
1891	94	78	2,989	3,161	2,761	4,267	7,028	127,225	123,466	250,691	79,533	78,556	158,089
1892	90	72	3,059	3,221	2,912	4,441	7,353	129,936	126,452	256,388	85,510	82,985	168,495
1893	95	72	3,135	3,302	2,864	4,441	7,305	129,422	126,256	255,678	83,317	80,028	163,345
1894	90	82	3,199	3,371	2,873	4,546	7,419	130,521	126,760	257,281	86,495	83,617	170,112
1895	95	73	3,279	3,447	2,886	4,536	7,422	136,437	131,610	268,047	92,031	88,770	180,801
1896	89	83	3,295	3,467	2,916	4,613	7,529	140,320	135,250	275,570	94,017	91,244	185,261
1897	100	89	3,336	3,525	2,989	4,799	7,788	143,893	138,407	282,300	98,062	95,234	193,296
1898	92	83	3,377	3,552	3,057	4,951	8,008	145,466	139,753	285,219	94,572	90,602	185,174

The figures in this table are exclusive of the University, Affiliated Colleges, Sydney Grammar School, Government Reformatories and Industrial Schools, and Schools held in connection with Charitable Institutions subsidised by the Government.

Mixed Schools.—All State Schools except the High Schools have been classed in this table as "Mixed" Schools.

No. 13.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—State Schools, 1891–98.

Year.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.					
								On the Roll.			Average Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
1891	2	3	2,452	2,457	2,223	2,204	4,427	107,140	98,533	205,673	63,884	58,644	122,528
1892	2	3	2,497	2,502	2,332	2,304	4,636	109,525	101,116	210,641	69,607	62,973	132,580
1893	2	3	2,515	2,520	2,304	2,223	4,527	109,009	101,268	210,277	67,560	60,762	128,322
1894	2	3	2,503	2,508	2,294	2,159	4,453	107,750	98,515	206,265	68,705	61,384	130,089
1895	2	3	2,558	2,563	2,340	2,137	4,477	113,386	103,010	216,396	73,870	66,108	139,978
1896	2	3	2,569	2,574	2,332	2,110	4,442	116,296	105,307	221,603	75,263	66,929	142,192
1897	2	3	2,572	2,577	2,421	2,205	4,626	118,984	107,173	226,157	78,323	70,058	148,381
1898	2	3	2,597	2,602	2,491	2,268	4,759	119,951	107,610	227,561	75,477	66,246	141,723

Mixed Schools.—See note to Table No. 12.

No. 14.—Schools, Teachers, and Scholars—Private Colleges and Schools, 1891–98.

Year.	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.					
								On the Roll.			Average Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
ROMAN CATHOLIC.													
1891	32	16	202	250	228	1,014	1,242	13,837	16,854	30,691	10,547	13,241	23,788
1892	31	11	201	243	222	1,046	1,268	13,973	17,244	31,217	10,820	13,292	24,112
1893	37	16	206	259	257	1,102	1,359	14,439	16,860	31,299	10,911	12,838	23,749
1894	34	20	231	285	258	1,195	1,453	16,044	19,106	35,150	12,352	14,813	27,165
1895	40	17	231	288	239	1,170	1,409	15,999	19,251	35,250	12,420	15,033	27,453
1896	41	21	231	293	266	1,261	1,527	16,603	19,949	36,552	12,967	16,004	28,971
1897	36	20	240	296	250	1,231	1,481	16,494	20,181	36,675	12,954	16,208	29,162
1898	38	23	251	312	234	1,339	1,573	17,236	21,227	38,463	13,214	16,550	29,764
CHURCH OF ENGLAND.													
1891	14	7	26	47	75	110	185	1,917	1,417	3,334	1,475	1,037	2,512
1892	11	6	31	48	74	114	188	1,749	1,472	3,221	1,388	1,125	2,513
1893	10	5	32	47	64	114	178	1,504	1,334	2,838	1,204	932	2,136
1894	15	1	46	62	88	158	246	1,852	1,623	3,475	1,445	1,237	2,682
1895	13	6	31	50	71	133	204	1,614	1,421	3,035	1,299	1,084	2,383
1896	9	7	28	44	60	125	185	1,581	1,518	3,099	1,025	1,151	2,176
1897	9	9	32	50	70	158	228	1,910	1,975	3,885	1,459	1,500	2,959
1898	13	7	37	57	91	189	280	2,082	2,248	4,330	1,611	1,630	3,241
OTHER DENOMINATIONAL.													
1891	2	2	4	8	34	21	55	271	215	486	259	174	433
1892	2	2	7	11	34	31	65	283	318	601	267	258	525
1893	2	2	8	12	31	28	59	229	255	484	208	223	431
1894	3	2	5	10	36	28	64	375	301	676	307	235	542
1895	3	2	6	11	45	31	76	372	309	681	333	274	607
1896	3	1	3	7	45	25	70	297	246	543	273	231	504
1897	3	1	5	9	47	37	84	556	492	1,048	508	406	914
1898	2	3	4	9	50	31	81	598	498	1,096	542	463	1,005
UNDENOMINATIONAL.													
1891	44	50	305	399	201	918	1,119	4,060	6,447	10,507	3,368	5,460	8,828
1892	44	50	323	417	250	946	1,196	4,406	6,302	10,708	3,428	5,337	8,765
1893	44	46	374	464	208	974	1,182	4,241	6,539	10,780	3,434	5,273	8,707
1894	36	56	414	506	197	1,006	1,203	4,500	7,215	11,715	3,686	5,948	9,634
1895	37	45	453	535	191	1,065	1,256	5,066	7,619	12,685	4,109	6,271	10,380
1896	34	51	464	549	213	1,092	1,305	5,543	8,230	13,773	4,489	6,929	11,418
1897	50	56	487	593	201	1,168	1,369	5,949	8,586	14,535	4,818	7,062	11,880
1898	37	47	494	578	192	1,143	1,335	5,876	8,414	14,290	4,602	6,742	11,344
TOTAL PRIVATE COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS.													
1891	92	75	537	704	538	2,063	2,601	20,085	24,933	45,018	15,649	19,912	35,561
1892	88	69	562	719	580	2,137	2,717	20,411	25,336	45,747	15,903	20,012	35,915
1893	93	69	620	782	560	2,218	2,778	20,413	24,988	45,401	15,757	19,266	35,023
1894	88	79	696	863	579	2,387	2,966	22,771	28,245	51,016	17,790	22,233	40,023
1895	93	70	721	884	546	2,399	2,945	23,051	28,600	51,651	18,161	22,662	40,823
1896	87	80	726	893	584	2,503	3,087	24,024	29,943	53,967	18,754	24,315	43,069
1897	98	86	764	948	568	2,594	3,162	24,909	31,234	56,143	19,739	25,176	44,915
1898	90	80	786	956	567	2,702	3,269	25,792	32,387	58,179	19,969	25,385	45,354

No. 15.—Gross and Net Expenditure on Public Instruction, 1889-98.

Year.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.	Gross Expenditure.	Receipts from School Fees.	Net Expenditure to State.	Of Average Attendance.		
							Total Cost per Scholar.	Fees received per Scholar.	Net Cost to State per Scholar.
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	2,373	4,002	191,215	635,509	72,318	563,191	5 10 10	0 12 7	4 18 3
1890	2,423	4,181	195,241	704,260	71,827	632,433	6 0 9	0 12 4	5 8 5
1891	2,457	4,427	205,673	769,565	75,913	693,652	6 5 7	0 12 5	5 13 2
1892	2,502	4,636	210,641	768,395	77,525	690,870	5 15 10	0 11 8	5 4 2
1893	2,520	4,527	210,277	715,219	73,268	641,951	5 11 5	0 11 5	5 0 0
1894	2,508	4,453	206,265	661,055	70,694	590,361	5 1 7	0 10 10	4 10 9
1895	2,563	4,477	216,396	701,827	73,320	628,507	5 0 3	0 10 6	4 9 9
1896	2,574	4,442	221,603	651,307	74,866	576,441	4 11 7	0 10 6	4 1 1
1897	2,577	4,626	226,157	692,395	73,684	618,711	4 13 3	0 9 11	4 3 4
1898	2,602	4,759	227,561	729,922	73,093	656,829	5 3 0	0 10 3	4 12 8

NOTE.—In addition to the above expenditure, vested residences or rental allowances are granted to Teachers, of the estimated annual value of £35,000.

Public School Cadet Corps.—In connection with the State Schools, and inclusive of those attached to Roman Catholic Schools within the Metropolis, there were, at the end of 1898, 114 Cadet Corps, with an enrolment of 3,280 cadets. The amount expended for cadet purposes during 1898 was £3,706, as against £3,782 in 1897.

Penny Savings' Banks.—These are established in connection with the State Schools. At the end of 1898, Savings Banks were in operation at 630 schools. The estimated number of depositors was 38,000, and £8,104 was standing to their credit. Deposits as collected are placed in the Post Office Savings' Bank to the credit of the School Bank. As soon as the amount at the credit of an individual depositor reaches £1, a separate account is opened in the child's own name.

No. 16.—Pupils in, and Expenditure on, Reformatory and Industrial Schools, 1898.

School.	Enrolment during 1898.	Ages of Pupils enrolled.				Number in School on 31st December, 1898.			Expenditure.		Average cost to State per head of enrolment.
		Under 14 years.		14 years and above.							
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance	
									£	£	£ s. d.
Nautical School Ship "Sobraon"	475	304	...	171	...	305	...	305	2,572	5,462	16 1 11
Carpenterian Reformatory ...	104	32	...	72	...	86	...	86	1,069	2,179	19 17 8
Shaftesbury Reformatory ...	23	...	9	...	14	...	19	19	309	346	28 9 6
Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta	186	...	57	...	129	...	110	110	980	1,708	14 9 1

No. 17.—Pupils in, and Expenditure of Schools connected with Charitable Institutions, 1898.

School.	Enrolment during 1898.	Ages of Pupils enrolled.				Number in School on 31st December, 1898.			Expenditure.		Average cost to State per head of enrolment.	Total average cost per head.
		Under 14 years.		14 years and above.								
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance		
									£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
New South Wales Institution for the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind ...	116	44	35	19	18	60	51	111	2,190	1,904	7 15 9	36 12 8
Society for Relief of Destitute Children, Randwick	158	85	73	...	...	85	73	158	972	1,852	Nil.	17 11 7
Ragged Schools	354	198	154	...	2	198	156	354	624	174	Nil.	2 1 0
Free Kindergarten Schools..	167	79	88	...	...	79	88	167	180	144	Nil.	1 18 9

No. 18.—Teachers and Scholars in Private Colleges and Schools, 1889–98.

Year.	December Quarter.												
	Schools.				Teachers.			Scholars.					
								On the Roll.			Average Attendance.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	93	95	512	700	356	1,528	1,884	19,351	22,274	41,625	15,581	18,338	33,919
1890	87	64	546	697	490	1,903	2,393	19,145	23,467	42,612	15,381	18,997	34,378
1891	92	75	537	704	538	2,063	2,601	20,085	24,933	45,018	15,649	19,912	35,561
1892	88	69	562	719	580	2,137	2,717	20,411	25,336	45,747	15,903	20,012	35,915
1893	93	69	620	782	560	2,218	2,778	20,413	24,988	45,401	15,757	19,266	35,023
1894	88	79	696	863	579	2,387	2,966	22,771	28,245	51,016	17,790	22,233	40,023
1895	93	70	721	884	546	2,399	2,945	23,051	28,600	51,651	18,161	22,662	40,823
1896	87	80	726	893	584	2,503	3,087	24,024	29,943	53,967	18,754	24,315	43,069
1897	98	86	764	948	568	2,594	3,162	24,909	31,234	56,143	19,739	25,176	44,915
1898	90	80	786	956	567	2,702	3,269	25,792	32,387	58,179	19,969	25,385	45,354

No. 19.—Private Schools, 1898.

Classification.	Schools.			
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed.	Total.
Denominational—				
Roman Catholic	38	23	251	312
Church of England	13	7	37	57
Presbyterian	1	2	.....	3
Wesleyan	1	1	1	3
Lutheran	.....	.....	1	1
Hebrew	.....	.....	1	1
Seventh Day Adventist	.....	.....	1	1
Undenominational	37	47	494	578
Total...	90	80	786	956

No. 20.—Teachers at Private Schools, 1898.

Classification.	General Tuition.		Special Subjects.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Denominational—							
Roman Catholic	171	1,167	63	172	234	1,339	1,573
Church of England	42	154	49	35	91	189	280
Presbyterian	10	10	9	7	19	17	36
Wesleyan	12	4	16	3	28	7	35
Lutheran	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1
Hebrew	1	5	.....	.....	1	5	6
Seventh Day Adventist ...	1	2	.....	.....	1	2	3
Undenominational	97	950	95	193	192	1,143	1,335
Total	335	2,292	232	410	567	2,702	3,269

In connection with the number of teachers shown in the foregoing table, it is to be borne in mind that teachers of special subjects attend more than one school.

No. 21.—Scholars attending Private Schools, 1898.

Classification.	On the Roll.			Boarders.		Day Scholars.		Average Attendance during December Quarter.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Denominational—									
Roman Catholic ...	17,236	21,227	38,463	484	1,189	16,752	20,038	13,214	16,550
Church of England ..	2,082	2,248	4,330	176	107	1,906	2,141	1,611	1,630
Presbyterian	101	150	251	72	43	29	107	95	145
Wesleyan	198	76	274	51	27	147	49	177	57
Lutheran	20	26	46	...	...	20	26	20	26
Hebrew	260	226	486	...	...	260	226	233	217
Seventh Day Adventist	19	20	39	8	6	11	14	17	18
Undenominational ...	5,876	8,414	14,290	283	331	5,593	8,083	4,602	6,742
Total	25,792	32,387	58,179	1,074	1,703	24,718	30,684	19,969	25,385

No. 22.—Ages of Scholars at Private Schools, 1898.

Classification.	Under 6 years.		6 years and under 14.		14 years and over.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Denominational—						
Roman Catholic	2,059	2,379	13,762	16,265	1,415	2,583
Church of England	283	243	1,462	1,636	337	369
Presbyterian	.....	.....	27	51	74	99
Wesleyan	3	1	58	26	137	49
Lutheran	2	.....	16	26	2	.....
Hebrew	24	18	224	190	12	18
Seventh Day Adventist	.....	.....	9	11	10	9
Undenominational	866	832	4,324	6,210	686	1,372
Total...	3,237	3,473	19,882	24,415	2,673	4,499

No. 23.—Private Schools—University Degrees held by Teachers, 1898.

County.	Denomination.	Degree.							
		B.A.		M.A.		Other.		Total.	
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Cumberland	Undenominational ...	18	30	7	6	3	1	28	37
„	Roman Catholic ...	3	4	1	...	...	1	4	5
„	Church of England ...	10	5	15	1	2	...	27	6
„	Presbyterian	2	2	3	1	4	2	9	5
„	Wesleyan	8	...	2	1	...	...	10	1
„	Hebrew	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Argyle	Undenominational ...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2	1
Bathurst	Roman Catholic ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
„	Church of England ...	3	...	1	...	1	...	5	...
Camden	Undenominational ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Cook	„ ...	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	2
„	Presbyterian	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	...
Gough	Roman Catholic ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Goulburn	Undenominational ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Inglis	„ ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Lincoln	„ ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1
Macquarie	„ ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Monteagle	„ ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Northumberland	„ ...	1	1	2	...	...	...	3	1
„	Roman Catholic ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Robinson	Undenominational ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Sandon	Church of England ...	4	...	1	...	...	...	5	...
St. Vincent	Undenominational ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Townsend	„ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Wellington	„ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Wynyard	„ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...

No. 24.—Private Schools and Colleges, 1898.

County.	Denominational.									Undenominational.			Total.		
	Roman Catholic.			Church of England.			Other.								
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars' Average Attendance.
Argyle	7	37	639	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	23	220	15	60	859
Ashburnham	6	27	479	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	8	117	11	35	596
Auckland	2	13	244	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	5	40	4	18	284
Baradine	1	6	82	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	82
Bathurst	8	69	941	1	8	51	..	..	..	13	26	281	22	103	1,273
Benarba	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	10	1	1	10
Beresford	1	9	120	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9	120
Bland	1	5	95	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	25	3	8	120
Bourke	1	2	49	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	49
Brisbane	7	16	289	1	2	11	..	..	..	3	4	26	11	22	326
Buckland	1	6	71	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	71
Buller	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	9	1	1	9
Cairn	1	4	52	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	52
Camden	11	42	565	1	2	8	..	..	..	18	27	267	30	71	840
Clarence	6	24	445	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	45	8	28	490
Clarendon	2	11	200	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	17	4	14	217
Clive	1	4	134	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	51	4	9	185
Clyde	1	3	44	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	44
Cook	1	3	141	..	..	..	1	4	39	9	20	130	11	27	310
Cooper	1	6	112	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	22	3	9	134
Courallie	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	41	3	4	41
Cowper	1	8	178	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	33	2	9	211
Cumberland	120	733	14,813	42	223	2,818	6	73	885	372	973	8,010	540	2,002	26,526
Cunningham	1	4	56	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	56
Dampier	2	7	84	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	25	4	9	109
Darling	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	12	1	1	12
Denison	1	1	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	19	3	3	47
Dudley	1	8	75	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8	75
Durham	7	18	275	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	7	29	12	25	304
Gipps	1	5	106	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	106
Gloucester	3	8	171	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	21	6	11	192
Gough	4	18	349	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	9	71	7	27	420
Goulburn	5	23	340	1	5	12	1	1	46	5	12	116	12	41	514
Gowen	1	5	71	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	6	2	6	77
Harden	3	15	293	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	25	5	19	318
Hardinge	1	4	39	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	13	2	5	52
Hume	2	6	148	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	24	4	8	172
Hunter	..	..	..	1	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	11
Inglis	2	11	152	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	11	73	7	22	225
King	6	15	214	1	2	8	..	..	..	6	10	58	13	27	280
Leichhardt	1	8	85	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	25	2	11	110
Lincoln	3	12	242	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	7	52	6	19	294
Macquarie	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	24	4	4	24
Mitchell	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	26	1	1	26
Monteagle	2	10	254	1	2	8	..	..	..	1	4	28	4	16	290
Mouramba	1	4	81	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	81
Murchison	1	2	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	13	2	3	37
Murray	4	13	189	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	24	6	15	213
Nandewar	2	7	132	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	7	132
Narromine	1	4	79	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	79
Nicholson	1	6	94	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6	94
Northumberland	26	101	2,072	1	3	19	1	3	35	32	58	467	60	165	2,593
Oxley	2	11	178	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	9	3	12	187
Phillip	1	4	89	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	89
Pottinger	1	7	103	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	6	2	8	109
Richmond	1	4	96	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	22	2	6	118
Robinson	1	5	115	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	4	37	3	9	152
Rous	4	24	442	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	7	40	7	31	482
Roxburgh	5	15	161	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	15	161
Sandon	5	22	377	4	25	158	..	..	..	7	10	158	16	57	693
Selwyn	1	3	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	35
St. Vincent	3	15	237	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	28	5	18	265
Townsend	1	7	136	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	8	48	7	15	184
Urana	1	1	46	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	12	2	2	58
Vernon	..	..	..	1	2	4	..	..	..	1	2	12	2	4	16
Waradgery	2	12	171	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	18	4	14	189
Wellesley	1	4	112	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	8	3	7	120
Wellington	8	38	746	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	19	189	18	57	935
Wentworth	1	5	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	65
Westmoreland	1	2	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	12
Wynyard	5	25	416	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	9	72	8	34	488
Yancowinna	5	19	783	2	4	133	..	..	..	6	7	190	13	30	1,106
Young	1	7	98	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	98
Total	312	1,573	29,764	57	280	3,241	9	81	1,005	578	1,335	11,344	956	3,269	45,354

Collection of Returns in Electorates and Counties.—The particulars relating to private schools were formerly collected according to electorates; since 1892, however, the returns have been taken in counties. The boundaries of the former are liable to be varied by a change in the electoral law, while those of the counties are practically established on a permanent basis.

Counties.—Of the 141 counties into which New South Wales is divided, only in 73 are private schools in operation.

No. 25.—Private Schools and Colleges, and Teachers therein, 1898.

County.	Schools.				Teachers.								
					General Tuition.			Special Subjects.			Total.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Mixed	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Argyle	3	2	10	15	12	35	47	6	7	13	18	42	60
Ashburnham	..	1	10	11	1	28	29	..	6	6	1	34	35
Auckland	1	..	3	4	1	16	17	..	1	1	1	17	18
Baradine	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	2	2	..	6	6
Bathurst	4	2	16	22	20	56	76	8	19	27	28	75	103
Benarba	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	....	1	..	1
Beresford	..	..	1	1	..	9	9	..	..	....	..	9	9
Bland	..	..	3	3	..	7	7	..	1	1	..	8	8
Bourke	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	2
Brisbane	1	1	9	11	1	19	20	..	2	2	1	21	22
Buckland	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	1	1	2	1	5	6
Buller	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	..	1	1
Caira	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	4
Camden	1	2	27	30	4	63	67	1	3	4	5	66	71
Clarence	..	..	8	8	..	24	24	..	4	4	..	28	28
Clarendon	..	..	4	4	..	13	13	..	1	1	..	14	14
Clive	1	..	3	4	1	8	9	..	..	....	1	8	9
Clyde	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	..	....	..	3	3
Cook	..	3	8	11	8	12	20	4	3	7	12	15	27
Cooper	..	..	3	3	1	7	8	..	1	1	1	8	9
Courallie	..	..	3	3	1	3	4	..	..	....	1	3	4
Cowper	..	..	2	2	..	9	9	..	..	....	..	9	9
Cumberland	59	40	441	540	236	1,317	1,553	187	262	449	423	1,579	2,002
Cunningham	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	4
Dampier	..	1	3	4	..	7	7	1	1	2	1	8	9
Darling	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	..	1	1
Denison	..	..	3	3	1	2	3	..	..	....	1	2	3
Dudley	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	4	4	..	8	8
Durham	..	1	11	12	1	23	24	..	1	1	1	24	25
Gipps	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	5
Gloucester	..	1	5	6	..	10	10	..	1	1	..	11	11
Gough	..	..	7	7	..	24	24	1	2	3	1	26	27
Goulburn	1	2	9	12	3	35	38	2	1	3	5	36	41
Gowen	..	..	2	2	..	4	4	..	2	2	..	6	6
Harden	..	..	5	5	..	15	15	..	4	4	..	19	19
Hardinge	..	..	2	2	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	5
Hume	..	..	4	4	..	7	7	..	1	1	..	8	8
Hunter	..	..	1	1	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	2
Inglis	1	3	3	7	1	17	18	1	3	4	2	20	22
King	1	3	9	13	..	25	25	..	2	2	..	27	27
Leichhardt	..	..	2	2	..	11	11	..	..	....	..	11	11
Lincoln	2	1	3	6	2	16	18	..	1	1	2	17	19
Macquarie	..	1	3	4	..	4	4	..	..	....	..	4	4
Mitchell	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	....	..	1	1
Monteagle	1	..	3	4	1	12	13	..	3	3	1	15	16
Mouramba	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	..	....	..	4	4
Murchison	..	..	2	2	..	3	3	..	..	....	..	3	3
Murray	..	..	6	6	..	14	14	..	1	1	..	15	15
Nandewar	..	..	2	2	..	7	7	..	..	....	..	7	7
Narromine	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	4
Nicholson	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	2	2	..	6	6
Northumberland	5	4	51	60	17	120	137	8	20	28	25	140	165
Oxley	..	..	3	3	..	8	8	..	4	4	..	12	12
Phillip	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	1	1	..	4	4
Pottinger	..	..	2	2	..	5	5	..	3	3	..	8	8
Richmond	..	..	2	2	..	6	6	..	..	....	..	6	6
Robinson	1	..	2	3	1	8	9	..	..	....	1	8	9
Rous	..	1	6	7	..	24	24	1	6	7	1	30	31
Roxburgh	..	..	5	5	..	13	13	..	2	2	..	15	15
Sandon	3	4	9	16	8	37	45	8	4	12	16	41	57
Selwyn	..	..	1	1	..	3	3	..	..	....	..	3	3
St. Vincent	..	..	5	5	..	17	17	..	1	1	..	18	18
Townsend	2	1	4	7	3	11	14	..	1	1	3	12	15
Urana	..	1	1	2	..	2	2	..	..	....	..	2	2
Vernon	..	..	2	2	..	4	4	..	..	....	..	4	4
Waradgery	..	..	4	4	..	11	11	..	3	3	..	14	14
Wellesley	..	1	2	3	1	6	7	..	..	....	1	6	7
Wellington	2	3	13	18	6	44	50	2	5	7	8	49	57
Wentworth	..	..	1	1	..	4	4	..	1	1	..	5	5
Westmoreland	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	2	2
Wynyard	1	1	6	8	3	21	24	1	9	10	4	30	34
Yancowinna	..	..	13	13	..	28	28	..	2	2	..	30	30
Young	..	..	1	1	..	7	7	..	..	....	..	7	7
Total	90	80	786	956	335	2,292	2,627	232	410	642	567	2,702	3,269

No. 26.—Scholars in Private Schools and Colleges, 1898.

County.	Scholars.									Ages of Scholars on Roll.					
	On the Roll.			Boarders.		Day Scholars.		Average Attendance.		Under 6 years.		6 years and under 14.		14 years and over.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Argyle	438	546	984	51	73	387	473	331	478	43	77	315	392	80	77
Ashburnham	318	500	818	2	3	316	497	215	381	43	49	244	367	31	84
Auckland	134	195	329	..	24	134	171	112	172	21	23	84	134	29	38
Baradine	43	58	101	..	2	43	56	34	48	3	1	34	49	6	8
Bathurst	747	806	1,553	53	63	694	743	623	650	83	103	515	572	149	131
Benarba	8	7	15	..	..	8	7	5	5	1	..	7	7	..	..
Beresford	89	107	196	..	2	89	105	57	63	8	11	74	82	7	14
Bland	73	107	180	..	..	73	107	44	76	7	17	64	78	2	12
Bourke	30	32	62	..	..	30	32	23	26	4	1	26	25	..	6
Brisbane	167	232	399	4	1	163	231	134	192	20	24	140	184	7	24
Buckland	44	62	106	..	6	44	56	30	41	..	3	44	48	..	11
Buller	4	8	12	..	..	4	8	3	6	1	2	3	5	..	1
Cairn	28	54	82	..	..	28	54	18	34	4	11	23	32	1	11
Camden	500	628	1,128	5	71	495	557	383	457	42	47	389	491	69	90
Clarence	206	346	552	1	13	205	333	181	309	31	42	163	244	12	60
Clarendon	155	176	331	..	..	155	176	101	116	10	10	136	142	9	24
Clive	90	129	219	1	5	89	124	68	117	20	30	63	82	7	17
Clyde	38	26	64	..	3	38	23	24	20	6	..	30	24	2	2
Cook	222	150	372	97	21	125	129	182	128	15	18	131	119	76	13
Cooper	79	102	181	..	..	79	102	67	67	1	2	68	87	10	13
Courallie	24	36	60	..	..	24	36	19	22	4	1	20	32	..	3
Cowper	101	186	287	2	7	99	179	76	135	18	16	80	155	3	15
Cumberland	14,875	18,699	33,574	750	995	14,125	17,704	11,696	14,830	2,006	2,103	11,315	14,087	1,554	2,509
Cunningham	19	49	68	..	3	19	46	15	41	4	3	13	40	2	6
Dampier	58	75	133	..	6	58	69	37	72	3	4	52	56	3	15
Darling	6	12	18	..	..	6	12	4	8	..	..	6	10	..	2
Denison	27	32	59	..	..	27	32	23	24	1	..	26	31	..	1
Dudley	63	60	123	..	..	63	60	39	36	4	5	56	49	3	6
Durham	196	223	419	..	..	196	223	136	168	19	19	162	177	15	27
Gipps	70	79	149	..	..	70	79	49	57	10	5	56	68	4	6
Gloucester	108	152	260	..	2	108	150	75	117	11	15	94	120	3	17
Gough	214	285	499	..	6	214	279	179	241	37	17	162	224	15	44
Goulburn	283	410	693	4	70	279	340	206	308	26	43	229	306	28	61
Gowen	44	51	95	..	6	44	45	36	41	4	2	39	44	1	5
Harden	214	254	468	..	2	214	252	143	175	14	15	169	192	31	47
Hardinge	31	37	68	..	3	31	34	23	29	2	1	28	30	1	6
Hume	90	132	222	..	..	90	132	68	104	8	13	76	97	6	22
Hunter	6	8	14	..	3	6	5	4	7	..	..	6	4	..	4
Inglis	119	184	303	1	25	118	159	80	145	23	32	86	126	10	26
King	178	217	395	..	1	178	216	118	162	17	25	146	152	15	40
Leichhardt	61	123	184	..	11	61	112	37	73	12	9	42	85	7	29
Lincoln	191	234	425	..	1	191	233	119	175	4	8	151	172	36	54
Macquarie	11	24	35	..	..	11	24	8	16	1	3	10	20	..	1
Mitchell	15	14	29	..	..	15	14	13	13	5	4	10	10	..	..
Monteagle	197	239	436	..	1	197	238	109	181	56	62	126	136	15	41
Mouramba	43	62	105	..	..	43	62	38	43	11	12	28	44	4	6
Murchison	16	32	48	..	2	16	30	12	25	2	..	14	25	..	7
Murray	116	169	285	..	1	116	168	85	128	10	7	103	148	3	14
Nandewar	110	124	234	..	..	110	124	73	59	7	16	103	108	..	..
Narromine	47	57	104	..	..	47	57	39	40	4	5	39	40	4	12
Nicholson	48	63	111	..	8	48	55	39	55	9	11	36	40	3	12
Northumberland	1,610	1,706	3,316	32	109	1,578	1,597	1,271	1,322	203	221	1,267	1,299	140	186
Oxley	117	152	269	..	1	117	151	78	109	16	17	88	115	13	20
Phillip	51	66	117	..	..	51	66	39	50	..	5	45	41	6	20
Pottinger	64	88	152	..	10	64	78	48	61	3	9	55	63	6	16
Richmond	43	98	141	..	..	43	98	37	81	7	2	36	91	..	5
Robinson	121	140	261	..	..	121	140	74	78	14	13	102	118	5	9
Rous	227	352	579	..	12	227	340	193	289	48	50	145	196	34	106
Roxburgh	123	125	248	..	..	123	125	79	82	21	17	94	88	8	20
Sandon	397	474	871	64	57	333	417	300	393	22	18	301	372	74	84
Selwyn	23	26	49	..	..	23	26	16	19	1	1	22	24	..	1
St. Vincent	146	204	350	..	4	146	200	111	154	23	19	116	168	7	17
Townsend	109	139	248	..	18	109	121	82	102	7	6	91	117	11	16
Urana	26	48	74	..	..	26	48	20	38	2	..	23	41	1	7
Vernon	5	17	22	..	..	5	17	4	12	1	..	4	14	..	3
Waradgery	116	145	261	..	..	116	145	86	103	20	19	94	107	2	19
Wellesley	54	79	133	..	2	54	77	51	69	1	3	51	50	2	26
Wellington	492	666	1,158	2	13	490	653	393	542	30	39	427	516	35	111
Wentworth	49	45	94	..	4	49	41	34	31	6	7	41	28	2	10
Westmoreland	10	15	25	..	..	10	15	6	6	2	4	7	9	1	2
Wynyard	288	355	643	5	28	283	327	215	273	17	21	243	259	28	75
Yancowinna	680	776	1,456	..	..	680	776	509	597	91	73	556	645	33	58
Young	47	78	125	..	5	47	73	40	58	7	2	38	62	2	14
Total	25,792	32,387	58,179	1,074	1,703	24,718	30,684	19,969	25,385	3,237	3,473	19,882	24,415	2,673	4,499

No. 27.—Scholarships, Exhibitions, and Bursaries of Roman Catholic Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Founded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
St. Ignatius' College, Riverview.	Diocesan Scholarships (8) .. (founded by the late Archbishop Vaughan.)	1880	Each £45..	4 years	By appointment of the Cardinal Archbishop.
	Dunne Scholarship .. .. (founded by Very Rev. W. Dunne.)	1883	£60 ..	4 ,,	To Tasmanian boys by competition.
	Primary School Scholarship (3).	1893	£15 ..	3 ,,	At the annual examinations of the Primary Schools. Each of the winners also receives one of the Diocesan Scholarships.
	Young Scholarship	1888	£50 ..	3 ,,	By special examination.
St. Joseph's College, Hunter's Hill.	The Superior's Scholarship..	1893	£35 ..	3 ,,	By competitive examination.
St. Patrick's College, Goulburn.	Priests' Bursary	1886	£40 ..	1 year	By competitive examination in the parochial schools.
	Ex-Students' Bursary ..	1895	£40 ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
	College Bursaries (3) .	1895	£42 each ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
St. Joseph's, Burrowa.	Bursary for Boys	1895	£42 ..	3 years	By appointment of Dr. J. Donovan, LL.D., Q.C.
Christian Brothers' High School, Lewisham.	Scholarships (5)	1892	£8 8s. each.	3 ,,	By competitive examination.
Marist Brothers' High School, Woolloomooloo.	Scholarships (2) ..	1887 1889	£10 ..	3 ,,	,, ,,

Roman Catholic School Prizes.—With a view to promote the efficiency of the Roman Catholic Schools of the Archdiocese of Sydney, a number of scholarships, money prizes (ranging from £1 to £5), and silver medals are awarded annually by the Cardinal Archbishop to the 16 candidates obtaining the highest marks in aggregate merit. The winners of scholarships are entitled to free education for one year at some selected Roman Catholic College or High School.

No. 28.—Scholarships and Exhibitions of Church of England Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Founded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
The King's School, Parramatta.	Broughton and Forrest Exhibitions (2).		£100 each..	4 years	By examination.
	Burton Exhibition		£40 ..	3 ,,	,,
	Broughton Scholarship		£25 ..	2 ,,	,,
	Burton Scholarships (3)		£25 each ..	2 ,,	,,
	Macarthur Scholarship		£25 ..	2 ,,	,,
	Clerical Exhibitions (6)		£25 each ..	While at School.	Upon nomination by Archbishop.
Church of England Grammar School, North Sydney.	Exhibitions (2)	1894	£18 16s. each	3 years	By examination, to boys (under 14 years of age) of Church of England Primary Day Schools.
Clergy Daughters' School, Waverley.	Sydney Scholarship	1884	£26 5s. ..	2 ,,	By competitive examination.
	Special Scholarship	1890	£26 5s. ..	1 year	,, ,,
	,, ,, ...	1890	£12 12s. ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
St. Andrew's Cathedral Choir School.	Maria Logan Exhibition ..	1894	£2 10s. ..	1 ,,	,, ,,
All Saints College, Bathurst.	Elder Scholarships (2) ..	1898	£12 10s. each	No limit	By examination.

No. 29.—Scholarships and Prizes of Presbyterian Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Founded	Value per annum.	Tenable for —	How awarded.
Cooerwull Academy, Bowenfels.	Brown Exhibitions (2) ..	1882	£52 10s. each	During good behaviour.	By nomination.
Presbyterian Ladies' College, Croydon.	Stewart Bursaries (3) ..	1889	£25 each ..	3 years	By Council of St. Andrew's College.
Scots' College, Double Bay.	Scholarships (3)	1897	£90 each ..	3 ,,	By competitive examination.
	Exhibition	1897	£10 ..	4 ,,	,, ,,

No. 30.—Scholarships and Bursaries of Wesleyan Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Founded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
Newington College, Stanmore.	Wigram Allen Scholarships (3).	1883	£16 16s. each	1 year	By examination.
	Schofield Scholarship ..	1881	£50 ..	1 ,,	,,
Burwood Ladies' College, Burwood.	Scholarship	1890	£8 8s. ..	2 years	By results of Junior University Examination.
	Bursaries (3)—Boarders' ..	1892	£30 each ..	2 ,,	By examination; for pupils of limited means.
	Bursary—Day Scholars ..	1892	£6 6s. ..	2 ,,	

No. 31.—Scholarships, Exhibitions, and Bursaries of Undenominational Schools.

School or College.	Name.	Founded.	Value per annum.	Tenable for—	How awarded.
Linwood School, Marrickville.	Painting Scholarship ..	1896	£8 8s. ..	1 year	By examination.

Other Prizes.—In addition to the above, gold or silver medals and book prizes are awarded annually in the Private Colleges and Schools.

No. 32.—Sydney Grammar School.

TEACHERS, SCHOLARS, &C., 1898.

Teachers and Scholars.	No.	Income.	£	Expenditure.	£
Teachers	18	Statutory Endowment ..	1,500	Salaries and Allowances ..	8,092
Scholars—		School fees	7,853	Other	1,034
Total enrolment	587	Other sources (Special Prizes)	133	Total	9,126
Average quarterly enrolment ..	466			Cost per head—	£ s. d.
,, daily attendance ..	431	Total	9,486	Of average attendance ..	21 3 6¼
				To the State	3 9 7¼

SPECIAL ANNUAL PRIZES.

Name of Prize.	Amount.	Name of Prize.	Amount.
Edward Knox	Interest on £250.	Sir George Wigram Allen	Interest on £200.
George Knox	,, £50.	Citizens' Prizes for Modern Languages	,, £525.

EXHIBITIONS.

Name of Exhibition.	Amount.	Name of Exhibition.	Amount.
The Salting Exhibition	Interest on £500.	R. A. A. Morehead Exhibitions (2) ..	Interest on £1,000.

NOTE.—These Exhibitions are for students proceeding to the University.

The Sydney Grammar School was incorporated by Act of Parliament, December, 1854, and was established for conferring on all classes and denominations of British subjects resident in the Colony the advantages of a regular and liberal course of education.

The Trustees of the school are 12 in number, of whom 6 shall be persons holding the offices of Colonial Secretary, Attorney-General, Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Chancellor of the University of Sydney, principal Classical Professor, and Mathematical Professor of the University, and the other 6 shall be laymen not holding offices under the Government or the University.

The Act authorised the payment of £20,000 for erection of school buildings and Head-master's residence, and an annual endowment of £1,500.

The school was opened 3rd August, 1857.

No. 33.—Public Examinations—Successful Candidates, 1894–98.

Schools at which Candidates were prepared.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior
New South Wales—										
Sydney Grammar School	5	29	8	26	8	28	13	30	15	32
„ High School—Boys ..	2	34	3	29	2	25	7	29	5	18
„ „ „ Girls ..	4	27	5	19	6	29	5	28	4	19
Maitland „ „ Boys ...	...	12	2	10	3	15	...	10	2	14
„ „ „ Girls ...	1	4	1	7	2	11	...	8	1	6
Bathurst „ „ „ ...	...	4	...	8	...	3	...	1	...	...
Model Public School, Fort-street ...	...	54	...	41	6	71	3	67	4	50
Other Public Schools	7	196	4	250	...	269	1	191	...	129
Roman Catholic Colleges and Schools	15	140	19	124	18	163	15	126	11	89
Other Private Colleges and Schools	38	208	31	223	31	234	36	220	28	205
Queensland—Students	31	116	39	107	32	103	21	149	26	136
Total	103	824	112	844	108	951	101	859	96	698

Senior and Junior Public Examinations.—In connection with the Sydney University two Public Examinations, termed respectively the Senior and Junior, are held annually at Sydney and a number of local centres, including Brisbane and other towns in Queensland. These Examinations are open to all candidates, male or female, who may present themselves. The University Professors, together with such other persons as the Senate may appoint, form the Board for conducting these Examinations. The amount of Candidates' Fees received during 1898 was £1,240.

No. 34.—Candidates qualified for Matriculation at Senior and Junior Examinations, 1894–98.

Schools at which Candidates were prepared.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Senior	Junior
New South Wales—										
Sydney Grammar School	5	17	4	19	4	14	7	16	12	17
„ High School—Boys ...	1	16	1	13	1	13	7	14	5	12
„ „ „ Girls ...	...	2	3	4	1	6	3	6	1	1
Maitland „ „ Boys ..	...	8	2	4	3	3	...	4	2	3
„ „ „ Girls ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...
Bathurst „ „ „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Model Public School, Fort-street ...	...	...	...	1	3	15	3	11	3	4
Other Public Schools	...	11	1	3	...	10	...	3	...	1
Roman Catholic Colleges and Schools	5	12	8	14	2	25	9	19	4	10
Other Private Colleges and Schools	10	27	9	35	5	24	4	36	9	19
Queensland—Students	11	28	11	24	14	23	13	26	11	16
Total	32	121	39	117	33	135	46	137	47	83

No. 35.—Number of each Sex Examined and Passed at Public Examinations, 1892–98.

Year.	Senior Examination.						Junior Examination.					
	Examined.			Passed.			Examined.			Passed.		
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
1892	104	69	173	77	57	134	1,409	723	2,132	990	477	1,467
1893	119	57	176	83	44	127	1,273	580	1,853	627	294	921
1894	84	53	137	64	39	103	1,012	482	1,494	550	274	824
1895	86	56	142	72	40	112	952	446	1,398	576	271	847
1896	77	65	142	59	49	108	973	508	1,481	633	332	965
1897	79	40	119	70	31	101	904	567	1,471	530	329	859
1898	70	40	110	60	36	96	679	400	1,079	461	237	698

No. 36.—Prizes at Public Examinations.

SENIOR EXAMINATION.

Founded.	Name of Prize.	Value.	How awarded.
1872	John Fairfax	£20	For General proficiency among Female Candidates.
1874	John West	£10	For General Proficiency.
1891	Grahame Medal ...	£5	,, ,,
.....	University Silver Medals	10s.	For Highest Proficient.

JUNIOR EXAMINATION.

Founded.	Name of Prize.	Value.	How awarded.
1872	John Fairfax	£10	For General Proficiency among Female Candidates.
.....	University Silver Medals	10s. each	For Highest Proficient in individual sections.
.....	University	£5	For General Proficiency among Male Candidates.

J. B. Watt Exhibitions.—Founded in 1876 by a gift of £1,000 from the Hon. J. B. Watt, and two subsequent gifts of £1,000 each in 1888 and 1889. The Exhibitions, which are awarded on the Bursary system, are tenable for three years, and entitle the holders to £30 for the first year, £40 for the second, and £50 for the third. The candidates must have passed with special credit either the Senior or Junior Examination.

No. 37.—Law Matriculation Examinations, 1892–98.

Year.	Law Matriculation Examination.		Year.	Law Matriculation Examination.	
	Examined.	Passed.		Examined.	Passed.
	No.	No		No.	No.
1892	77	35	1896	36	21
1893	52	32	1897	34	12
1894	50	26	1898	29	15
1895	37	24			

Law Matriculation.—Persons desirous of entering into articles of clerkship with Attorneys, and who have not taken a University Degree, or passed the preliminary examination required in England, Scotland, and Ireland, are required to pass a preliminary examination (law matriculation), which is similar and equal to that prescribed for ordinary matriculation. Clerks, after having entered into articles, are also required to pass two intermediate examinations in History and Law respectively. These examinations are conducted by a Board appointed by the Supreme Court.

No. 38.—Public Service Examinations, 1897–99.

Date of Examination.	Candidates examined.	Vacancies.	Successful Candidates.
27th January, 1897	141	25	17
28th June, 1897	218	50	37
21st December, 1897	131	25	29
27th June, 1898	265	50	47
26th March, 1899	221	50	50

The first examination for junior clerks was held on 27th January, 1897. Candidates must be not less than 16 nor more than 21 years of age on the first day fixed for the examination, and must have resided in the Colony at least three years at date of application. Every candidate must forward to the Board within a prescribed time an application in his own handwriting, containing his full name, age, and address, and on his passing the examination a properly certified extract from some official register of births, or other satisfactory evidence as to age. He must in his application name two responsible persons to whom reference can be made as to character. A fee of 10s. must be paid into the Treasury before the candidate is allowed to sit for examination. Candidates are examined in the following subjects:—(1) Handwriting; (2) English (Dictation); (3) English (Composition); (4) Arithmetic; (5) Geometry; (6) Geography; (7) English History; but are allowed to take two of the following optional subjects:—(*a*) Mathematics; (*b*) English (a prescribed author, the same as that prescribed for the Junior Examination of the current year); (*c*) Latin; (*d*) French; (*e*) German; (*f*) Elementary Chemistry; (*g*) Elementary Geology. A minimum of 1,500 marks must be obtained, otherwise the candidate fails, and 60 per cent. of the full marks obtainable must be secured in Handwriting, English (Dictation), English (Composition), and Arithmetic. Failure to reach the percentage in the specially prescribed subjects is fatal.

The number of vacancies to be filled during the year is advertised. Up to the 26th March, 1899, of the 130 boys who passed the examinations 127 have been appointed to the Service, and 3 failed to pass the necessary medical examination. After admission to the Public Service, successful candidates are on probation only, and such probationary position is for a period of not less than six months.

No. 39.—University of Sydney: Professors and Students, 1892-98.

Year.	Professors and Lecturers.	*Matriculated Students.	Students.			
			Attending Lectures. Matriculated and Non-matriculated.			Average attendance at Extension Lectures.
			Males.	Females.	Total.	
1892	44	540	499	99	598	571
1893	48	539	478	108	586	517
1894	47	522	482	110	592	934
1895	47	487	415	91	506	727
1896	48	438	379	75	454	548
1897	48	424	370	85	455	376
1898	49	434	401	64	465	†

* Including those attending lectures.

† Lectures were not held in New South Wales during 1898. The Return from Queensland is outstanding.

Incorporation and Endowment.—The University of Sydney was incorporated in 1850, and endowed with an annual income of £5,000. It is empowered to confer, after examination, degrees in arts, law, and medicine. Graduates of Sydney rank equally with graduates of British Universities.

Under the Act of 1884 degrees in all branches of knowledge except theology and divinity are granted, and all University privileges are extended to women.

Senate.—The government of the University is vested in a Senate, consisting of 16 elected and not more than 6 *ex officio* members, being Professors of the University. The Senate elects from its members a Chancellor, who holds office for three years, and a Vice-Chancellor, who is elected annually.

Faculties.—There are four Faculties: Arts, Law, Medicine, and Science. A Dean is appointed by the Senate to each Faculty from time to time for a term not exceeding two years. There is also a Department of Engineering.

Professors.—During 1898 there were on the University Staff 14 Professors and 35 Lecturers and Demonstrators; of these, 7 of the former and 3 of the latter were paid out of the "Challis" Fund.

No. 40.—University of Sydney: Students attending Lectures in the various Faculties, 1898.

Faculty of—								Department of Engineering.		Total.		
Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.						
Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
158	51	33	1	144	10	25	2	41	...	401	64	465

No. 41.—University of Sydney: Matriculated Students, 1892-98.

Year.	Ordinary Matriculation Examination.	Entrance Examination for Law, Medicine, Science, &c.	Matriculations at Public Examinations.		Total qualified for admission to University (exclusive of Law Matriculation).	Number actually admitted to University.
			Senior.	Junior.		
1892	124	7	22	118	271	128
1893	131	10	38	99	278	147
1894	125	9	32	121	287	118
1895	117	16	39	118	290	103
1896	96	10	33	135	274	82
1897	87	8	46	138	279	97
1898	75	8	47	83	213	106

Matriculation Examinations.—The Ordinary Matriculation Examination, Matriculation at Junior Public Examination, and Law Matriculation Examination are of an equal standard, and admit intending students to the Arts course. The Entrance Examination for Law, Medicine, Science and Engineering, and Matriculation at Senior Public Examination are considered equal, and admit intending students to the Law, Medicine, Science, and Engineering courses as well as to the Arts course.

No. 42.—University of Sydney: Undergraduates' Examinations, 1892–98.

Year.	Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.		Engineering.	
	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.
1892	296	232	18	16	66	41	9	8	15	12
1893	310	238	27	18	88	66	10	8	18	15
1894	305	231	29	25	99	79	7	4	22	18
1895	287	227	26	19	100	82	3	2	26	24
1896	209	161	25	19	117	96	5	5	27	21
1897	173	147	18	15	131	111	6	6	29	24
1898	163	136	24	19	138	103	6	5	23	17

No. 43.—University of Sydney: Undergraduates' Examinations, 1898.

Students examined during 1897–8 in—	Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.		Engineering.	
	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.	Examined.	Passed.
First Year's Course ...	71	57	...	...	25	19	1	1	9	7
Second Year's „ ...	45	37	...	...	38	25	2	1	9	5
Third Year's „ ...	47	42	...	...	23	16	3	3	5	5
Fourth Year's „ ...	...	...	14	12	29	21	...	...	...	...
Fifth Year's „ ...	...	...	10	7	23	22	...	...	...	...
Total... ...	163	136	24	19	138	103	6	5	23	17

Faculty of Law.—The curriculum of study for degrees in Law is two years in Arts and three years in Law, or three years in Arts and two in Law, or five years in Law.

Faculties of Medicine and Science, and Department of Engineering.—An undergraduate taking up Medicine, Science, or Engineering must go through the first year in Arts, or have passed the entrance examination.

Department of Mining.—A Department of Mining and Metallurgy was established during 1892.

No. 44.—University of Sydney: Degrees conferred since Foundation.

Year.	Arts.						Law.						Medicine.									Science.			Engineering.		Total.		
	M.A.			B.A.			LL.D.			LL.B.			M.D.			M.B.			Ch.M.			B.Sc.			M.E.	B.E.			
	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	F.	Tl.	M.	M.	M.	F.	Tl.
1856 to 1886	198	..	198	360	3	363	19	..	19	20	..	20	26	..	26	14	..	14	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	5	644	3	647
1887	5	1	6	20	4	24	2	..	2	2	..	2	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	36	5	41
1888	5	..	5	18	1	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	8	..	8	6	..	6	1	1	2	..	3	43	2	45
1889	6	2	8	28	2	30	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	7	..	7	6	..	6	1	..	1	..	3	52	4	56
1890	6	..	6	38	5	43	1	..	1	2	..	2	1	..	1	9	..	9	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	65	5	70
1891	5	2	7	28	7	35	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	6	..	6	1	..	1	..	3	49	9	58
1892	5	4	9	41	2	43	1	..	1	4	..	4	2	..	2	13	..	13	13	..	13	..	..	..	1	4	84	6	90
1893	3	..	3	69	15	84	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..	10	2	12	6	2	8	5	..	5	..	2	101	19	120
1894	2	..	2	65	15	80	..	..	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	11	..	11	11	..	11	5	1	6	1	4	107	16	123
1895	4	2	6	44	28	72	..	..	..	8	..	8	2	..	2	9	..	9	6	..	6	2	..	2	..	9	84	30	114
1896	6	..	6	39	19	58	..	..	..	7	..	7	2	..	2	17	..	17	11	..	11	1	..	1	1	5	89	19	108
1897	3	..	3	31	16	47	..	..	..	7	..	7	1	..	1	11	..	11	8	..	8	1	1	2	..	9	71	17	88
1898	2	2	4	24	20	44	..	..	..	7	..	7	..	..	..	18	4	22	13	4	17	2	2	4	..	5	71	32	103
Total	250	13	263	805	137	942	23	..	23	71	..	71	38	..	38	135	6	141	94	6	100	25	5	30	3	52	1,496	167	1,663

Degrees.—The curriculum of study for the B.A. degree is three years, and the M.A. degree cannot be obtained till two years after the former has been conferred. The curriculum of study for the LL.B. degree is five years, of which the first two are in the Faculty of Arts. The course of study for the degrees of M.B. and Ch.M. is five years. The course of study for the B.Sc. degree extends over a period of three years. The degrees of B.E. and M.E. are also given in the four branches of Engineering, viz., Civil, Mechanical, Mining, and Electrical Engineering. Candidates for these degrees receive instruction for a period of three years.

Ad Eundem Degrees.—Act 44 Vic. No. 22 empowers the Senate to confer *ad eundem gradum* degrees on graduates of other recognised Universities.

N.S.W. Medical Degrees.—Under an Order made by Her Majesty, with the advice of the Privy Council, as notified in the *Government Gazette* of 6th June, 1890, the second part of the British Medical Act of 1886 is made to apply to New South Wales. Holders of the degrees of M.D., M.B., and Ch.M., conferred by the Sydney University, are consequently recognised and may be registered in the United Kingdom in the same way as holders of similar degrees, conferred by a British University, are registered in New South Wales.

No. 45.—University of Sydney: Extension Lectures, 1892–98.

Year.	Number of Courses of Lectures given in—				Average Attendance.	Number of Students who Passed concluding Examination.
	New South Wales.			Queensland.		
	Sydney.	Suburbs.	Country.			
1892	3	3	1	.....	571	90
1893	2	3	2	3	517	36
1894	1	3	9	7	934	72
1895	1	3	10	6	727	52
1896	.....	2	8	5	548	21
1897	.....	.....	7	7	376	30
1898	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	*	*	*

* The return from Queensland has not yet been received.

University Extension Lectures.—The University Extension Lectures were inaugurated in 1886, since which year lectures have been given annually in various centres of New South Wales, and from 1893 in Queensland. A Board not exceeding 18 members is appointed annually. Not less than 4 of these must be members of the Senate, and a similar number members of the teaching staff. Each course consists of six or ten lectures, and concludes with an examination of those who have attended the lectures. Certificates are awarded to the successful students. A few short courses of three lectures are given, with no concluding examination.

No. 46.—University of Sydney: Receipts and Disbursements, 1892–98.

Year.	Receipts.					Disbursements.			
	Government Aid.	University Fees.	From Private Foundations, including Challis bequest.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries, including those paid out of Challis bequest.	Private Foundations, including Challis bequest.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1892	18,100	7,647	11,650	193	37,590	26,777	3,736	9,570	40,083
1893	18,695	7,912	11,744	177	38,528	27,470	2,831	9,468	39,769
1894	13,200	7,700	12,416	174	33,490	26,120	3,681	3,738	33,539
1895	11,500	8,445	11,320	142	31,407	25,328	2,704	3,529	31,561
1896	11,400	8,171	11,758	165	31,494	25,620	3,006	2,931	31,557
1897	11,000	7,899	12,866	259	32,024	26,504	4,264	2,019	32,787
1898	11,200	7,379	13,829	155	32,563	26,627	4,189	2,053	32,869

Finance.—The supervision of the financial affairs of the University is, subject to the direction and control of the Senate, entrusted to a Finance Committee consisting of the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and four elected Fellows.

"Challis" Fund.—In 1880 the late Mr. J. H. Challis bequeathed his whole estate to the University, which, under the terms of the will, was transferred to that institution in September, 1889. The assets in Australia and England amounted to £268,224. The Senate has decided that the Fund shall be applied as permanent provision of income for educational uses. Through the agency of the Fund seven "Challis" Professorships and five "Challis" Lectureships have been established.

Other Foundations.—There are also the "Hovell" Lectureship, £6,000; the "Wentworth" Travelling Fellowship, now amounting to £1,980; and the Curatorship of the "Macleay" Museum, £6,000. In 1896 the University received a donation of £50,000 from Mr. P. N. Russell, to endow the Department of Engineering.

University Museums.—The "Nicholson" Museum of Antiquities, the "Macleay" Museum of Natural History, and the Museum of Normal and Morbid Anatomy, attached to the University, are accessible to the public under certain regulations.

No. 47.—University of Sydney: Scholarships, Exhibitions, Prizes, and Medals.

Scholarships.

Founded.	Name.	Amount.	Tenable for—	How Awarded.
		£	years.	
	Awarded at the Matriculation Examination.			
1853	Barker Scholarship, No. II ..	50	1	For mathematics.
1857	Cooper Scholarship, No. II ..	50	1	For classics.
1864	Lithgow Scholarship	50	1	For French and German.
1877	Bowman-Cameron Scholarship	50	3	For general proficiency.
1878	Aitken Scholarship	50	1	For general proficiency.
1880	Freemason's Scholarship ..	50	3	For general proficiency. (Open only to sons of Freemasons of the U.G.L. of N.S.W.)
1889	Council of Education	..	3	For general proficiency. (To be open only to sons of teachers, or officers in the Department of Public Instruction. Not yet operative. The fund in April, 1896, amounted to £395.)
	Awarded at the First Year Examination.			
1851	Levey Scholarship	40	1	For chemistry and physics.
1857	Cooper Scholarship, No. III ..	50	1	For classics.
1877	George Allen Scholarship ..	50	1	For mathematics.
1898	Garton Scholarship	30	1	For French and German.
	Awarded at the Second Year Examination.			
1853	Barker Scholarship, No. I ..	50	1	For mathematics.
1854	Deas-Thomson Scholarship ..	50	1	For chemistry and physics.
1854	Deas-Thomson Geology Scholarship.	50	1	For geology.
1857	Cooper Scholarship, No. I ..	50	1	For classics.
1886	Caird Scholarship	50	1	For chemistry and physics.
1898	Garton Scholarship	30	1	For French and German.
	Awarded in the Faculty of Law.			
1867 } 1883 }	Wigram Allen Scholarship ..	50	1	For general proficiency at the intermediate law examination.
	Awarded in the Faculty of Medicine.			
1877	Renwick Scholarship	50	1	For proficiency in the subjects of the first year examination in medicine.
1887	John Harris Scholarship ..	40	1	For proficiency in the subjects of anatomy and physiology in the third year examination in medicine.
	Awarded in the Department of Engineering.			
1897	Peter Nicol Russell Scholarship.	90	3	Awarded after competitive examination in the month of November. The holder must pass through the curriculum in Mechanical Engineering.
	Tenable by Graduates.			
1888	James King Travelling Scholarship.	150	2	On advice of the Professors, Sydney University, to graduate of not more than four years' standing. Holder to prosecute his studies at places approved by Senate.
1890	Frazer Scholarship	80	*..	To students qualified for the B.A. degree, on result of the third year examination in history, &c.
1897	Woolley Scholarship	150	2	On advice of Professors in literature, philosophy, and history, to graduate of not more than four years' standing. Holder to prosecute his studies at a place approved by the Senate.

* One half payable at time of award, the second half on passing examination qualifying for M.A. degree (with Honours in History), or on having pursued for one year some other course of historical study to the satisfaction of the Senate.

..	Science Scholarship of H.M. Commissioners for the Exhibition of 1851.	150	2	Open to students of three years' standing, for the study of any branch of science with a view to developing the manufactures and industries of the country.

Woolley Scholarships.

In 1893 the University of Sydney became entitled to about £8,000, under the will of the late Mr. Edwin Dalton, in commemoration of the late Dr. Woolley. This bequest is subject to an annuity of £75, and the regulations for the award of a scholarship or scholarships have not yet been made.

Exhibitions.

	Awarded at Matriculation Examination.			
1858	Salting Exhibition	25	3	On recommendation of Sydney Grammar School Trustees.
1889	Horner Exhibition	8	1	For mathematics.
	Awarded at First Year Examination.			
1883	Struth Exhibition	50	4	To assist students in obtaining a Degree in the Faculty of Medicine.

Scholarships and Exhibitions.—These have been founded chiefly by private benefactors as rewards for proficiency, and for the purpose of placing the advantages of a University education within the reach of students who might, through the want of financial means, be excluded from participation in them. They are awarded only when candidates exhibit a degree of proficiency satisfactory to the Examiners. No undergraduate may hold more than two scholarships at one time.

No. 47.—University of Sydney: Scholarships, Exhibitions, Prizes, and Medals—(*continued*).

PRIZES AND MEDALS.

Founded.	Name.	Amount.	How Awarded.
		£	
	AWARDED AT FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION.		
1885	Smith Prize..	5	For experimental physics.
1886	Slade Prizes (2)	5 each	For practical chemistry and practical physics respectively.
1892	Collie Prize	4	For botany.
	AWARDED AT SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION.		
1886	Norbert Quirk Prize	6	For mathematics.
	AWARDED AT EACH DEGREE EXAMINATION.		
..	Bronze Medals	..	To the highest proficients in the various degree examinations.
	OPEN TO GRADUATES AND UNDERGRADUATES.		
1854	Wentworth Medals (2)	10 each	For best English essays, written respectively by undergraduates and Bachelors of Arts of not more than three years' standing.
1867	Nicholson Medal	10	For Latin verse. Open to all undergraduates, and graduates of not more than three years' standing.
1870	Belmore Medal	15	For geology and practical chemistry, with special reference to agriculture. Open to all members of the University of two and under five years' standing, not being M's. A.
..	University Prize	10	For English verse. Open to all undergraduates and Bachelors of Arts of not more than two years' standing.
..	Professor Anderson's Medal	10	For essay on philosophical subject. Open to all Bachelors of Arts of not more than two years' standing.

University Prizes.—Prizes and medals in value up to £20 each are given annually by the University to students who exhibit the greatest proficiency at various Examinations, and to the most distinguished candidates in the Honour Examinations for different Degrees.

Private Prizes.—Prizes for proficiency in different subjects are awarded annually, ranging in value from £2 2s. to £10, by the various Professors.

Military Commission.—A commission in the British Army is offered annually to a student of the Sydney University under certain conditions which may be seen in the Calendar of the University of Sydney.

No. 48.—University of Sydney: Bursaries.

Founded	Name.	Amount.	How awarded.
		£	
1874	Maurice Alexander	50	By Senate.
1876	John Ewan Frazer	50	
1876	Ernest Manson Frazer	50	
1876	William Charles Wentworth, No. 1 ..	50	
1876	William Charles Wentworth, No. 2 ..	50	
1876	Burdekin	50	
1876	Hunter-Baillie, No. 1	50	
1877	Hunter Baillie, No. 2	50	For sons of ministers of religion.
1879	Levey and Alexander. (Tenable for 3 years.)	50	Open to graduates desirous of entering a profession, but not having the necessary means. The Senate may at discretion pay the £150 in one amount.
1881	Walker (4)	50 each.	Not more than one half of these Bursaries are applicable to female students.
1881	Walker (1)		
1886	William Charles Wentworth, No. 3 ..	....	From accumulations from No. 2 Bursary, in accordance with the will of the founder. These amounted in December, 1898, to £928; when the sum of £1,500 shall have been reached, No. 3 Bursary, with a capital fund of £1,000, will become operative, and the balance of £500 will accumulate to form No. 4.

Bursaries.—Bursaries are only conferred when satisfactory proof is produced that the means of the candidate, or of his parents or guardians, are insufficient to enable him to attend the University without such assistance. There are fourteen at the disposal of the University. These have all been created (on the initiation of the late Dr. Badham, when Professor of Classics) by private foundations, at a cost of £1,000 each, together with a margin in some cases to ensure prescribed annual awards amounting to £50. They are helped, on the part of the Senate, by an accompanying exemption from all lecture fees and the fee for matriculation. Women are eligible for not more than one half of the five bursaries, founded in 1881, by the late Mr. Thomas Walker, of Yaralla, Concord.

Public School—University Bursaries.—Ten other bursaries have been created by the Government in connection with the Public School system, but the University is not concerned in their award, although the Senate has conceded to the holders a similar exemption from fees. For information relating to these Bursaries, see note to Table No. 7.

No. 49.—Affiliated Colleges: Fellows and Members, 1898.

College.	Denomination.	Incorporated.	Fellows or Councillors.	Members.							
				Arts.		Law.		Medicine.		Science.	Engineering.
				M.A.	B.A.	LL.D.	LL.B.	M.D.	M.B. & Ch.M.	B.Sc.	B.E.
St. Paul's	Church of England	1854	18	26	73	....	7	2	11	3	2
St. John's	Roman Catholic	1857	18	13	49	1	5	1	4	1	....
St. Andrew's	Presbyterian	1867	12	18	68	....	3	....	10	....	3
Women's	Undenominational	1889	14	....	12	....	....	....	....	1	....

Affiliated Colleges.—In 1854 an Act was passed (18 Vic. No. 37) to provide for the establishment of Colleges in connection with different denominations. Under the provisions of this Act Colleges in connection with the Church of England, the Roman Catholic Church, and Presbyterian Church of N.S.W. have been established, and also a College for Women, which is not attached to any religious denomination.

No. 50.—Affiliated Colleges: Principals, Students, &c., 1898.

College.	Principals and Lecturers.	Students Resident.	Receipts.					Disbursements.			
			Government Aid.	College Fees.	Scholarship Fund.	Other.	Total.	Salary of Principal.	Scholarship Fund.	Other.	Total.
	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
St. Paul's	3	16	500	1,187	125	29	1,841	651	119	1,130	1,900
St. John's	4	15	500	605	84	....	1,189	500	84	580	1,164
St. Andrew's	2	20	500	1,300	706	....	2,506	500	787	1,432	2,719
Women's	1	13	500	829	114	9	1,452	500	114	838	1,452

No. 51.—Affiliated Colleges: Scholarships, &c.

Name.	Amount.	Tenable for—
St. Paul's (Church of England).		
Edward Aspinall Scholarship	Interest on £500	1 year.
Kemp Scholarship	Interest on £400	1 ,,
Augusta Priddle Memorial Scholarship	Interest on £600	3 years.
Starling Scholarships	Interest on £1,100	3 ,,
Henry William Abbott Scholarship	Interest on £1,000	3 ,,
Mitchell Prize	Books to value of £6	.....
A Prize of Books is given by the Council to the student who shows the greatest proficiency in the College Divinity Examination.		
St. John's (Roman Catholic).		
O'Connell Scholarship	£42	1 year.
Dunne ,,	£42	1 ,,
St. Andrew's (Presbyterian).		
Bowman Scholarship	Interest on £1,000	1 year.
Frazer ,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
Gordon ,,	Interest on £1,000	1 ,,
Lawson ,,	Interest on £1,513 (Bank shares)	1 ,,
Struth ,,	Interest on £1,000	3 years.
Horn (3) ,,	Each one-third interest on 80 shares in the Australian Gas Light Company	3 ,,
Coutts ,,	Interest on £1,000	1 year.
Stewart (3) ,,	Interest on property of late Rev. Colin Stewart	3 years
Cooerwull ,,	£25	1 year.
Annual prizes are given for General Excellence (the Dean Prize), and (the Jarvie Hood Prize) £10, to the student who obtains the highest marks at the first year examination in Medicine.		
Women's (Undenominational).		
Grace Frazer Scholarship	£30	1 year.
Yaralla Scholarship	£50	1 ,,
Councillors' Scholarship	£25*	1 ,,

* Awarded to the student who shows evidence of the highest attainments, provided that she prove she cannot, without such assistance, pay the expenses of residence in the College.

Faculty of Medicine—Hospitals.—Prince Alfred Hospital was constituted a General Hospital and Medical School for the instruction of students attending the Sydney University. The Chancellor of the University and the Dean of the Faculty of Medicine are Directors *ex officio*. Other Hospitals recognised by the University as places where study may be carried on in connection with the Faculty of Medicine are Sydney Hospital, St. Vincent's, the Benevolent Asylum, Hospital for Sick Children, and the Gladesville and Callan Park Hospitals for the Insane.

No. 52.—Technical Education.—Classes in Technical Schools, 1898.

Classes.	Enrolment.			Classes.	Enrolment.		
	Metropolitan.	Country	Total.		Metropolitan.	Country	Total.
Classes fully recognised.				*Classes fully recognised—cont.*			
Geology	84	65	149	Applied mechanics	60	26	86
Metallurgy	...	28	28	Book-keeping	...	69	69
Mineralogy	58	40	98	Art Classes—			
Mine Surveying	...	41	41	Drawing...	...	966	966
Coal-mining	...	108	108	Freehand drawing ...	286	...	286
Mining (metalliferous) ...	44	...	44	Model ,, ...	161	...	161
Architecture	58	22	80	Perspective ,, ...	31	...	31
Building construction ...	17	14	31	Antique ,, ...	31	...	31
Quantity surveying ...	13	...	13	Life ,, ...	34	...	34
Design	32	...	32	Still life ,, ...	28	...	28
Carpentry, joinery, lathe, &c.	209	274	483	Plant ,, ...	26	...	26
Sign-writing and Art decoration	53	...	53	Black and White ...	9	...	9
House-painting	43	...	43	Mechanical ,, ..	335	100	435
Plumbing, practical ...	185	43	228	Geometrical ,, ...	66	...	66
,, sanitary... ...	61	...	61	China painting	32	...	32
Engineering, sanitary ...	41	...	41	Modelling in clay ...	49	28	77
,, electrical ...	126	...	126	Plaster casting	27	...	27
,, steam and steam-engine	...	23	23	Sketching	8	...	8
Fitting and turning ...	245	...	245	Lithography and photo-lithography ...	62	...	62
Pattern-making	52	...	52	Cookery	121	...	121
Iron-founding	28	...	28	Domestic economy	10	...	10
Boiler-making	42	18	60	Slide rule	21	...	21
Blacksmithing	49	...	49	Starching and ironing ...	39	...	39
Farriery	15	...	15	Shorthand	...	19	19
Veterinary science	27	...	27	Wood carving	14	...	14
Chemistry, practical ...	85	192	339	Total	3,756	2,323	6,079
,, theoretical ...	62						
,, Pharmaceutical..	21	...	21	*Classes (on Fees only).*			
Pharmacy & Vet. Pharmacy	34	...	34	Dress-drafting ...	139	99	238
Materia Medica	15	...	15	Dress-cutting ...			
Dispensing	19	...	19	Dressmaking ...			
Physics	154	20	174	Millinery	15	...	15
Botany	33	10	43	Typewriting	...	15	15
Agriculture (afternoon) ...	14	61	183	Caligraphy	...	29	29
,, elementary ...	66			Book-keeping	116	62	178
,, advanced ...	42			Phonography	...	494	494
Sheep and wool	71	...	71	Physiology	26	...	26
Wool-sorting	56	...	56				
Mathematics	117	107	224	Total	296	699	995
Assaying	35	47	82				
Physiology	...	2	2	TOTAL... ...	4,052	3,022	7,074

Establishment of Technical Education.—Classes for Technical Education were first established at the Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts in 1865. The Working Men's College was started in 1873. In 1878 a sum of £2,000 was granted by Parliament for the organisation of the Technical College, and for five years the classes were carried on at the institution named. In 1883 a Board was appointed by Government to take over the management, but towards the end of 1889 the Board was dissolved, and the Technical Colleges were placed under the control of the Minister of Public Instruction. The new Technical College at Ultimo was opened to students in January, 1892.

No. 53.—Technical Education.—Classes in State Schools, 1898.

Classes.	Enrolment.			Classes.	Enrolment.		
	Metropolitan.	Country	Total.		Metropolitan.	Country	Total.
Manual training	398	361	759	Art drawing	16	270	286
Physics	71	86	157	Chemistry	...	100	100
Physiography	...	142	142	Total	485	959	1,444
Total, All Schools					4,537	3,981	8,518

No. 54.—Teaching Staff at Technical Schools, 1898.

Lecturers in charge of Departments.	Resident Masters in charge of Branch Schools.	Salaried Teachers.	Assistant Teachers.	Unsalaried Teachers (Paid by Fees).	Total.
12	6	49	13	18	98

No. 55.—Technical College and Branches—Classes and Enrolment, 1898.

District.	Classes.	Total enrolled.	District.	Classes.	Total enrolled.
Sydney and Suburbs—			Country—*continued.*		
Technical College	68	4,052	Granville	7	219
Ashfield...	4	91	Lithgow	1	59
Cleveland-street School ...	1	37	Maitland, East and West ...	12	312
Fort street Public School ...	1	42	Minmi	3	60
Hunter's Hill	1	20	Morpeth and Hinton	1	27
Newtown	3	103	Newcastle	19	546
North Sydney	2	55	Raymond Terrace	1	19
Petersham	7	204	Seaham and Clarence Town ...	1	23
Surry Hills	2	78	Singleton	3	41
Sydney High School	1	11	Teralba	1	15
Waverley	3	45	Wallsend and West Wallsend	2	30
Total....	93	4,738	Total	95	2,336
Country—			SUMMARY—		
Armidale	4	141	Sydney and Suburbs	93	4,738
Bathurst	19	360	Country...	95	2,336
Broken Hill	6	185			
Goulburn	15	299	Total	188	7,074

No. 56.—Technical Instruction in State Schools, 1898.

Schools.	Classes.	Total enrolled.	Schools.	Classes.	Total enrolled.
Sydney—			Country—		
Fort-street Training—			Newcastle	2	191
Students ... ... }	3	97	Goulburn	2	166
Boys ... ... }			Bathurst	2	204
High School (Boys)	1	26	Maitland West	1	128
,, ,, —Physics	1	71	,, Art Drawing ...	7	270
Cleveland-street	1	54			
Crown-street	1	102			
North Sydney	1	29			
Sussex-street	1	42			
Blackfriars	1	64	Total...	24	1,444

Technical Education in State Schools.—During 1890 a workshop was established at Fort-street Model School, and later on, at the Boys' High School and other large schools in the metropolis and country. The pupils are taught the use o tools by instructors connected with the Technical College and branches. The course consists of carpentry, joinery, and other selected handicrafts. Examinations are held annually, and certificates issued to successful candidates.

Enrolment.—The total number of pupils enrolled was 8,518, as shown in Table No. 53, as against 7,658 for 1897, but a number of students have joined more than one class ; the number of individual students was 6,291, with an verage weekly attendance of 5,678.

Classes.—The total number of classes given above was the number in existence at each locality, and not the number (71) of distinct subjects taught.

No. 57.—Technical College and Branches, also Technical Museum and Branches : Receipts and Expenditure, 1889–98.

Year.	Individual Students.	Receipts.			Expenditure. (Exclusive of Technical Fees.)	
		On account of Parliamentary Votes.	Fees.	Total.	Total.	Per Student.
	No.	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	2,586	17,500	1,988	19,488	17,500	6 15 4
1890	5,207	26,000	2,902	28,902	22,049	4 4 8
1891	6,688	34,228	3,721	37,949	28,694	4 5 9
1892	8,295	34,924	4,389	39,313	27,800	3 7 0
1893	5,662	20,637	3,702	24,339	18,008	3 3 6
1894	4,928	16,560	3,278	19,838	16,326	3 6 10
1895	5,458	21,054	3,899	24,953	16,458	3 0 4
1896	5,396	21,204	3,611	24,815	17,365	3 4 4
1897	5,848	19,752	3,116	22,868	15,753	2 13 10
1898	6,291	23,496	3,619	27,115	19,622	3 2 4

No. 58.—Technological Museum and Branches, 1898.

Technological Museum.	Visitors during 1898.		Average Daily Attendance.		Expenditure.
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Week-days.	Sundays.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Sydney	66,620	39,559	213·5	775·6	3,081
Newcastle Branch	45,942	*	147·3	*	166
Bathurst Branch	32,597	*	104·4	*	239
West Maitland Branch	23,263	*	74·6	*	146
Goulburn Branch...	22,497	*	72·1	*	215
Albury Branch	8,314	*	23·4	*	25

* Not open on Sundays.

Technological Museum.—This museum, situated in Harris-street, Ultimo, was established in 1879, and was first administered by a committee of management appointed by the trustees of the Australian Museum. It was taken over by the Department of Public Instruction on 1st January, 1890, and made an integral part of the Technical Education Branch. Special endeavours are being made to collect the raw products and samples, illustrative of the industries and manufactures of the Australian Colonies; and the museum contains a large number of native mineral and vegetable products, and a comprehensive series of specimens of wool. Over 82,000 exhibits in all have been acquired, by purchase, gift, loan, and exchange.

No. 59.—Visitors to, and Expenditure of Australian Museum, 1894-98.

Year.	Visitors.				Expenditure.		
	For the year.		Average daily.		Salaries and Allowances.	Purchases and Miscellaneous.	Total.
	Week-days.	Sundays.	Week-days.	Sundays.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1894	86,246	34,324	261	660	3,649	1,849	5,498
1895	86,353	32,226	325	632	4,199	1,532	5,731
1896	83,351	34,494	316	663	4,311	1,583	5,894
1897	89,907	32,987	341	634	4,483	1,975	6,458
1898	88,332	28,629	334	561	4,493	2,152	6,645

Australian Museum.—The Australian Museum was founded in 1836. It was originally connected with the Botanical Gardens, and was located in a room in Macquarie-street, Sydney, but was afterwards removed to the Surveyor-General's Office, and again, in 1849, to its present site. Its affairs were managed by a committee until 1853, when the Museum was incorporated by Act of Parliament (17 Vic. No. 2). The Act provides for twelve official Trustees, one Crown Trustee, nominated by the Governor, and twelve elective Trustees. Provision was also made for a State endowment of £1,000 per annum, which is supplemented by annual Parliamentary appropriations as required. It is essentially a Museum of Natural History.

No. 60.—Presentations, &c., to Australian Museum during 1898.

Object.	Presented by—
Ethnological Specimens from Erromanga	Revd. H. A. Robertson.
The "Soudan Donkey"...	N.S.W. Zoological Society.
Muridae from Central Australia	Professor W. B. Spencer.
A Japanese Salamander...	Mr. W. C. Heron.
And numerous other Specimens of more or less interest	Various donors.

PURCHASES.

Ethnological Specimens from Northern Australia.

,, ,, New Caledonia.

Meteorite from Western Australia.

Ores from Broken Hill.

EXCHANGES OF EXHIBITS.

Mounted Mammals, Royal Zoological Museum, Florence.

Birds, Marsupials, &c., The Museum, Perth, Western Australia.

Indian Mammals, British Museum.

And other Exhibits.

Museum Library.—The library attached to the Australian Museum contains many valuable books. Presentations are continually being made, and during 1898 the additions numbered 350 volumes, besides many pamphlets and unbound parts of periodicals. The greater number were received by gift or exchange, and the purchases amounted to £284, including binding.

Other Museums.—In addition to the Australian Museum and the Technological Museums in which the exhibits are of a general nature, there is a Geological Museum connected with the Department of Mines and Agriculture, Sydney, which is open to the public free of charge. The "Nicholson" Museum of Antiquities, the "Macleay" Museum of Natural History, and the Museum of Normal and Morbid Anatomy, attached to the Sydney University, are als accessible to the public.

No. 61.—Finances and Number of Members of Schools of Art, Mechanics' thereto on 30th

Name.	Date of Establishment.	Subscription for 1898.		Government Subsidies.			
				Total to 30th June, 1898.		For the Year 1897-98.	
		Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.	For Erection of Building.	For Maintenance	Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Aberdeen .. School of Arts	April, 1892	.....	13 5 0	281 2 11	13 18 6	.....	6 12 6
Adamstown .. Mechanics' Institute ..	Jan., 1879	.....	69 7 9	86 16 3	1,011 6 5	.....	34 13 10
Adelong .. Literary Institute	*.....	*.....	*.....	71 0 4	638 5 10	.....	.....
Albury .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	.....	251 8 6	692 9 6	1,167 8 8	.....	125 14 3
Alstonville .. School of Arts	May, 1896	.....	6 10 0	.....	6 8 9	.....	3 5 0
Anvil Creek .. ,, ...	Oct., 1879	.....	2 6 0	.....	172 8 9	.....	1 3 0
Armidale .. ,, ..	Estab. 1859 / Reform. 1895	.....	116 1 4	.....	287 2 4	.....	58 0 7
Baerami (Goulburn River) ,, ...	— 1885	.....	4 1 6	102 13 3	142 19 0	.....	2 0 9
Balgownie .. ,, ...	April, 1897	.....	9 12 10	.....	4 16 5	.....	4 16 5
Ballina .. .. ,, ...	— 1887	.....	42 11 9	89 18 3	236 16 3	.....	21 5 10
Balmain .. Working Men's Institute ..	— 1868	5 17 6	160 12 7	24 11 6	532 8 3	5 17 6	80 6 3
Balranald .. School of Arts	*.....	.....	33 9 6	.....	211 18 6	.....	16 14 9
Barraba .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1893	.....	11 13 6	110 6 2	123 5 11	.....	5 16 9
Bathurst .. Mechanics' School of Arts..	Aug., 1855	.....	270 14 0	587 6 11	2,996 13 2	.....	135 7 0
Batlow .. .. Literary Institute	July, 1896	.....	.....	.....	19 13 9	.....	.....
Bega .. .. School of Arts	July, 1878	.....	77 16 0	62 12 9	952 0 9	.....	38 18 0
Bellbrook .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	43 10 0	.....	.....	.....
Bellingen .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	10 10 0	.....	5 5 0	.....	5 5 0
Bellinger Heads ,, ...	June, 1896	.....	18 11 6	36 17 6	9 5 9	.....	9 5 9
Bena .. .. Public Library	Mar., 1893	.....	7 0 6	98 2 0	21 15 6	.....	3 10 3
Bermagui .. School of Arts	June, 1897	.....	14 7 0	48 18 0	7 3 6	.....	7 3 6
Berrigan .. ,, ...	*.....	306 10 6	.....	482 11 5	82 0 9	300 0 0	.....
Berrima .. ,, ...	Jan., 1883	.....	21 7 0	.....	224 1 7	.....	10 13 6
Berry .. .. ,, ...	Aug., 1890	.....	25 6 10	.....	241 14 6	.....	12 13 5
Bigga .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	28 5 6	.....	28 5 6	.....	28 5 6	.....
Bingara .. School of Arts	June, 1885	.....	52 7 9	72 7 7	160 17 0	.....	26 3 10
Birganbigil .. ,, ...	Feb., 1894	.....	6 1 6	65 13 0	12 14 3	.....	3 0 9
Black Range .. ,, ...	— 1898	.....	.....	34 0 0	.....	.....	.....
†Blayney .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	.....	.....	53 13 8	.....	.....
Bombala .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	52 3 7	22 15 0	716 14 2	.....	26 1 9
Botany .. .. ,, ...	— 1867	.....	.....	.....	745 14 6	.....	.....
Bourke .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1872	.....	52 11 6	66 5 1	806 15 3	.....	26 5 9
Bowna .. .. ,, ,, ...	July, 1895	19 5 5	3 5 0	124 5 5	10 12 6	19 5 5	1 12 6
Bowral .. .. School of Arts	— 1882	.....	100 0 5	21 11 0	1,091 4 1	.....	50 0 2
Braidwood .. Literary Institute ..	Feb., 1858	.....	74 6 8	.....	913 9 10	.....	37 3 4
Branxton .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1862	.....	7 16 0	.....	53 16 4	.....	3 18 0
Brewarrina .. School of Arts	— 1878	.....	33 3 10	39 1 0	1,045 13 1	.....	16 11 11
Broadmeadow Mechanics' Institute ..	June, 1892	.....	28 11 9	193 18 1	94 19 8	.....	14 5 10
Brocklehurst .. ,, ,, ...	Oct., 1897	.....	*.....	42 7 3	.....	.....	.....
Broke .. .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	*.....	65 12 6	.....	.....	.....
Broken Hill .. Mechanics' Institute ..	Oct., 1891	.....	215 16 6	.....	735 8 4	.....	107 18 3
Brunswick .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	*.....	118 12 6	3 2 6	.....	.....
Brushgrove .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	.....	30 8 10	.....	.....
Bulga .. .. ,, ...	Jan., 1893	.....	*.....	79 18 3	11 6 10	.....	.....
Bullahdelah .. ,, ...	Dec., 1881	.....	*.....	31 19 10	14 11 1	.....	.....
Bulli and Woonona ,, ...	— 1863	.....	14 1 6	.....	102 4 3	.....	7 0 9
Bundarra .. ,, ...	May, 1894	.....	23 19 0	50 7 0	158 5 11	.....	11 19 6
Bungendore .. ,, ...	June, 1888	.....	13 18 9	73 14 0	66 14 2	.....	6 19 4
Burragan .. Mechanics' Institute ..	April, 1897	.....	*.....	38 1 3	2 4 6	.....	.....
Burrowa .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	268 18 6	64 10 11	.....	.....
Burwood .. School of Arts	— 1879	.....	162 8 1	154 19 0	1,325 10 6	.....	81 4 0
Byron Bay .. ,, ...	Nov., 1892	4 8 6	26 7 0	55 1 6	37 11 5	4 8 6	13 3 6
Camden .. ,, ...	— 1858	.....	49 4 3	.....	583 19 11	.....	24 12 1
Candelo .. ,, ...	Jan., 1884	.....	10 6 0	271 6 11	216 8 11	.....	5 3 0
Canowindra .. School of Arts and Agricultural and Mining Institute	Oct., 1889	.....	*.....	181 17 7	34 8 9	.....	.....
Captain's Flat Mechanics' Institute. ..	Feb., 1895	.....	27 9 0	.....	34 10 0	.....	13 4 6
Carcoar .. School of Arts	July, 1889	.....	8 17 6	.....	69 6 4	.....	4 8 9
Casino .. .. ,, ...	— 1875	.....	41 17 6	515 10 4	619 5 0	.....	20 18 9
Cathcart .. ,, ...	— 1890	.....	12 15 0	98 10 6	92 13 4	.....	6 7 6
Charlestown .. Literary Institute ..	Sep., 1877	.....	47 12 6	133 1 6	247 1 8	.....	23 16 3
Clarence Town School of Arts	— 1880	.....	15 2 0	.....	208 10 7	.....	7 11 0
Clifton .. .. ,, ...	— 1880	.....	13 13 8	.....	123 18 1	.....	6 16 10
Cobar .. .. ,, ...	July, 1885	.....	36 5 0	.....	385 9 1	.....	18 2 6
Cobargo .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	163 17 3	127 10 1	.....	.....
Collarendabri .. ,, ...	— 1888	.....	*.....	60 12 9	65 14 7	.....	.....
Collector .. ,, ...	May, 1896	.....	*.....	.....	6 11 9	.....	.....
Colombo .. ,, ...	— 1887	.....	7 10 0	42 16 0	87 14 4	.....	3 15 0
Come-by-chance ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	134 15 7	9 7 6	.....	.....
Condobolin .. ,, ...	Jan., 1885	.....	18 16 10	33 7 8	194 4 8	.....	9 8 5

* Information not available. † Closed from 1893 to 1897.

Institutes, &c., for 1898; also, Number of Volumes in Libraries attached April, 1898.

Expenditure for Books, &c.		Members of Institution for 1897.	Classification of Volumes in the Library on the 30th April, 1898.										
Since Establishment of Library.	During 1897.		Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts.	History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology.	Biography and Correspondence.	Geography, Topography, Voyages, Travels, Etc.	Periodical and Serial Literature.	Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, Etc.	Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education.	Poetry and Drama.	Works of Reference.	Prose Works of Fiction.	Books not classified.	Total.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.													
40 0 0	Nil.	64	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	350	50	400
*.....	33 11 2	107	....	169	237	71	..	..	..	38	75	2,217	....	2,807
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11 12 1	4 6 0	17	....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	219	....	225
*.....	Nil.	24	50	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	750	....	900
‡134 4 8	64 0 1	179	106	186		99	181	..	..	40	95	1,333	....	2,040
20 4 0	2 11 0	22	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51	300	50	401
3 5 0	3 5 0	30	2	..	3	..	..	6	..	..	12	125	....	148
*.....	7 10 0	44	30	73	40	32	..	..	..	23	..	716	32	946
127 8 6	31 13 8	335	40	10	42	58	..	58	37	23	18	1,600	45	1,931
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57 11 0	5 0 0	27	....	10	..	..	..	35	..	..	14	840	....	899
7,997 13 6	195 17 9	543	792	910	876	992	2,656	..	..	377	507	6,052	759	13,921
10 0 5	4 10 6	30	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	204	....	206
579 4 3	6 6 0	119	173	235	114	75	..	..	..	62	141	2,524	567	3,891
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12 17 6	9 18 0	53	....	..	..	..	20	..	..	..	..	148	42	210
26 0 8	4 4 0	25	3	6	..	..	..	13	..	7	..	254	....	283
10 10 7	10 10 7	45	6	..	34	40	..	..	..	..	..	136	....	216
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*.....	16 12 3	32	....	35	21	66	54	..	..	49	20	1,185	84	1,514
194 11 0	11 13 8	52	55	50	43	30	152	69	58	78	3	614	....	1,152
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151 10 8	15 18 0	*....	....	29	..	7	39	..	..	44	..	614	....	733
26 15 9	7 2 8	26	21	..	8	7	50	..	..	8	6	246	72	418
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*.....	Nil.	95	48	123	..	55	120	..	99	54	50	1,052	104	1,705
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21 3 0	.....	46	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	210	....	210
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62 16 7	9 14 7	55	1	2	4	4	14	..	3	3	..	420	....	451
4 6 6	4 6 6	18	....	8	6	4	..	..	..	7	..	60	....	85
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44 6 0	13 6 4	81	....	..	16	12	13	..	..	13	..	368	....	422
210 0 0	4 6 9	140	79	67	89	68	221	..	35	49	360	1,255	....	2,223
127 9 9	Nil.	45	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	800	800
19 12 1	.....	20	6	..	..	..	..	..	20	10	..	144	....	180
17 3 10	7 4 10	30	40	..	100	30	..	..	..	..	..	220	11	401
§60 0 0	.....	....	27	25	9	10	..	40	..	27	20	380	....	538
§297 17 4	11 19 5	79	207	..	226		..	..	..	56	75	1,504	63	2,131
40 4 5	10 0 0	16	7	..	20	26	14	..	3	2	2	247	....	321
95 0 9	28 0 9	54	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..	335	....	1,450
§60 14 0	4 18 0	46	....	65	..	48	..	..	..	..	35	544	64	756
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8 5 3	4 0 6	27	....	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	....	114
*.....	Nil.	15	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	150	72	....	222
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89 0 0	7 19 0	31	29	20	27	..	..	..	..	20	..	527	148	771

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Name.		Date of Establishment.	Subscription for 1898.		Government Subsidies.			
					Total to 30th June, 1898.		For the Year 1897–98.	
			Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.	For Erection of Building.	For Maintenance	Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Coolah	School of Arts	*.....	*.....	8 10 0	.....	4 5 0	.....	4 5 0
Coolamon ..	,, ...	May, 1893	.....	43 5 6	.....	88 17 3	.....	21 12 9
Cooma	,, ...	*.....	.....	36 4 4	195 3 9	377 18 8	.....	18 2 2
Coonabarabran	,, ...	*.....	.....	23 2 0	129 10 10	213 9 1	.....	11 11 0
Coonamble ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	13 9 6	34 11 6	169 4 3	522 0 6	13 9 6	17 5 9
Cootamundra ..	School of Arts	April, 1889	.....	81 1 0	256 12 1	356 15 11	.....	40 10 6
Copeland ..	,, ...	July, 1890	*.....	*.....	.....	196 19 10	.....	.....
Copmanhurst ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	.....	7 18 9	38 18 6	72 7 10	.....	3 19 4
Coraki	School of Arts	— 1886	.....	24 4 0	125 9 3	105 19 10	.....	12 2 0
Corowa ..	,, ...	— 1885	.....	51 11 0	1042 7 10	528 8 4	.....	25 15 6
Cowra	,, ...	July, 1897	.....	26 13 9	73 10 0	13 6 10	.....	13 6 10
Crookwell ..	,, ...	April, 1895	.....	29 3 6	.....	48 19 3	.....	14 11 9
Cudal	,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	355 2 5	56 3 0	.....	.....
Cundletown ..	,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	70 0 0	150 6 0	.....	.....
Deepwater ..	,, ...	April, 1893	*.....	*.....	236 5 0	2 14 0	.....	.....
Deniliquin ..	,, ...	— 1864	.....	127 10 6	908 12 6	1,203 12 11	.....	63 15 3
Denman ..	,, ...	— 1875	.....	9 12 6	23 11 6	93 4 9	.....	4 16 3
Drake	,, ...	Sept., 1894	.....	54 10 0	.....	49 15 0	.....	27 5 0
Drummoyne ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	.....	30 19 0	.....	37 4 3	.....	15 10 6
Dubbo	,, ...	Dec., 1868	.....	98 12 0	.....	760 9 2	.....	49 6 0
Dudley	School of Arts	Nov., 1895	.....	38 12 0	.....	30 10 9	.....	19 6 0
Dungog ..	,, ...	— 1873	58 19 6	33 17 0	58 19 6	329 18 0	58 19 6	16 18 6
East Maitland	Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1859	.....	54 11 6	.....	853 14 3	.....	27 5 9
Eden	School of Arts	Oct., 1895	.....	11 12 0	84 16 6	13 8 3	.....	5 16 0
Enmore ..	Institute and Reading-room	*.....	.....	19 8 2	.....	9 14 1	.....	9 14 1
Ermington ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1897	.....	6 6 4	*.....	16 6 1	.....	3 3 2
Eskbank ..	School of Arts	— 1879	.....	59 11 6	.....	217 14 5	.....	29 15 9
Eugowra ..	,, ...	Dec., 1884	.....	14 1 0	81 9 3	196 9 0	.....	7 0 6
Finley	,, ...	*.....	.....	50 0 0	71 18 0	43 0 0	.....	25 0 0
Forbes	,, ...	Mar., 1867	.....	99 10 7	73 14 0	768 12 1	.....	49 15 3
Forster ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	Nov., 1877	.....	5 5 0	21 8 3	37 9 0	.....	2 12 6
Galston ..	School of Arts	— 1892	.....	11 6 6	.....	54 4 10	.....	5 13 3
Ganmain ..	,, ...	Mar., 1897	.....	16 16 0	.....	8 8 0	.....	8 8 0
Germanton ..	,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	215 0 10	102 2 7	.....	.....
Gilgandra ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	*.....	60 19 0	27 9 6	.....	.....
Girilambone ..	School of Arts and Mechanics' Institute.	§	.....	*.....	33 4 3	.....	.....	.....
Glen Innes ..	School of Arts	Sept., 1887	.....	101 0 0	197 18 3	377 19 7	.....	50 7 6
Glenreagh ..	,, ...	Jan., 1895	.....	.....	32 7 6	4 14 4	.....	.....
Gosford ..	,, ...	— 1889	.....	9 3 3	363 5 6	158 11 11	.....	4 11 7
Goulburn ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	Oct., 1853	.....	263 17 6	.....	2,202 17 6	.....	131 18 9
Grafton ..	,, ...	— 1865	.....	19 3 6	463 18 9	968 14 0	.....	9 11 9
Granville ..	School of Arts	*.....	*.....	71 2 6	.....	512 2 8	.....	35 11 3
Grenfell ..	,, ...	— 1882	.....	48 13 3	203 10 0	379 6 6	.....	24 6 7
Gresford ..	,, ...	Nov., 1890	.....	.....	218 6 3	.....	.....	.....
Greta	,, ...	*.....	.....	11 5 3	.....	151 15 6	.....	5 12 7
Gulargambone	Mechanics' Institute ..	Sept., 1897	15 0 0	20 5 0	77 19 0	17 10 6	15 0 0	10 2 6
Gundaroo ..	Public Library	,, 1894	.....	20 4 0	.....	43 6 4	.....	10 2 0
Gundagai ..	Literary Institute ..	Oct., 1868	10 7 11	29 16 0	167 0 1	283 13 11	10 7 11	14 18 0
Gundurimba ..	School of Arts	June, 1893	*.....	*.....	48 17 3	9 0 8	.....	.....
Gunnedah ..	,, ...	— 1881	.....	38 4 9	.....	365 7 1	.....	19 2 4
Guyra	,, ...	§.....	*.....	*.....	87 16 6	16 18 1	.....	.....
Hamilton ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	*.....	977 17 1	779 7 7	.....	.....
Harden ..	,, ...	— 1881	.....	*.....	172 4 6	272 8 11	.....	.....
Hargreaves ..	,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	.....	15 12 6	.....	.....
Hay	Athenæum	*.....	.....	58 3 2	.....	864 18 5	.....	29 1 7
Helensburgh ..	School of Arts	July, 1890	.....	33 13 6	57 12 0	82 6 6	.....	16 16 9
Hibbard ..	,, ...	Aug., 1892	.....	17 2 6	.....	21 17 3	.....	8 11 3
Hillgrove ..	Mechanics' School of Arts ..	June, 1891	.....	88 5 0	372 11 1	231 11 0	.....	44 2 6
Hillston ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	May, 1895	.....	18 18 2	.....	39 17 10	.....	9 9 1
Hinton	School of Arts	*.....	.....	8 4 4	.....	143 12 0	.....	4 2 2
Hornsby Junction	,, ...	May, 1889	*.....	*.....	12 14 4	41 7 7	.....	.....
Howlong ..	,, ...	Jan., 1888	.....	85 15 1	345 19 6	252 2 9	.....	42 17 6
Humula ..	,, ...	*.....	*.....	.....	80 9 3	52 1 9	.....	.....
Ingleburn ..	,, ...	April, 1897	.....	.....	.....	15 5 0	.....	2 5 0
Inverell ..	,, ...	*.....	*.....	43 6 6	.....	302 9 3	.....	21 13 3
Islington ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	Feb., 1884	.....	38 19 6	253 0 7	478 10 9	.....	19 9 9
Jamberoo ..	School of Arts	April, 1898	56 19 0	.....	193 14 0	37 4 3	56 19 0	.....
Jasper's Brush	,, ...	*.....	*.....	7 0 0	.....	3 10 0	.....	3 10 0
Jerilderie ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	May, 1891	.....	22 7 6	100 10 2	338 12 8	.....	11 3 9
Jerry's Plains	School of Arts	— 1886	.....	.....	113 12 0	124 13 8	.....	.....
Jindera ..	,, ...	May, 1892	.....	5 4 6	.....	33 12 8	.....	2 12 3
Jugiong ..	Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	*.....	43 15 6	30 6 4	.....	.....

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Institutes, &c., for 1898; also, Number of Volumes in Libraries, &c.—*continued.*

Expenditure for Books.		Members of Institution for 1897.	Classification of Volumes in the Library on the 30th April, 1898.											
Since Establishment of Library.	During 1897.		Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts.	History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology.	Biography and Correspondence.	Geography, Topography, Voyages, Travels, Etc.	Periodical and Serial Literature.	Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, Etc.	Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education.	Poetry and Drama.	Works of Reference.	Prose Works of Fiction.	Books not classified.	Total.
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66 13 2	7 2 8	106	....	5	5	..	..	10	..	7	..	452	....	479
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121 6 11	28 14 9	147	....	..	60	14	30	..	..	25	41	505	183	858
48 0 0	Nil.	25	....	18	..	7	..	..	..	..	50	420	....	495
.....	6 4 10	29	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	611	611
47 13 4	8 11 10	37	....	..	7	23	..	..	..	..	..	320	....	350
177 13 7	22 16 6	92	68	63	58	49	..	..	13	43	..	788	126	1,208
41 9 11	41 9 11	*	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	394	394
52 6 0	11 14 9	55	....	10	..	..	..	..	16	14	..	560	....	600
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673 3 3	35 14 4	175	108	182	89	124	..	..	..	59	..	2,283	240	3,085
80 0 0	9 2 2	22	....	..	..	151	..	..	..	20	50	611	73	905
37 18 5	14 5 5	95	15	16	..	36	..	..	19	..	..	492	....	578
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525 0 0	26 11 11	135	64	123	173	67	..	..	25	54	..	2,086	190	2,782
31 0 0	7 2 6	66	26	4	..	2	..	..	14	..	..	262	....	308
133 2 6	5 2 6	94	181	69	90	53	..	..	..	38	..	510	....	941
454 0 0	20 0 0	125	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	3,032	3,032
13 17 0	9 18 7	55	....	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	8	260	....	273
2 16 6	.....	48	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	100	100	200
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53 12 11	5 1 3	77	18	5	56	53	..	7	..	4	14	151	....	308
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415 18 10	46 9 5	112	38	45	34	65	..	..	..	41	33	1,712	132	2,100
188 4 4	4 8 4	22	41	85	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	430	237	793
65 6 10	4 3 6	41	....	6	..	20	..	..	..	10	5	459	....	500
24 18 8	10 0 0	57	....	24	3	..	..	1	..	4	..	197	....	229
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233 6 1	33 6 1	180	34	..	19	67	..	..	..	30	..	871	180	1,201
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81 2 5	14 3 8	68	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	..	531	199	764
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124 3 2	6 6 5	74	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	1,000	1,000
15 0 0	.....	17	....	..	20	12	..	..	5	10	30	158	15	250
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19 16 2	16 17 2	94	9	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	235	16	267
22 16 9	8 19 6	49	....	..	25	51	..	40	..	..	..	269	....	385
283 0 0	13 10 0	84	....	..	250	190	..	..	..	78	52	720	....	1,290
7 7 6	.....	15	70	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	....	116
300 0 0	16 13 6	102	37	32	27	14	..	..	1	35	..	1,368	31	1,545
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55 16 1	6 9 4	142	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	464	464
35 13 7	4 16 6	30	....	..	..	1	98	..	..	2	4	235	....	340
185 17 10	18 13 4	133	31	32	..	21	81	31	..	23	30	900	....	1,149
73 6 1	17 17 3	37	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	673	....	678
66 14 0	.....	38	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	750	750
32 7 10	6 12 0	65	....	20	..	..	..	..	11	..	..	267	....	298
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183 18 0	14 0 0	102	....	24	37	30	11	..	47	11	..	916	160	1,236
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19 0 0	.....	34	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	131	131
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Junction .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	46 5 0	.....	23 2 6	.....	23 2 6
Junee .. .. ,, ...	Aug., 1893	.....	25 7 6	.....	75 19 0	.....	12 13 9
Kangaroo Valley ,, ...	Aug., 1893	.....	23 13 5	58 11 7	63 14 10	.....	11 16 8
Katoomba .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	37 0 3	.....	163 7 8	.....	18 10 1
Kempsey .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	15 15 6	.....	7 17 9	.....	7 17 9
Kenthurst .. ,, ...	May, 1889	.....	10 7 6	65 1 5	21 16 9	.....	5 3 9
Kiama .. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	27 11 9	.....	53 16 1	.....	13 15 10
Kiandra .. Mechanics' Institute ..	Feb., 1891	.....	4 15 6	13 6 0	27 14 3	.....	2 7 9
Kogarah .. School of Arts	— 1888	*.....	22 19 0	360 16 4	499 0 2	.....	11 9 6
Lambton .. Mechanics' and Miners' Institute.	Aug., 1867	.....	46 18 3	461 9 0	555 5 10	.....	23 9 1
Largs .. .. School of Arts	— 1875	.....	.....	.....	262 15 7	.....	.....
Laurieton .. ,, ...	Jan., 1891	.....	14 16 3	117 3 2	33 1 10	.....	7 8 1
Lawrence .. ,, ...	— 1885	.....	24 10 0	77 3 0	203 2 7	.....	12 5 0
Linburn .. School of Arts and Library	Aug., 1896	.....	4 17 0	25 0 0	7 9 6	.....	2 8 6
Lismore .. School of Arts	June, 1880	.....	53 14 11	146 15 6	498 16 9	.....	26 17 5
Maclean .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1877	.....	41 7 6	14 2 0	264 13 1	.....	20 13 9
Mandurama .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	*.....	164 1 8	32 4 2	.....	.....
Manilla .. ,, ...	Sept., 1883	.....	28 5 6	67 0 0	227 19 8	.....	14 2 9
March .. .. ,, ...	Nov., 1888	.....	.....	63 19 0	86 13 7	.....	.....
Marrickville .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	16 1 4	.....	.....
Marulan .. ,, ...	May, 1892	.....	.....	57 18 4	53 7 6	.....	.....
Menangle .. ,, ...	Mar., 1897	.....	15 8 6	.....	.....	.....	7 14 3
Menindie .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1883	.....	.....	93 6 11	117 18 0	.....	.....
Merewether .. School of Arts	— 1882	.....	82 14 0	184 15 6	1,080 14 1	.....	41 7 0
Merriwa .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	26 15 4	.....	238 19 8	.....	13 7 8
Metz .. .. ,, ...	Sept., 1895	.....	23 14 6	.....	30 0 9	.....	11 17 3
Millthorpe .. ,, ...	Oct., 1897	25 8 3	67 7 6	25 8 3	33 13 9	25 8 3	33 13 9
Milton .. .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	20 2 6	.....	190 4 3	.....	10 1 3
Mimmi .. .. ,, ...	Sept., 1891	.....	21 2 6	.....	132 7 6	.....	10 11 3
Mittagong .. ,, ...	— 1886	.....	48 3 4	.....	255 8 0	.....	24 1 8
Moama.. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	910 0 7	8 6 9	.....	.....
Molong .. ,, ...	— 1878	.....	34 2 6	19 17 6	419 11 9	.....	17 1 3
Monkerai .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	4 9 0	36 0 9	32 0 0	.....	2 4 6
Moree .. .. ,, ...	— 1884	.....	67 5 0	857 5 10	276 2 8	.....	33 12 6
Morpeth .. ,, ...	— 1860	.....	50 4 0	35 13 6	271 16 6	.....	25 2 0
Moruya .. Mechanics' Institute ..	Nov., 1880	.....	30 12 0	68 18 6	323 13 2	.....	15 6 0
Moss Vale .. School of Arts	Sept., 1890	.....	63 17 10	419 8 3	249 9 10	.....	31 18 11
Mount Kembla Reading Room and Library	Mar., 1891	.....	14 15 9	.....	12 15 10	.....	7 7 10
Mudgee .. School of Arts	May, 1857	.....	92 7 6	.....	766 13 1	.....	46 3 9
Mullumbimby ,, ...	*.....	.....	8 15 0	74 17 6	4 7 6	.....	4 7 6
Mulwala .. ,, ...	*.....	45 2 0	.....	45 2 0	.....	45 2 0	.....
Murrumburrah ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	.....	29 11 6	.....	.....
Murrurundi .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1873	.....	21 13 6	54 6 1	218 10 8	.. ...	10 16 9
Murwillumbah School of Arts	Mar., 1889	.....	50 11 10	137 7 9	198 5 8	.....	25 5 11
Muswellbrook ,, ...	*.....	*.....	53 19 0	.....	466 16 3	.....	26 19 6
Nambucca Heads ,, ...	Oct., 1896	.....	12 11 0	37 2 0	6 5 6	.....	6 5 6
Narrabri .. ,, ...	— 1870	.....	70 13 0	41 6 3	577 1 4	.....	35 6 6
Narrandera .. Mechanics' Institute ..	May, 1886	.....	44 12 8	24 3 3	329 15 9	.....	22 6 4
Newcastle .. School of Arts	— 1870	.....	371 17 0	.....	2,631 16 6	.....	185 18 6
Noorooma ,, ...	‡.....	*.....	.....	24 16 6	.....	.....	.....
North Ryde .. ,, ...	Sept., 1891	.....	.....	.....	21 12 4	.....	.....
Nowra .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	June, 1885	.....	62 1 4	347 18 1	247 2 9	.....	31 0 8
Nundle.. .. School of Arts	Sept., 1897	.....	.....	141 14 7	.....	.....	.....
Oaks .. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	.....	55 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Orange.. .. ,, ...	— 1862	.....	135 5 0	.....	1,745 4 2	.....	67 12 6
Palmer's Island ,, ...	Sept., 1890	.....	.....	.....	35 5 8	.....	.....
Pambula .. ,, ...	Jan., 1884	.....	25 13 9	133 0 0	230 9 10	.....	12 16 10
Parkes .. .. People's Institute	— 1894	.....	38 11 6	.....	78 12 9	.....	19 5 9
Parramatta .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	118 16 5	214 3 3	1,166 3 8	.....	59 8 2
Paterson .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	11 11 4	199 9 7	141 6 10	.....	5 15 8
Picton .. .. ,, ...	— 1890	.....	26 10 9	130 19 2	111 13 11	.....	13 5 4
Pilliga.. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	20 0 0	.....	10 0 0	.....	10 0 0
Plattsburg .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1877	.....	175 12 0	710 6 3	1,079 7 6	.....	87 16 0
Port Macquarie School of Arts	— 1888	.....	40 5 0	101 5 4	227 18 11	.....	20 2 6
Pyree .. .. ,, ...	Mar., 1895	.....	6 12 0	33 8 0	8 6 6	.....	3 6 0
Queanbeyan .. ,, ...	May, 1887	.....	36 1 0	87 8 0	154 19 8	.....	18 0 6
Quirindi .. ,, ...	— 1888	.....	.....	158 3 10	198 17 3	.....	.....
Raymond Terrace ,, ...	— 1877	.....	21 5 0	251 14 0	216 7 11	.....	10 12 6
Redfern .. Railway Institute ..	Mar., 1891	.....	.....	.....	1,460 16 1	.....	.....
Richmond .. School of Arts	Oct., 1861	.....	33 12 6	14 1 0	571 4 1	.....	16 16 3
Robertson .. ,, ...	—— 1886	.....	12 6 4	133 3 6	197 2 4	.....	6 3 2
Rockdale .. ,, ...	Dec., 1897	.....	22 7 6	.....	11 3 9	.....	11 3 9

* Information not available. † Since the date of the

Institutes, &c., for 1898; also, Number of Volumes in Libraries, &c.—*continued.*

Expenditure for Books.		Members of Institution for 1897.	Classification of Volumes in the Library on the 30th April, 1898.											
Since Establishment of Library.	During 1897.		Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts.	History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology.	Biography and Correspondence.	Geography, Topography, Voyages, Travels, Etc.	Periodical and Serial Literature.	Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, Etc.	Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education.	Poetry and Drama.	Works of Reference.	Prose Works of Fiction.	Books not classified.	Total
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46 2 8	.....	103	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	400	400
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28 15 0	2 10 0	85	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	310	310
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42 14 1	6 5 9	22	1	..	..	..	..	..	26	..	..	....	122	149
260 0 0	19 14 2	50	....	..	150	..	..	..	..	50	..	1,000	200	1,400
†75 10 9	2 4 9	88	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	148	210	1,364	686	2,408
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40 0 4	4 14 6	38	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	305	....	305
38 9 5	3 14 6	99	....	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	400	10	423
15 0 0	3 12 6	44	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	280	....	300
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*	15 17 0	118	41	59	26	23	..	..	15	16	65	1,043	75	1,363
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121 3 6	12 2 6	69	12	..	27	42	..	..	6	28	..	286	24	425
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21 19 3	18 0 0	52	16	..	3	15	..	..	..	..	..	149	7	190
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122 12 8	25 3 3	64	23	20	20	17	..	7	20	16	11	1,042	22	1,198
25 0 0	3 11 0	....	4	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	275	....	285
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174 19 4	.....	39	....	83	57	27	..	..	..	35	78	566	146	992
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†493 0 7	34 9 11	250	236	373		176	300	194	..	93	..	2,956	202	4,530
40 12 7	.....	10	8	24	17	20	..	..	..	5	40	105	....	219
120 0 0	12 0 0	100	26	..	16	60	..	..	..	10	..	575	71	758
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1 10 0	.....	43	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	596	596
45 5 0	Nil.	91	44	38	22	50	17	..	43	32	..	509	....	755
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3 0 0	.....	46	....	25	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	56	....	85

earliest records. ‡ Library not yet established.

No. 61.—Finances and Number of Members of Schools of Art, Mechanics'

Name.	Date of Establishment.	Subscription for 1898.		Government Subsidies.			
				Total to 30th June, 1898.		For the Year 1897-98.	
		Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.	For Erection of Building.	For Maintenance	Building Fund.	Maintenance Fund.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Rockley .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	*.....	289 2 2	3 10 0	.....	.....
Rous .. .. ,, ...	*.....	30 19 0	12 12 3	30 19 0	6 6 1	30 19 0	6 6 1
Ryde .. .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	37 10 4	.....	18 15 2	.....	18 15 2
Sackville .. ,, ...	— 1889	.....	.....	89 18 2	.....	.....	.....
Savernake .. ,, ...	Aug., 1890	37 11 6	.....	109 1 6	3 9 9	37 10 0	.....
Scone .. .. ,, ...	— 1872	.....	50 6 6	13 15 3	561 19 6	.....	25 3 3
Shellharbour .. ,, ...	Sept., 1895	7 0 0	16 10 0	48 9 6	17 18 8	7 0 0	8 5 0
Singleton .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1866	*.....	85 13 3	170 10 0	1,011 3 2	.....	42 16 7
Smedmore .. ,, ...	April, 1894	.....	24 13 0	.....	54 9 4	.....	12 6 6
Smithtown .. School of Arts	*.....	.....	10 17 6	.....	5 8 9	.....	5 8 9
Sofala .. .. Literary Institute	— 1879	.....	6 17 0	.....	69 18 6	.....	3 8 6
Somersby .. School of Arts	May, 1894	.....	3 17 4	10 0 0	1 18 8	.....	1 18 8
South Grafton ,, ...	,, 1892	.....	46 12 9	558 14 2	348 6 8	.....	23 6 4
South Woodburn ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	96 6 6	.....	.....
Stewart's Brook ,, ...	June, 1897	.....	.....	45 18 0	2 12 0	.....	.....
St. Albans .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	6 18 0	.....	3 9 0	.....	3 9 0
St. Leonards .. ,, ...	Oct., 1859	.....	89 17 0	154 15 0	683 10 3	.....	44 18 6
St. Marys .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	.....	.....	20 1 3	9 17 0	.....	.....
Stockton .. School of Arts	April, 1888	.....	52 2 0	.....	798 3 7	.....	26 1 0
Stroud .. .. ,, ...	— 1856	.....	12 18 0	310 14 8	247 19 2	.....	6 9 0
Sydney .. .. Mechanics' School of Arts..	Mar., 1833	.....	2,280 16 9	.....	20134 16 4	.....	1140 8 0
Tambar Springs School of Arts	April, 1892	.....	.....	65 16 0	.....	.....	.....
Tamworth .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	115 5 6	.....	443 5 9	.....	57 12 9
Taree .. .. School of Arts	— 1887	.....	23 15 6	.....	152 6 0	.....	11 17 9
Temora .. ,, ...	July, 1889	.....	.....	.....	158 5 10	.....	.....
Tenterfield .. ,, ...	— 1865	.....	123 9 6	133 10 9	810 16 5	.....	61 14 9
Teralba .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	*.....	.....	57 4 3	.....	.....
Thackaringa .. Public Library	— 1892	.....	.....	.....	35 7 5	.....	.....
Thornleigh .. School of Arts	— 1891	.....	.....	264 13 7	35 17 9	.....	.....
Tighe's Hill .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	.....	.....	88 9 8	.....	.....
Tocumwal .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	44 10 9	.....	73 14 10	.....	22 5 4
Toongabbie & Wentworthville School of Arts	Mar., 1895	.....	17 10 0	.....	28 15 4	.....	8 15 0
Toronto .. School of Arts	Nov., 1894	.....	23 19 0	119 5 0	55 9 7	.....	11 19 6
Trades and Industrial Hall and Literary Institute Association	— 1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tumut .. .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	24 5 6	259 14 8	557 11 7	.....	12 2 9
Tweed Heads .. ,, ...	— 1892	.....	9 3 0	75 19 0	30 0 9	.....	4 11 6
Ulmarra .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	21 15 6	88 0 8	217 7 0	.....	10 17 9
Urana .. .. ,, ...	— 1884	.....	10 0 0	298 17 11	188 2 0	.....	5 0 0
Vegetable Creek Mining Institute	May, 1882	.....	9 2 0	.....	382 12 6	.....	4 11 0
Wagga Wagga School of Arts	— 1863	.....	121 13 1	.....	894 7 10	.....	60 16 6
Walcha .. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	17 17 6	.....	467 1 0	.....	8 18 9
Walcha Road .. ,, ...	— 1893	.....	.....	47 0 0	6 8 9	.....	.....
Walgett .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	113 8 10	573 14 9	225 8 11	.....	56 14 5
Wallamba (Nabiac) ,, ...	July, 1897	.....	10 0 0	30 0 0	5 0 0	.....	5 0 0
Wallsend .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	149 1 9	.....	2,399 16 7	.....	74 10 10
Waratah .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	721 12 4	7 6 3	.....	.....
Warialda .. Mechanics' Institute ..	Feb., 1883	.....	44 19 0	100 0 0	380 0 6	.....	22 9 6
Warren .. ,, ,, ...	— 1890	.....	19 12 8	75 15 3	268 8 2	.....	9 16 4
Wauchope .. School of Arts	July, 1895	.....	17 14 3	.....	32 9 11	.....	8 17 1
Wee Waa .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	11 5 0	104 17 11	71 3 9	.....	5 12 6
Wellington .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	42 15 9	.....	21 7 10	.....	21 7 10
Wentworth .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1884	*.....	*.....	406 15 11	335 9 6	.....	.....
West Maitland School of Arts	— 1855	64 0 6	79 11 3	288 17 0	1,778 19 6	.....	39 15 7
West Wallsend ,, ...	Jan., 1893	.....	69 0 4	.....	123 6 9	.....	34 10 2
West Wyalong ,, ...	*.....	.....	5 13 6	.....	2 16 9	.....	2 16 9
White Cliffs .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	14 0 0	59 8 11	7 0 0	.....	7 0 0
Wickham .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	78 4 0	1139 15 6	1,824 4 8	.....	39 2 0
Wilcannia .. Athenæum	— 1884	.....	32 18 0	154 11 1	829 7 2	.....	16 9 0
Windsor .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	10 2 6	.....	279 5 9	.....	5 1 3
Wingham .. ,, ...	— 1875	.....	19 1 3	.....	212 12 9	.....	9 10 7
Wollar .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	May, 1896	.....	5 10 6	.....	2 15 3	.....	2 15 3
Wolumla .. School of Arts	*.....	*.....	*.....	98 15 9	161 10 10	.....	.....
Wombat .. Mechanics' Institute ..	*.....	*.....	*.....	22 0 6	.....	.....	.....
Woodburn .. School of Arts	*.....	.....	11 17 2	.....	5 18 7	.....	7 1 1
Woodville .. ,, ...	Sept., 1876	.....	6 14 6	.....	51 15 0	.....	3 7 3
Woolgoolga .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	28 11 4	9 6 9	.....	.....
Wyalong .. ,, ...	*.....	.....	19 12 6	15 0 11	13 6 0	.....	9 16 3
Wyndham .. ,, ...	— 1890	.....	3 8 9	38 0 6	92 2 8	.....	1 14 4
Wyrallah ... ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	.....	52 13 0	.....	.....
Yalwal .. .. ,, ...	*.....	*.....	*.....	95 8 6	6 11 10	.....	.....
Yamba .. .. ,, ...	— 1893	.....	8 8 0	.....	27 15 3	.....	.....
Yass .. .. Mechanics' Institute ..	— 1869	.....	102 5 0	.....	371 7 3	.....	51 2 6
Young Wallsend School of Arts	Aug., 1894	.....	36 7 10	.....	52 5 3	.....	18 3 11

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Expenditure for Books.		Members of Institution for 1897.	Classification of Volumes in the Library on the 30th April, 1898.											
Since Establishment of Library.	During 1897.		Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts.	History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology.	Biography and Correspondence.	Geography, Topography, Voyages, Travels, Etc.	Periodical and Serial Literature.	Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, Etc.	Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education.	Poetry and Drama.	Works of Reference.	Prose Works of Fiction.	Books not classified.	Total.
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22 3 9	5 0 0	70	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	253	....	264
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53 3 7	21 15 2	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	763	763
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*.....	11 5 0	103	121	143	89	273	298	..	43	47	..	1,978	411	3,403
300 11 0	2 14 11	59	....	57		85	..	..	..	47	..	1,356	60	1,605
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95 0 0	4 17 6	74	50	71	..	30	..	..	..	50	..	573	140	914
15 7 6	2 15 0	39	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	186	....	186
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*.....	3 0 0	22	....	42	5	3	..	..	..	9	18	....	510	587
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24 11 1	5 14 1	30	....	100	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	400	....	500
*.....	22 16 6	96	650	860		296	..	..	..	190	50	1,913	....	3,959
29 19 6	14 10 6	30	.....	21	18	108	..	4	..	2	..	62	112	327

† Since the date of the earliest records.

No. 62.—Government Grants, Expenditure for Books, and Number of Visitors to of Volumes on

Municipality.	Date of Establishment.	Total Grant received from Government for the Purchase of Books.	Expenditure for Books.		Number of Reading Visitors to the Library during 1897.
			Since establishment of Library.	During 1897.	
		£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Albury	—— 1868	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Alexandria	May, 1887	200	300 0 0	Nil.	23
Ashfield	Feb., 1893	200	419 8 1	15 0 0	*.....
Balmain	Dec., 1888	200	199 10 5	Nil.	579
Berry	Sept., 1875	200	200 0 0	Nil.	*.....
Botany	—— 1896	200	204 0 0	4 0 0	40
Broken Hill	Oct., 1891	200	225 0 0	Nil.	13,500
Broughton Vale	Oct., 1884	200	200 0 0	Nil.	21
Burwood	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Campbelltown	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Camperdown	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Canterbury	—— 1886	200	240 0 0	Nil.	800
Central Illawarra	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Cobar	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Cootamundra	Nov., 1884	200	200 0 0	Nil.	568
Deniliquin	—— 1892	200	147 19 7	Nil.	1,150
Forbes	April, 1883	200	123 7 7	Nil.	*.....
Gerringong	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Glebe	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Glen Innes	—— 1888	200	*.....	Nil.	400
Granville	July, 1890	200	200 0 0	Nil.	600
Gulgong	Feb., 1880	200	200 0 0	Nil.	1,800
Hay	—— 1873	200	200 0 0	Nil.	*.....
Hill End	June, 1882	100	100 0 0	Nil.	*.....
Hillston	April, 1895	200	200 0 0	Nil.	3,120
Hurstville	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Inverell	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Jamberoo	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Jerilderie	Nov., 1891	200	83 17 4	Nil.	*.....
Kempsey	—— 1887	200	200 0 0	Nil.	900
Kiama	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Lismore	—— 1887	200	133 2 10	Nil.	1,000
Liverpool	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Moss Vale	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Murrumburrah	—— 1897	200	200 0 0	200 0 0	120
Narrandera	—— 1887	200	189 12 6	Nil.	2,504
North Botany	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
North Illawarra	—— 1876	200	243 9 11	10 0 0	1,296
Numba	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Paddington	May, 1892	200	446 19 4	29 10 1	12,000
Parkes	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Penrith	Jan., 1885	200	83 10 0	Nil.	1,070
Redfern	July, 1877	200	750 0 0	22 15 8	6,000
Rockdale	June, 1890	200	274 5 4	Nil.	Nil.
Shellharbour	—— 1873	*.....	*.....	*.....	4
Silverton	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
St. Peter's	May, 1879	200	200 0 0	Nil.	Nil.
Tamworth	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Ulladulla	Aug., 1875	200	350 0 0	Nil.	*.....
Wagga Wagga	July, 1874	200	200 0 0	Nil.	2,920
Wallendbeen	Feb., 1897	200	216 0 0	216 0 0	573
Waterloo	Dec., 1882	200	350 0 0	0 13 8	34
Wellington	April, 1884	200	93 14 5	4 14 6	*.....
Wilcannia	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Wollongong	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....	*.....
Young	Sept., 1891	200	257 13 6	4 19 9	12,500

* Information

Public Libraries attached to Municipal Institutions, for 1897; also, Number 30th April, 1898.

Classification of Volumes in the Library on 30th April, 1898.												
Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts.	History, Chronology and Antiquities, and Mythology.	Biography and Correspondence.	Geography, Topography, Voyages, Travels, &c.	Periodical and Serial Literature.	Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, etc.	Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education.	Poetry and Drama.	General Literature, Philology, and Collected Works.	Works of Reference.	Prose Works of Fiction.	Books not Classified.	Total.
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	387	387
15	80	35	50	....	16	....	14	.....	6	800	56	1,072
54	109	52	142	....	22	74	48	63	164	1,073	71	1,872
76	....	....	349	....	....	....	26	.....	.....	303	123	877
66	83	23	22	....	....	46	48	.....	.....	116	249	653
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
124	65	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	285	474
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	567	567
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75	59	25	23	....	....	....	14	.....	47	565	43	851
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
77	162	....	45	....	....	....	33	101	106	137	.....	661
61	101	31	52	24	....	15	35	.....	80	.....	75	474
56	57	....	....	....	....	....	.....	236	.....	28	.....	377
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
19	136	37	38	....	82	....	28	.....	23	145	93	601
135	97	105	130	....	....	14	135	.....	34	.....	91	741
....	85	170	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	75	250	40	620
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	187	187
42	59	12	19	....	....	....	43	.....	38	185	90	488
216	174	....	....	27	66	....	.....	.....	93	.....	44	620
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....	100	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300	400
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57	102	....	9	....	39	17	.....	.....	32	.....	83	339
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147	63	29	31	....	83	....	39	.....	35	180	33	640
85	107	....	....	....	....	....	55	50	50	70	85	502
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51	88	112	47	....	....	....	68	.....	.....	2,030	218	2,614
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....	294	....	....	....	....	....	20	.....	17	860	17	1,208
201	277	189	111	....	....	30	50	.....	.....	1,897	189	2,944
116	81	67	65	....	49	3	38	.....	17	481	110	1,027
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	340	340
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192	267	73	126	34	56	38	52	.....	28	247	84	1,197
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	*.....
83	114	100	63	....	....	15	16	.....	42	54	137	624
80	117	53	46	....	19	....	13	80	31	.....	29	468
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	975	975
74	72	131	55	....	....	....	33	.....	240	602	225	1,432
66	47	21	20	....	23	7	45	.....	41	397	166	833
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248	285	260	272	....	....	....	110	.....	50	638	256	2,119

not available.

No. 63.—Visitors to The Public Library of New South Wales, 1869–98.

Year.	No.	Year.	No.	Year.	No.
1869 (three months — 1st Oct. to 31st Dec. Reference Branch first opened.)	17,006	1878	117,047	1889	132,983
1870	59,786	1879 (Exhibition open)	152,036	1890	155,822
1871	60,165	1880	134,462	1891	173,205
1872	48,817	1881	136,272	1892	197,255
1873	76,659	1882 (eleven months)...	133,731	1893	216,089
1874 (eleven months)...	57,962	1883	155,431	1894	330,431
1875	66,900	1884 (eleven months)...	161,877	1895	409,064
1876	72,724	1885	165,715	1896	416,182
1877 (Lending Branch first opened) ...	124,688	1886	168,685	1897	410,987
		1887 (closed three months for moving)	139,203	1898	424,485
		1888	149,425		

The Public Library of New South Wales.—The "Free Public Library" was established on the 1st October, 1869, when the buildings and books of the "Australian Subscription Library" were purchased by the Government. During the years 1886-7 considerable additions were made to the premises, a large portion being entirely rebuilt. The new buildings were opened in April, 1890. In 1877 the operations of the Library were extended by a Lending Branch being attached. Under certain simple regulations books may be borrowed by individuals, country Libraries, Mechanics' Institutes, and Groups of Students in Country Districts, free of charge. The Newspaper Room, formerly attached to the Reference Library, was, in February, 1895, transferred to the Lending Branch. During 1895 the name "Free Public Library" was changed to "The Public Library of New South Wales."

No. 64.—Visitors to The Public Library of New South Wales, 1898.

Branch.	Total Number of Visitors on Week-days.	Average Attendance of Visitors on Week-days.	Total Number of Visitors on Sundays.	Average Attendance of Visitors on Sundays.	Number of Tickets issued to Borrowers.	Total Number of Visitors during the year.
Reference Library ...	168,784	559	8,095	159	.....	176,879
Lending Branch ...	81,305	274	4,131	82	6,348	85,436
Newspaper Room ...	154,716	505	7,454	146	.....	162,170

No. 65.—Number of Volumes Used and Issued from The Public Library of New South Wales during 1898.

Classification.	Reference Library.				Lending Branch.			
	Used on Sundays.		Used on Week-days.		Issued on Sundays.		Issued on Week-days.	
	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.	Total.	Average.
	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.
Natural Phi osophy, Science, and the Arts	1,530	30·0			606	12·1	10,566	30·6
History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology	882	17·3			464	9·3	9,415	27·3
Biography and Correspondence	1,012	19·8			418	8·3	8,246	23·9
Geography, Topography, Voyages and Travels, &c.	845	16·6			630	12·6	11,616	33·7
Periodical and Serial Literature	1,426	28·0			....	....	....	....
Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, &c.	543	10·7	506,454	1,677	142	2·8	1,802	5·2
Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education	394	7·7			169	3·4	3,293	9·5
Poetry and Drama	690	13·5			140	2·8	2,600	7·5
General Literature, Philology, and Collected Works	2,586	50·7			411	8·2	13,069	37·9
Works of Reference	1,032	20·2			....	....	....	....
Prose Works of Fiction	....	....			1,487	29·7	32,078	92·9
Total	10,940	214·5	506,454	1,677	4,467	89·2	92,685	268·5

No. 66.—Volumes in The Public Library of New South Wales on the 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Reference Library.	Lending Library.	For Country Libraries.	Total.
	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.	Vols.
Natural Philosophy, Science, and the Arts	14,080	4,175	1,531	19,786
History, Chronology, Antiquities, and Mythology	7,678	3,654	1,399	12,731
Biography and Correspondence	5,784	4,019	1,778	11,581
Geography, Topography, Voyages and Travels, &c.	7,333	3,703	1,330	12,366
Periodical and Serial Literature	29,447	...	78	29,525
Jurisprudence, Political Economy, Social Science, &c.	6,418	1,274	324	8,016
Theology, Moral and Mental Philosophy, and Education	6,165	1,580	210	7,955
Poetry and Drama	3,269	880	193	4,342
General Literature, Philology, and Collected Works	5,978	*5,061	688	11,727
Works of Reference	4,203	....	8	4,211
Duplicates	2,161	....	....	2,161
Total	92,516	24,346	7,539	124,401

Donations of Books, &c.—During 1898 the general collection of books was increased by 7,174 volumes, inclusive of 3,098 presentations and 324 books received under the provisions of the Copyright Act. One hundred and four newspapers, 12,374 issues, from the other Australasian Colonies and Great Britain were regularly presented to the newspaper-room, and 273 newspapers, 22,240 issues, and periodicals published in New South Wales were supplied, as issued, under the Copyright Act.

* Including 2,277 vols. of fiction.

No. 67.—Books borrowed by Country Libraries from The Public Library of New South Wales, 1898.

Library.	Vols. issued.	Library.	Vols. issued.	Library.	Vols. issued.	Library.	Vols. issued.
	No.		No.		No.		No.
Aberdeen	180	Dudley	252	Kiama	113	Seven Hills	158
Alstonville	167	Dungog	217	Koppin Yarratt	85	Smedmore	138
Armidale	213	East Maitland	200	Largs	41	Smithtown	93
Auburn	47	Eden	195	Laurieton	162	Somersby	211
Balgownie	250	Emmaville	112	Lismore	239	South Grafton	271
Ballina	271	Forbes	184	Lithgow	227	St. Albans	166
Bellingen	179	Galston	89	Macksville	88	Stockton	157
Bermagui	160	Glenhaven	147	Manilla	159	Taree	178
Berrima	185	Glenreagh	264	Menangle	88	Thornleigh	85
Berry	143	Gosford	167	Merriwa	168	Toongabbie	215
Blayney	109	Grafton	85	Metz	189	Ulmarra	95
Bodangora	98	Granville	145	Milthorpe	255	Walcha	109
Bomen	80	Greta	190	Mittagong	205	Waratah	261
Bowral	165	Gulgong	126	Moree	128	Wellington	192
Broadmeadow	85	Gundagai	103	Moss Vale	165	West Kempsey	170
Bullahdelah	156	Gunnedah	178	Mount Kembla	161	West Wallsend	138
Bungendore	183	Gunning	88	Nambucca Heads	277	West Wyalong	56
Burrawang	46	Harden	167	Newcastle	116	Wickham	198
Captain's Flat	86	Helensburgh	225	North Ryde	289	Wollongong Lib. (Municipal).	229
Carcoar	155	Hillgrove	58	Nowra	137	Wolumla	86
Cobargo	90	Hinton	66	Parramatta	43	Woodburn	83
Collector	91	Hornsby Junc.	249	Plattsburg	213	Woonona	203
Cooma	67	Jamberoo	129	Port Macquarie	131	Wyong	161
Copeland	138	Jasper's Brush	101	Queanbeyan	211	Yass	140
Coraki	228	Jerilderie	179	Quirindi	184	Young Wallsend	151
Cowra	252	Jindera	86	Richmond	129		
Crookwell	162	Kadina	88	Rockdale	176		
Cundletown	94	Kangaroo Valley	86	Ryde	59	Total	17,253
Dubbo	175	Kenthurst	263	Sackville Reach	177		

No. 68.—Expenditure in connection with The Public Library of New South Wales, 1898.

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	Head of Expenditure.	Amount.
	£		£
Salaries—Reference Library—Country Exchanges and Historical Records	3,502	Miscellaneous—Freight, Repairs, Bookshelves, Insurance, Country Boxes	502
Salaries—Lending Branch	1,434		
,, Newspaper Room	132	Total Expenditure	£ 7,123
Books, Periodicals, and Binding	1,553		

NOTE.—The administration of the Copyright Act, the editing of the Historical Records of New South Wales, the administrative work of the Board for International Exchanges, and the printing of the Reference Library Catalogue are performed by the staff of the Public Library of New South Wales.

No. 69.—Number of Members, Receipts, and Disbursements, Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts, 1894–98.

NUMBER OF MEMBERS.

Year.	Male.	Female.	Life Members.	Total.
1894	1,326	770	260	2,356
1895	1,243	623	257	2,123
1896	1,186	502	255	1,943
1897	1,390	414	252	2,056
1898	1,478	454	246	2,178

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.

Year.	Receipts.					Disbursements.				
	Subscriptions.	Government Subsidy.	Rent of Halls.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Salaries.	Reading Room.	Library.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1894	2,352	1,176	439	152	4,119	1,338	438	351	2,058	4,185
1895	2,050	1,025	392	93	3,560	1,333	345	343	1,936	3,957
1896	1,927	964	456	411	3,758	1,299	476	592	1,425	3,792
1897	1,909	954	585	109	3,557	1,281	346	401	1,618	3,646
1898	1,975	988	561	108	3,632	1,242	329	451	1,585	3,607

Sydney Mechanics' School of Arts.—This Institution was established in 1833. The Lending Library contains upwards of 50,000 volumes. The Reference Library and Reading Room contain 3,750 works, besides newspapers and magazines. Classes for technical education, established in 1865, are still conducted, and are open to non-members; examinations are held, and certificates of ability are issued to successful scholars. The attendances at these classes were 195 during 1893, 186 during 1894, 190 during 1895, 191 during 1896, 241 during 1897, and 240 during 1898.

No. 70.—Visitors to, Expenditure of, and Presentations to, National Art Gallery of New South Wales, 1898.

VISITORS AND EXPENDITURE.

Visitors.		Expenditure.	
	No.	Prior to January, 1898:—	£
		Expended on works of art, maintenance, &c.	108,953
Visitors on 51 Sundays	92,058	During 1898:—	£
„ 312 week-days	155,281	Oil-paintings (11)	2,676
		Water colors (2)	115
Total on 363 days ...	247,339	Pastel (2)	155
		Black and White (23) ...	104
	No.	Modelling, &c. (31)... ...	361
Average attendance:—		Frames, freight, insurance, and sundries	436
On Sundays	1,805	Salaries and wages	1,399
„ week-days	497	Repairs, fittings, &c. ...	166
			5,412
		Total to the end of 1898...	114,365

PRESENTATIONS.

Subject.	Presented by—
Portrait (in Oil) of Right Hon. G. H. Reid, P.C., Premier of New South Wales, by Gordon Coutts.	Right Hon. G. H. Reid, P.C.

Art Students.—Persons desirous of studying in the Gallery are permitted to do so under certain conditions. The number of students registered is 281, of whom 15 were admitted in 1898.

PART IX.

LAW AND CRIME.

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PART IX.—LAW AND CRIME.

No. 1.—Police and Police Districts.

STRENGTH OF POLICE, 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

District.	Head-quarters.	Sub-districts.	Police Force. Mounted.	Foot.	Total.
Metropolitan ...	Central Police Court, Sydney.	No. 1 Division, Clarence-street „ 2 „ Regent-street „ 3 „ Darlinghurst. „ 4 „ George-street N. „ 5 „ Newtown North Sydney ... ... Water Police Station ...	16	691	707
Eastern	Belmore Barracks, Sydney	Parramatta	55	73	128
North-eastern ...	West Maitland ...	Newcastle, Kempsey	78	113	191
Northern ...	Armidale	Grafton, Lismore	68	50	118
North-western ...	Tamworth	Narrabri	56	28	84
Bourke	Bourke	Walgett	60	19	79
Western ...	Bathurst	Orange, Forbes, Dubbo, Mudgee	121	73	194
South-western ...	Deniliquin	Hay, Broken Hill, Wilcannia ...	68	43	111
The Murray ...	Albury	Wagga Wagga, Gundagai, Narrandera..	52	39	91
Southern ...	Goulburn	Cooma, Young, Braidwood, Yass	111	58	169
Depôt, Sydney ...	Belmore Barracks ...	.....	38	31	69
Detectives ...	.....	.....	.....	16	*16
		Total	723	1,234	1,957

CLASSIFICATION.

Mounted.				Foot.			
Superintendents ...	*11	Sergeants	56	Senior-Sergeants ...	29	Constables ...	973
Inspectors... ...	13	Senior-Constables...	140	Sergeants	59	Detectives ...	13
Sub-Inspectors ...	†30	Constables... ...	445	Senior-Constables ..	157		
Senior-Sergeants ...	31						
		Total	726			Total	1,231

* Includes Superintendent in charge of detectives. † Includes two Sub-Inspectors of detectives.

STRENGTH OF POLICE, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Proportion of Inhabitants to each Police Officer.	Year.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Total.	Proportion of Inhabitants to each Police Officer.
1889	543	1,024	1,567	690	1894	731	1,088	1,819	688
1890	594	1,057	1,651	679	1895	745	1,108	1,853	690
1891	643	1,022	1,665	699	1896	749	1,125	1,874	687
1892	697	1,059	1,756	682	1897	754	1,143	1,897	691
1893	714	1,062	1,776	689	1898	792	1,165	1,957	682

NOTE.—There are 560 Police Stations in the Colony.

Section I.—CRIMINAL JURISDICTION.

No. 2.—Lower Courts.—Persons brought before Magistrates during 1898.

Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total.	
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Metropolitan—																		
Central Police	6,681	2,745	1,298	459	326	104	128	35	369	208	376	104	157	18	7	1	9,342	3,674
Water Police	3,295	913	1,234	120	219	72	198	48	203	27	653	57	138	11	14	2	5,954	1,250
Newtown	803	210	903	80	74	20	102	16	64	3	197	23	51	2	3	..	2,197	354
Redfern	696	164	362	55	44	8	52	19	51	13	103	22	16	2	1	..	1,325	283
North Sydney	230	36	221	14	11	2	19	9	11	4	68	5	16	1	..	..	576	71
Glebe	255	70	208	33	43	9	44	20	28	3	64	19	25	3	..	..	667	157
Balmain	154	30	258	13	10	2	33	15	8	2	44	5	11	..	..	..	518	67
Paddington	447	98	273	33	18	2	42	14	9	4	117	17	14	3	..	..	920	171
Total	*12,561	†4,266	‡4,757	807	745	219	618	176	743	264	1,622	252	428	40	25	3	21,499	6,027
Country—																		
Aberdeen	18	..	13	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..	37	3
Adaminaby	9	..	12	..	..	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	2
Adelong	26	..	27	2	4	..	5	..	..	..	7	..	2	..	..	..	71	2
Albion Park	12	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	33	..
Albury	264	19	66	9	28	3	8	..	2	..	16	2	8	..	3	..	395	33
Angledool	15	3	15	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	36	3
Araluen	6	..	10	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	..
Armidale	144	..	101	5	5	1	5	..	..	..	9	4	5	..	..	1	269	11
Ballina	80	1	17	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	5	1	1	..	1	..	110	2
Balranald	24	..	4	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	32	..
Barmedman	11	1	27	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	47	1
Barraba	57	1	33	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	112	1
Barringun	23	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	28	..
Bateman's Bay	2	..	6	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Bathurst	90	18	27	2	5	2	8	3	3	..	13	2	23	..	1	..	170	27
Bega	51	..	27	..	3	..	7	..	1	1	15	..	3	..	..	..	107	1
Bellingen	6	..	14	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	32	..
Bendemeer	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Bemboka	1	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Berrigan	95	2	7	..	8	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	113	2
Berrima	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1
Berry	16	..	17	1	2	..	8	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	48	2
Binalong	..	2	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2
Bingara	82	1	37	1	4	..	7	..	..	..	18	1	1	..	..	..	149	3
Blackville	3	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Blayney	73	..	17	..	2	..	4	..	1	..	2	..	6	..	..	..	105	..
Boggabilla	18	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	13	..	3	..	..	..	43	..
Boggabri	38	2	23	1	3	..	6	..	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	73	5
Bombala	30	..	17	1	6	1	3	..	2	..	5	1	3	..	13	..	79	3
Booligal	15	..	8	1	..	..	2	1	1	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	33	2
Bourke	172	9	60	..	12	..	5	1	4	..	15	2	3	1	2	..	273	13
Bowral	33	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	45	..
Bowraville	2	..	6	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	16	..
Braidwood	25	..	26	1	4	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	66	1
Branxton	7	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	19	..
Brewarrina	73	..	10	..	4	..	1	2	..	..	3	..	2	..	2	..	95	2
Broken Hill	1,375	74	358	32	34	4	39	8	9	2	75	14	18	2	2	..	1,910	136
Buckley's Crossing	2	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Bulladelah	1	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	18	..
Bulli	13	..	34	4	..	..	1	1	..	..	10	1	3	..	1	..	62	6
Bundarra	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	13	..

* Includes 9 persons released under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.
† ,, 3 ,, ,, ,,
‡ ,, 1 ,, ,, ,,

The jurisdiction of Magistrates is limited to offences involving a penalty of **six months** imprisonment and under in all cases except those under the "Distillation Acts" and the "Customs Regulations Acts," when sentence of twelve months can be imposed, and two years for cases under the "Chinese Restriction and Regulation Act of 1888," and the "Children's Protection Act, 1892."

No. 2.—Persons brought before Magistrates, 1898—*continued.*

Court.	Convicted.				Discharged after Evidence.				Persons whose cases were withdrawn or struck out.				Committed.				Total.	
	Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.		Arrests.		Private and Police Summonses.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Country—*continued.*																		
Bungendore	5	..	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	15	..
Bungwall	3	..	22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	27	..
Burraga	2	..	9	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	1	..	19	1
Burrowa	12	1	30	..	5	..	12	3	..	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	63	4
Byrock	43	..	17	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	6	..	..	..	72	..
Byron Bay	11	..	9	1	1	..	2	1	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..	27	3
Camden	28	1	20	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	55	1
Camden Haven	5	1	17	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	24	4
Campbelltown	26	4	5	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	39	4
Candelo	7	..	11	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	27	..
Canowindra	9	1	10	2	..	..	2	..	..	..	7	3	..	..	..	..	28	6
Captain's Flat	22	..	43	2	5	..	9	1	1	..	15	1	..	..	..	1	95	5
Carcoar	9	..	28	2	5	..	2	..	..	..	8	..	2	1	..	..	54	3
Carrathool	36	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	44	..
Casino	35	..	22	..	3	..	8	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	75	..
Cassilis	5	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Central Tilba	1	..	11	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	15	2
Cessnock	3	..	22	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	34	..
Clare	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Clarence Town	5	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Clifton	5	..	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	2	..	..	..	28	..
Cobar	218	7	113	10	13	2	17	3	1	..	22	4	5	..	..	..	389	26
Cobargo	14	..	31	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	50	..
Cobborah	3	..	9	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	14	..
Collarendebri	19	..	5	..	6	..	2	..	5	..	3	..	1	1	..	..	41	1
Collector	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Condobolin	56	4	24	3	7	1	8	..	1	..	8	..	3	1	1	..	108	9
Coolah	19	..	7	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	29	1
Coolamon	38	..	17	1	4	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	64	1
Cooma	31	..	33	4	7	..	13	..	1	..	12	1	3	1	4	2	104	8
Coonabarabran	26	..	31	..	3	1	8	..	..	..	4	2	7	..	..	..	79	3
Coonamble	112	9	46	5	7	1	5	1	2	..	12	..	10	..	..	..	194	16
Coopernook	4	..	7	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	15	1
Cooranbong	3	..	4	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Cootamundra	181	13	115	18	14	2	18	..	2	1	10	3	9	1	..	..	349	38
Copeland	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	12	..
Coraki	21	1	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	30	1
Corowa	175	10	10	3	16	2	1	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	208	15
Cowra	91	1	62	8	6	..	2	..	..	..	19	1	12	..	2	..	194	10
Crookwell	30	2	42	..	1	..	5	1	..	..	12	..	3	..	..	..	93	3
Cudal	7	..	12	..	1	..	12	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	36	..
Cudgellico (Lake)	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..
Cudgen	17	1	24	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	1	1	..	..	49	2
Cumnock	29	3	13	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	43	4
Cundletown	7	1	9	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	26	1
Dalmorton	..	..	....	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
Dandaloo	10	..	8	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	..	..	25	..
Darlington Point	6	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	2
Daysdale	34	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	2
Deepwater	4	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	14	..
Delegate	24	..	14	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	43	..
Deniliquin	165	13	39	2	19	1	3	3	..	..	10	1	5	1	..	.	241	21
Denman	7	..	2	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Drake	15	..	6	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23	1
Dubbo	189	27	63	5	12	..	16	2	5	..	14	3	24	4	..	..	323	41
Dungog	13	2	12	..	2	1	3	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	36	4
Eden	5	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Emmaville	4	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	10	2
Euabalong	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Euston	8	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Finlay	22	1	14	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	40	2
Forbes	60	4	48	..	8	1	22	3	3	..	32	3	10	1	2	1	185	13
Forster	1	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	21	..

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Frogmore	4	..	8	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	18	1
Germanton	50	1	3	..	7	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	67	2
Gilgandra	7	..	9	..	4	..	5	..	..	..	8	..	2	..	..	..	35	..
Gilgunnia	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Gladstone	9	1	33	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	10	1	..	..	..	..	59	2
Glen Innes	88	2	36	3	2	..	2	4	1	1	4	..	1	..	2	1	136	11
Goodooga	44	..	19	..	3	..	4	..	5	..	14	..	1	..	..	..	90	..
Gosford	17	..	34	..	1	..	3	..	2	..	6	1	1	..	..	..	64	1
Goulburn	149	8	208	16	13	..	20	1	4	..	28	4	7	..	1	..	430	29
Grafton	99	1	69	1	13	..	23	1	1	1	89	11	6	2	5	..	305	17
Grenfell	28	..	44	1	2	..	12	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	91	1
Gresford	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Greta	24	..	34	2	..	..	3	..	..	..	13	..	1	..	..	..	75	2
Gulgong	12	3	21	1	1	..	6	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	42	5
Gundagai	123	4	62	5	8	..	13	5	..	..	9	..	7	..	..	..	222	14
Gundaroo	1	..	20	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	..
Gunnedah	39	2	83	4	7	1	15	..	..	..	19	2	13	1	..	..	226	10
Gunning	3	..	28	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	45	1
Guyra	8	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	20	..
Hargreaves	1	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Hay	131	4	94	2	5	1	6	1	2	..	12	3	4	..	..	..	254	11
Helensburgh	10	1	41	6	..	1	2	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	56	9
Hill End	4	..	14	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	22	..
Hillgrove	35	3	39	4	1	1	7	..	..	..	6	1	3	1	1	..	92	10
Hillston	33	..	15	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	5	1	2	1	..	..	58	4
Howlong	6	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	1	..	..	..	16	1
Hunter's Hill	37	5	38	..	3	..	1	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	86	5
Inverell	161	2	48	4	6	..	24	1	4	..	12	2	8	..	3	..	266	9
Ivanhoe	4	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	7	..
Jerilderie	91	7	7	1	1	..	3	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	108	9
Jerry's Plains	2	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Jindabyne	1	..	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	13	..
Jugiong	10	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	19	..
Junee	95	7	20	4	3	1	5	1	1	..	5	2	5	..	..	..	134	15
Kangaroo Valley	10	..	19	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	39	..
Katoomba	42	6	30	1	3	..	8	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	90	7
Kempsey	52	..	101	1	7	..	17	1	..	..	9	..	9	..	..	..	195	2
Kiama	51	3	35	2	1	..	9	2	..	..	9	..	..	1	..	..	105	8
Kiandra	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	2
Lambton	34	1	90	3	4	..	7	1	..	..	26	..	..	..	1	..	162	5
Lawrence	2	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	18	..
Leadville	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Lismore	222	6	88	..	13	1	17	1	1	..	15	1	6	..	..	1	362	10
Lithgow	62	2	41	1	8	..	11	..	..	..	6	1	9	1	1	..	138	5
Liverpool	72	1	78	6	7	..	16	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	179	7
Louth	8	..	13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	..	..	..	28	1
Maclean	24	..	40	..	2	..	2	1	1	..	13	..	..	..	..	..	82	1
Maitland, East	24	..	37	1	2	..	20	1	..	..	9	..	1	..	..	..	93	2
Maitland, West	164	13	100	5	4	1	17	1	1	..	8	..	11	..	3	..	308	20
Manilla	118	1	25	1	..	..	8	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	159	2
Marengo	1	..	12	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	16	1
Marsdens	1	..	6	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	12	..
Marulan	2	..	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	9	..
Mathoura	5	1	6	..	6	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	22	1
Menindie	6	..	2	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	19	..
Merriwa	18	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	34	2
Michelago	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Milparinka	15	1	8	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	1
Milton	11	1	9	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	30	1
Minmi	4	..	53	3	..	1	3	1	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	63	8
Mittagong	21	1	9	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	4	..	..	..	37	1
Moama	19	3	14	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	8	..	1	..	..	..	47	3

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Molong	28	..	4	..	5	1	3	..	..	..	5	2	1	..	..	..	46	3
Morangarell	..	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	..
Moree	384	11	81	2	33	1	9	1	1	..	17	..	11	..	..	..	536	15
Morpeth	10	1	7	2	..	..	6	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	26	4
Moruya	18	2	34	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	65	3
Mossgiel	5	1	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	16	1
Moss Vale	57	3	45	2	4	..	2	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	112	6
Moulamein	31	..	5	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	.	..	1	..	..	..	46	..
Mount Hope	7	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Mount M'Donald	13	..	20	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	35	1
Mudgee	43	..	33	..	7	..	11	2	..	..	13	..	8	.	1	..	116	2
Mullumbimby	10	1	5	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	19	1
Mulwala	20	1	13	..	..	..	17	1	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	56	2
Mungindi	44	..	25	..	11	..	4	1	1	..	6	.	1	..	..	..	92	1
Murrumburrah	35		37	2	5	..	6	..	..	..	9	..	4	..	1	..	97	5
Murrurundi	20		23	2	1	..	6	1	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	59	4
Murwillumbah	49	4	39	1	3	..	8	3	1	..	10	..	5	..	..	..	115	8
Muswellbrook	44	2	21	1	7	1	7	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	83	4
Nambucca	2	..	6	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	14	..
Narrabri	206	9	46	3	11	..	14	..	1	..	19	5	11	..	..	..	308	17
Narrandera	298	5	100	15	15	2	16	..	..	..	24	2	15	..	1	..	469	24
Narromine	51	..	11	..	22	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	90	..
Nelligen	1	..	10	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	16	1
Nerrigundah	2	..	11	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Nevertire	23	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	26	2
Newcastle	1,262	101	296	34	56	5	56	14	32	1	86	15	50	1	3	1	1,841	172
Nimitybelle	4	..	....	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Nundle	7	..	20	..	..	1	2	1	1	..	8	..	4	..	..	..	42	2
Nowra	62	..	58	..	1	..	8	..	..	..	5	..	4	..	1	..	139	..
Nymagee	57	2	6	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	5	1	2	..	..	..	77	3
Nyngan	254	6	45	3	18	..	15	2	..	1	11	..	6	1	..	..	349	13
Oberon	3	..	7	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	6	1	3	..	..	..	27	1
Obley	5	..	18	1	1	..	6	..	..	..	7	..	3	..	..	..	40	1
Orange	215	21	74	4	33	1	16	2	10	..	12	2	15	1	1	..	376	31
Oxley	5	2	4	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	17	2
Pambula	13	..	10	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	31	2
Parkes	76	4	40	3	12	1	8	1	3	..	10	..	1	..	..	..	150	9
Parramatta	319	38	240	21	23	6	30	4	13	3	69	8	26	..	..	..	720	80
Paterson	1	..	....	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Peak Hill	42	1	9	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	59	2
Penrith	61	3	66	5	2	..	9	1	1	..	22	1	6	..	..	..	167	10
Picton	40	2	31	..	4	1	5	1	4	..	3	2	..	..	1	..	88	6
Pilliga	20	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	32	..
Pooncarie	4	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	10	1
Port Macquarie	36	1	29	..	1	1	12	1	1	..	11	..	3	1	..	..	93	4
Quambone	1	..	....	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
Queanbeyan	14	1	21	..	1	..	4	..	..	..	2	..	3	..	1	..	46	1
Quirindi	181	2	27	1	1	2	2	2	2	..	10	..	1	..	..	..	224	7
Raymond Terrace	14	1	20	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	5	..	2	..	..	..	51	1
Richmond	21	3	44	1	1	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	..	1	..	..	76	5
Robertson	9	..	3	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	1
Rockley	4	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Ryde	75	2	62	5	3	..	12	1	..	..	18	..	4	..	..	..	174	8
Rylstone	4	..	16	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	3	..	..	.	..	..	28	1
Scone	39	..	35	..	1	..	2	.	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	82	..
Singleton	44	1	51	1	5	..	15	1	1	..	11	..	2	..	..	..	129	3
Silverton	18	..	7	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	29	..
Sofala	7	..	34	..	1	..	12	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	3	..	60	..
St. Albans	3	..	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	17	..
Stroud	2	..	11	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	17	1
Stuart Town	10	..	9	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	27	1
Sunny Corner	18	1	8	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	3	..	2	1	..	..	37	2
Swamp Oak	1	..	3	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Swansea	6	..	38	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	50	3

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Tamworth	418	23	109	7	16	1	10	1	6	..	21	3	3	..	1	..	584	35
Taralga	9	..	11	..	2	1	5	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	31	1
Taree	20	..	17	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	46	..
Tarrawingie	13	..	.....	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	..
Tea Gardens	3	..	5	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	13	1
Temora	58	2	17	1	5	..	5	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	91	3
Tenterfield	51	..	37	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	93	..
Thackaringa	1	..	.....	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
Tibooburra	13	..	8	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	26	1
Tingha	3	1	6	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	12	3
Tocumwal	38	2	17	1	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	3
Trangie	30	1	7	1	..	..	3	3	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	43	7
Trunkey	1	..	2	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	13	1
Tuena	2	..	12	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	18	2
Tumbarumba	17	..	23	..	3	..	4	..	3	..	5	..	5	..	..	..	60	..
Tumut	59	1	89	1	2	..	8	..	1	..	12	1	2	..	..	..	173	3
Ulmarra	5	..	12	..	1	..	5	..	..	..	8	..	1	..	1	..	33	..
Uralla	31	..	18	..	1	..	3	1	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	61	1
Urana	58	..	11	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	74	1
Wagga Wagga	229	14	145	8	14	2	16	1	2	..	25	3	12	..	..	..	443	28
Walbundrie	6	..	6	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	22	..
Walcha	53	..	9	..	7	..	2	..	1	..	1	..	6	..	3	..	82	..
Walgett	122	4	12	2	6	..	18	..	1	..	14	..	5	..	..	..	178	6
Wallerawang	9	..	9	3	1	..	1	1	..	..	3	..	2	..	1	..	26	4
Wallsend & Plattsburg	50	1	101	1	2	..	6	1	1	..	16	1	2	..	..	..	178	4
Wanaaring	21	..	4	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	30	..
Waratah	5	..	9	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	6	..	5	..	..	..	28	1
Wardell	56	..	15	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	78	..
Warialda	76	2	22	3	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	107	5
Warren	197	7	34	..	8	1	11	..	1	..	24	1	5	..	..	..	280	9
Wee Waa	24	1	12	1	1	..	4	1	..	..	8	3	1	..	..	..	50	6
Wellington	124	11	56	7	19	..	9	1	4	2	11	1	5	..	..	..	228	22
Wentworth	33	..	7	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	45	..
White Cliffs	86	3	26	1	8	..	6	..	..	..	3	..	7	..	2	..	138	4
Whitton	17	..	10	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	31	..
Wilcannia	142	1	36	4	1	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	4	..	1	..	191	5
Wilson's Downfall ..	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	7	..
Windeyer	1	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
Windsor	37	4	29	1	2	..	6	1	..	..	6	1	2	..	..	..	82	7
Wingham	1	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
Wollar	1	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	..	1	..	9	3
Wollombi	2	..	10	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	19	..
Wollongong	86	2	102	5	4	..	16	1	2	..	23	2	3	1	..	..	236	11
Wolumla	1	..	10	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..
Woodburn	4	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Wyalong	123	2	78	5	13	1	13	3	..	..	18	1	9	1	1	..	255	13
Wyndham	..	..	8	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	12	3
Yantabulla	4	..	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	14	..
Yass	32	3	44	6	16	1	8	..	..	..	9	..	1	..	1	..	111	10
Yetman	4	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	13	..
Young	87	3	30	3	6	..	5	..	..	..	8	..	6	..	..	..	142	6
Total Country ..	*14,052	†658	‡7,378	§397	920	64	1,356	138	184	15	1,796	159	674	31	85	9	26,445	1,471
Total, New South Wales	‖26,613	¶4,924	**12,135	1 204 ††	1,665	283	1,974	314	927	279	3,418	411	1,102	71	110	12	47,944	7,498

* Includes 27 persons released under the provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.
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No. 3.—Disposal of Persons brought before Magistrates, 1898.

Metropolitan.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Convicted	12,561	4,266	16,827	4,757	807	5,564	17,318	5,073	22,391
Committed for Trial... ...	428	40	468	25	3	28	453	43	496
Discharged after Evidence ...	745	219	964	618	176	794	1,363	395	1,758
Case withdrawn or struck out	743	264	1,007	1,622	252	1,874	2,365	516	2,881
Total...	14,477	4,789	19,266	7,022	1,238	8,260	21,499	6,027	27,526

Country.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Convicted	14,052	658	14,710	7,378	397	7,775	21,430	1,055	22,485
Committed for Trial... ...	674	31	705	85	9	94	759	40	799
Discharged after Evidence ...	920	64	984	1,356	138	1,494	2,276	202	2,478
Case withdrawn or struck out	184	15	199	1,796	159	1,955	1,980	174	2,154
Total...	15,830	768	16,598	10,615	703	11,318	26,445	1,471	27,916

New South Wales.

Classification.	Arrest.			Private and Police Summons.			Totals.		
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Convicted	26,613	4,924	31,537	12,135	1,204	13,339	38,748	6,128	44,876
Committed for Trial... ...	1,102	71	1,173	110	12	122	1,212	83	1,295
Discharged after Evidence ...	1,665	283	1,948	1,974	314	2,288	3,639	597	4,236
Case withdrawn or struck out	927	279	1,206	3,418	411	3,829	4,345	690	5,035
Total...	30,307	5,557	35,864	17,637	1,941	19,578	47,944	7,498	55,442

NOTE.—The number of arrests is accurately known for four years only. Prior to 1895 the returns have been found to be unsatisfactory, and the numbers in the following summary are merely estimates, although probably fairly close. For 1895-98 the figures are exact.

Year.	Number of Arrests.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	28,283	5,729	34,012
1890	29,000	5,210	34,210
1891	34,132	5,880	40,012
1892	34,655	5,790	40,445
1893	32,619	5,943	38,562
1894	30,334	5,710	36,044
1895	31,298	5,641	36,939
1896	30,693	5,949	36,642
1897	29,773	5,670	35,443
1898	30,307	5,557	35,864

No. 4.—Classification of Offences dealt with by Magistrates, 1898.

Metropolitan.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn or Struck out.	Committed for Trial.	Total.	No. of persons represented by the foregoing figures.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons				
Offences against the Person... ...	1,404	776	650	200	1,132	198	2,180	1,973
Offences against Property with violence	487	121	190	50	171	197	608	426
Offences against Property without violence	2,700	251	1,369	47	1,105	430	2,951	2,379
Forgery and Offences against the Currency	87	...	...	...	14	73	87	37
Offences against Good Order ...	15,855	2,971	15,216	2,224	1,382	4	18,826	18,003
Offences not included in preceding...	448	4,538	276	3,233	1,453	24	4,986	4,708
Total	20,981	8,657	17,701	5,754	5,257	926	29,638	27,526

Country.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn or Struck out.	Committed for Trial.	Total.	No. of persons represented by the foregoing figures.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons				
Offences against the Person... ...	1,280	1,276	766	457	1,048	285	2,556	2,347
Offences against Property with violence	340	177	141	72	165	139	517	411
Offences against Property without violence	2,601	617	1,602	236	975	405	3,218	2,825
Forgery and Offences against the Currency	59	...	...	...	11	48	59	46
Offences against Good Order ...	15,400	4,275	14,907	3,183	1,576	9	19,675	16,297
Offences not included in preceding...	629	5,885	505	4,365	1,594	50	6,514	5,990
Total	20,309	12,230	17,921	8,313	5,369	936	32,539	27,916

New South Wales.

Classification.	Offences of Persons.		Adjudications excluding Committals.		Withdrawn or Struck out.	Committed for Trial.	Total.	No. of persons represented by the foregoing figures.
	Arrest.	Summons	Arrest.	Summons				
Offences against the Person	2,684	2,052	1,416	657	2,180	483	4,736	4,320
Offences against Property with violence	827	298	331	122	336	336	1,125	837
Offences against Property without violence	5,301	868	2,971	283	2,080	835	6,169	5,204
Forgery and offences against the Currency	146	...	...	...	25	121	146	83
Offences against Good Order ...	31,255	7,246	30,123	5,407	2,958	13	38,501	34,300
Offences not included in preceding ...	1,077	10,423	781	7,598	3,047	74	11,500	10,698
Total	41,290	20,887	35,622	14,067	10,626	1,862	62,177	55,442

No. 5.—Offences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1898.

(NOTE.—Multiple charges are excluded : Each person is only considered as being charged with the most serious offence brought against him or her.)

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with.						Committed to Higher Court.		
				Convicted.			Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.					
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Offences against the Person—												
Murder	10	5	15	..	..	..	5	..	5	5	5	10
Attempt to murder	10	1	11	..	..	..	1	1	2	9	..	9
Accessory to murder	4	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	1	5
Manslaughter	11	3	14	..	..	..	10	3	13	1	..	1
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	119	5	124	4	..	4	48	3	51	67	2	69
Shooting at with intent to do grievous bodily harm	10	..	10	..	..	..	3	..	3	7	..	7
Wounding with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	48	4	52	1	..	1	15	4	19	32	..	32
Assault and robbery	129	9	138	..	..	..	55	6	61	74	3	77
Assault with intent to rob	9	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	3	6	..	6
Common assault	2,715	396	3,111	1,242	129	1,371	1,434	267	1,701	39	..	39
Obstructing workmen by violence, or threat of violence	6	..	6	2	..	2	4	..	4	..	..	..
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing Police	485	17	502	465	17	482	14	..	14	6	..	6
Not providing wife with necessaries, endangering life	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
Wife and child desertion when prosecuted criminally	5	10	15	..	1	1	5	7	12	..	2	2
Maliciously endangering life by obstructing railway	10	..	10	1	..	1	1	..	1	8	..	8
Rape	18	..	18	..	..	..	10	..	10	8	..	8
Attempt to commit rape	25	..	25	..	..	..	10	..	10	15	..	15
Carnally knowing a girl under 10 years, or attempts at	6	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6
Carnally knowing a girl over 10 and under 14 years, or attempts at	18	..	18	..	..	..	4	..	4	14	..	14
Carnal knowledge by a father, or attempts at	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Sodomy, or attempts at	21	..	21	..	..	..	2	..	2	19	..	19
Bestiality, or attempts at	9	..	9	..	..	..	3	..	3	6	..	6
Lewdness	8	..	8	..	..	..	2	..	2	6	..	6
Indecent assault	59	..	59	3	..	3	20	..	20	36	..	36
Abduction	21	1	22	..	..	..	11	1	12	10	..	10
Bigamy	6	1	7	..	..	..	1	..	1	5	1	6
Procuring miscarriage	5	6	11	..	..	..	..	2	2	5	4	9
Concealing birth of an infant	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Suicide, attempt to commit	62	27	89	56	19	75	6	7	13	..	1	1
All other	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	1
Total	3,832	488	4,320	1,774	166	1,940	1,668	302	1,970	390	20	410
Offences against Property with Violence—												
Breaking and entering with intent to steal, or attempts at	205	2	207	2	..	2	48	1	49	155	1	156
Burglary	36	1	37	..	..	..	5	..	5	31	1	32
Maliciously injuring property	496	67	563	295	40	335	191	27	218	10	..	10
Feloniously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, horses, &c.	30	..	30	7	..	7	10	..	10	13	..	13
Total	767	70	837	304	40	344	254	28	282	209	2	211
Offences against Property without Violence—												
Forgery (when not connected with Currency)	8	2	10	..	..	..	..	1	1	8	1	9
Stealing in company	150	11	161	97	2	99	49	9	58	4	..	4
Simple larceny	2,801	364	3,165	1,884	193	2,077	755	152	907	162	19	181
Stealing from the person	86	21	107	36	10	46	20	6	26	30	5	35
Stealing from a dwelling	70	12	82	16	3	19	18	3	21	36	6	42
Stealing from a vessel in port	6	..	6	3	..	3	2	..	2	1	..	1
Cattle stealing	43	4	47	..	..	..	15	..	15	28	4	32
Horse stealing	70	..	70	2	..	2	21	..	21	47	..	47
Sheep stealing	30	2	32	..	..	..	6	2	8	24	..	24
Dog stealing	27	..	27	12	..	12	9	..	9	6	..	6
Embezzlement	93	..	93	40	..	40	43	..	43	10	..	10
Attempt to steal	77	..	77	63	..	63	12	..	12	2	..	2
False pretences	302	15	317	133	7	140	128	4	132	41	4	45
Larceny as a bailee or agent	70	5	75	24	1	25	34	3	37	12	1	13
Larceny as a co-partner	7	..	7	..	..	..	6	..	6	1	..	1
Receiving stolen property	47	12	59	11	4	15	20	6	26	16	2	18

No. 5.—Offences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1898—*contd.*

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with.						Committed to Higher Court.		
				Convicted.			Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.					
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Offences against Property without Violence—*continued.*												
Having possession of suspected stolen property	301	22	323	192	11	203	109	11	120	..	..	..
Illegally pawning	5	2	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2	7
Illegally using cattle or horses	79	..	79	45	..	45	34	..	34	..	..	..
Misappropriating a valuable security	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
Fraudulent appropriation	157	10	167	63	2	65	91	8	99	3	..	3
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony	11	..	11	1	..	1	4	..	4	6	..	6
Being unlawfully on premises	152	4	156	87	1	88	62	3	65	3	..	3
Careless use of fire	29	..	29	21	..	21	7	..	7	1	..	1
Setting fire to crops	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Setting fire to house, &c.	28	2	30	..	..	..	12	1	13	16	1	17
Destroying Government property	13	3	16	13	1	14	..	2	2	..	..	..
Stealing or tampering with letter	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
Being accessory to a crime	15	7	22	3	..	3	6	3	9	6	4	10
Accusing of crime to extort money	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
All other	19	1	20	8	..	8	4	1	5	7	..	7
Total	4,705	499	5,204	2,754	235	2,989	1,467	215	1,682	484	49	533
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—												
Forgery	18	1	19	..	..	..	5	..	5	13	1	14
Uttering	19	..	19	..	..	..	8	..	8	11	..	11
Forgery and uttering	30	3	33	..	..	..	3	1	4	27	2	29
Having, making, or putting off counterfeit coin	11	1	12	..	..	..	4	..	4	7	1	8
Total	78	5	83	..	..	..	20	1	21	58	4	62
Offences against Good Order—												
Drunkenness	12,642	2,639	15,281	12,565	2,631	15,196	77	8	85	..	..	..
Drunkenness, habitual	29	34	63	29	30	59	..	4	4	..	..	..
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	3,323	730	4,053	3,282	726	4,008	41	4	45	..	..	..
Riotous or indecent behaviour	2,769	312	3,081	2,476	299	2,775	289	13	302	4	..	4
Throwing missiles	212	14	226	163	8	171	49	6	55	..	..	..
Furious or negligent driving or riding	241	1	242	211	1	212	30	..	30	..	..	..
Obscenely exposing the person	269	3	272	258	3	261	11	..	11	..	..	..
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	5,746	1,070	6,816	5,102	834	5,936	644	236	880	..	..	..
Being an idle and disorderly person	38	11	49	28	7	35	10	4	14	..	..	..
Vagrancy	775	653	1,428	481	391	872	294	262	556	..	..	..
Being a suspected person	85	1	86	55	1	56	30	..	30	..	..	..
Begging alms	57	8	65	51	8	59	6	..	6	..	..	..
Breach of the Peace	297	54	351	134	11	145	163	43	206	..	..	..
Keeping a common brothel or disorderly house	5	7	12	..	..	..	3	2	5	2	5	7
Cruelty to animals	751	12	763	604	10	614	147	2	149	..	..	..
Gambling	300	..	300	251	..	251	49	..	49	..	..	..
Other offences against Police Acts	1,151	61	1,212	972	51	1,023	179	10	189	..	..	..
Total	28,690	5,610	34,300	26,662	5,011	31,673	2,022	594	2,616	6	5	11
Offences not included in the preceding—												
Perjury	21	..	21	..	..	..	8	..	8	13	..	13
Making a false statement on oath	6	2	8	..	..	..	1	1	2	5	1	6
Tampering with a witness	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Conspiracy	34	1	35	..	..	..	18	1	19	16	..	16
Refusing to pay fare (by steamer)	76	1	77	65	1	66	11	..	11	..	..	..
Refusing to pay for liquor	56	..	56	44	..	44	12	..	12	..	..	..
Absent without leave from ship	129	..	129	98	..	98	31	..	31	..	..	..
Desertion from ship	81	..	81	64	..	64	17	..	17	..	..	..
Wilful disobedience on board ship	103	..	103	73	..	73	30	..	30	..	..	..
Naval deserter	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Military deserter	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Defamatory libel	8	1	9	..	..	..	4	1	5	4	..	4
Escaping from lawful custody	8	..	8	..	..	..	4	..	4	4	..	4
Trespass	344	10	354	198	5	203	146	5	151	..	..	..
Contempt of Court	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Polluting water	12	..	12	8	..	8	4	..	4	..	..	..
Breach of Abattoirs Act	14	..	14	13	..	13	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Aborigines Act	22	1	23	16	1	17	6	..	6	..	..	..
,, Adulteration of Food and Drink Act	3	3	6	..	2	2	3	1	4	..	..	..

No. 5.—Offences charged against Persons brought before Magistrates, 1898—*contd.*

Offences.	Persons charged before Magistrates.			Summarily dealt with.						Committed to Higher Court.		
				Convicted.			Discharged, Withdrawn, &c.					
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Offences not included in the preceding—*continued.*—												
Breach of Apprentices' Act	10	..	10	3	..	3	7	..	7	..	..	..
,, Auctioneers' Act	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Bakers' Act	6	2	8	5	1	6	1	1	2	..	..	..
,, Betting-houses Suppression Act	173	..	173	119	..	119	54	..	54	..	..	..
,, Billiard and Bagatelle Licensing Act	8	..	8	5	..	5	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Birds Protection Act	11	..	11	7	..	7	4	..	4	..	..	..
,, Brands Act	16	..	16	14	..	14	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Children's Protection Act	..	11	11	..	4	4	..	5	5	..	2	2
,, Chinese Restriction Act	18	..	18	8	..	8	10	..	10	..	..	..
,, Coal-mines Regulations Act	24	..	24	24	..	24	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Colonial Shipping Act	23	..	23	18	..	18	5	..	5	..	..	..
,, Commons Regulations	23	1	24	14	1	15	9	..	9	..	..	..
,, CrownLands Regulations Act	386	2	388	290	1	291	96	1	97	..	..	..
,, Customs Laws	21	..	21	16	..	16	5	..	5	..	..	..
,, Dairies Supervision Act	104	23	127	94	15	109	10	8	18	..	..	..
,, Diseases in Sheep and Stock Act	173	..	173	98	..	98	75	..	75	..	..	..
,, Diseased Animals and Meat Act	51	..	51	42	..	42	9	..	9	..	..	..
,, Distillation Act	5	..	5	4	..	4	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Dog Registration Act	1,237	143	1,380	1,054	119	1,173	183	24	207	..	..	..
,, Electoral Act	13	..	13	5	..	5	2	..	2	6	..	6
,, Explosives Act	56	2	58	50	2	52	6	..	6	..	..	..
,, Factories and Shops Act	19	..	19	13	..	13	6	..	6	..	..	..
,, First Offenders' Probation Act	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Fisheries Act	99	..	99	68	..	68	31	..	31	..	..	..
,, Harbour Regulations Act	5	..	5	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Hawkers' Act	87	6	93	75	4	79	12	2	14	..	..	..
,, Impounding Act	140	3	143	45	2	47	95	1	96	..	..	..
,, Industrial and Reformatory Schools Acts	5	1	6	2	..	2	3	1	4	..	..	..
,, Licensing Act	600	109	709	474	89	563	126	20	146	..	..	..
,, Lottery Act	23	3	26	18	2	20	5	1	6	..	..	..
,, Masters and Servants Act	173	3	176	85	1	86	88	2	90	..	..	..
,, Merchant Shipping Act	48	..	48	32	..	32	16	..	16	..	..	..
,, Mining Act	12	..	12	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	..	12
,, Municipal or Corporation By-laws	2,105	388	2,493	1,737	360	2,097	368	28	396	..	..	..
,, Navigation Act	15	..	15	14	..	14	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Noxious Trades and Cattle Slaughtering Act	85	3	88	55	2	57	30	1	31	..	..	..
,, Nuisance Acts and Health Laws	134	7	141	91	7	98	43	..	43	..	..	..
,, Parks Act	5	1	6	3	1	4	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Pastures and Stock Acts	101	9	110	35	1	36	66	8	74	..	..	..
,, Pawnbrokers' Act	9	..	9	1	..	1	8	..	8	..	..	..
,, Printers' Act	3	..	3	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Public Instruction Act	935	42	977	813	32	845	122	10	132	..	..	..
,, Public Watering Places Act	17	..	17	13	..	13	4	..	4	..	..	..
,, Quarantine Act	3	..	3	2	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..
,, Rabbit Nuisance Act	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Railway Act	282	10	292	249	5	254	33	5	38	..	..	..
,, Registration Act (Births, Deaths, and Marriages)	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
,, Sale of Poisons Act	6	..	6	4	..	4	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Stage Carriage Act	19	1	20	15	..	15	4	1	5	..	..	..
,, Stamp Duties Act	47	4	51	38	3	41	9	1	10	..	..	..
,, Sunday Observance Act	87	1	88	54	..	54	33	1	34	..	..	..
,, Tobacco Act	18	1	19	16	1	17	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Tolls Act	16	..	16	13	..	13	3	..	3	..	..	..
,, Trade Marks Act	8	..	8	1	..	1	5	..	5	2	..	2
,, Tramway By-laws	14	..	14	12	..	12	2	..	2	..	..	..
,, Transit Commissioners' By-laws	1,040	..	1,040	609	..	609	431	..	431	..	..	..
,, Water and Sewerage By-laws	211	12	223	48	2	50	163	10	173	..	..	..
,, Weights and Measures Act	107	14	121	93	10	103	14	4	18	..	..	..
,, Other Acts	110	5	115	65	2	67	44	3	47	1	..	1
Total	9,872	826	10,698	7,254	676	7,930	2,553	147	2,700	65	3	68
General Total	47,944	7,498	55,442	38,748	6,128	44,876	7,984	1,287	9,271	1,212	83	1,295

No. 6.—Punishments on Summary Conviction, 1898.

Punishments.	Offences against the Person.		Offences against property with Violence.		Offences against property without Violence.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Offences against Good Order.		Offences not included in the preceding.		Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
METROPOLITAN.														
Fines paid	325	67	88	13	207	43	..	..	4,910	806	2,201	346	7,731	1,275
Imprisonment—														
In lieu of paying fine, &c.	169	24	63	18	163	27	..	..	7,019	3,140	576	115	7,990	3,324
Peremptory	191	20	1	..	748	85	..	..	391	350	132	..	1,463	455
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bound over with or without sureties	6	1	..	..	13	3	..	..	61	10	1	..	81	14
Admonished	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	8	2	..	..	10	2
Other	..	..	..	..	33	3	..	..	3	..	7	..	43	3
Total	691	112	152	31	1,166	161	..	..	12,392	4,308	2,917	461	17,318	5,073
COUNTRY.														
Fines paid	715	38	109	7	535	37	..	..	8,268	251	3,882	203	13,509	536
Imprisonment—														
In lieu of paying fine, &c.	216	7	42	2	275	9	..	..	4,658	313	267	12	5,458	343
Peremptory	138	8	..	..	724	24	..	..	407	91	169	..	1,438	123
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bound over with or without sureties	12	1	1	..	31	3	..	..	54	3	..	..	98	7
Admonished	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	878	45	10	..	892	45
Other	1	..	..	..	20	1	..	..	5	..	9	..	35	1
Total	1,083	54	152	9	1,588	74	..	..	14,270	703	4,337	215	21,430	1,055
NEW SOUTH WALES.														
Fines paid	1,040	105	197	20	742	80	..	..	13,178	1,057	6,083	549	21,240	1,811
Imprisonment—														
In lieu of paying fine, &c.	385	31	105	20	438	36	..	..	11,677	3,453	843	127	13,448	3,667
Peremptory	329	28	1	..	1,472	109	..	..	798	441	301	..	2,901	578
With whipping	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bound over with or without sureties	18	2	1	..	44	6	..	..	115	13	1	..	179	21
Admonished	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	886	47	10	..	902	47
Other	1	..	..	..	53	4	..	..	8	..	16	...	78	4
Total	1,774	166	304	40	2,754	235	..	..	26,662	5,011	7,254	676	38,748	6,128

SUMMARY.

Punishments.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against property with Violence.	Offences against property without Violence.	Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against Good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	Total persons convicted.
Fines paid	1,145	217	822	.....	14,235	6,632	23,051
Imprisonment—							
In lieu of paying fine, &c.	416	125	474	.....	15,130	970	17,115
Peremptory	357	1	1,581	.....	1,239	301	3,479
With whipping	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bound over with or without sureties	20	1	50	.....	128	1	200
Admonished	1	.....	5	.....	933	10	949
Other	1	.....	57	.....	8	16	82
Total	1,940	344	2,989	.....	31,673	7,930	44,876

Whipping.—Under the Criminal Law Amendment Act (46 Vic. No. 17) provision has been made for whipping as an additional punishment, chiefly for offences classed as wanton and unprovoked assaults and indecent exposure. The Court adjudicating must, however, consist of two or more Justices, one of whom shall be a Police or Stipendiary Magistrate. In the Metropolitan District the cases are decided before two Stipendiary Magistrates.

No. 7.—Persons Summarily Dealt with by Magistrates, 1891–98.

Year.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against Good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	Tota
		With Violence.	Without Violence.				
1891	5,515	917	4,622	43	56,433		67,530
1892	6,178	995	5,596	24	56,140		68,933
1893	5,381	1,004	5,127	19	54,926		66,457
1894	4,386	953	5,302	24	33,794	15,978	60,437
1895	4,105	799	4,865	15	35,784	13,551	59,119
1896	3,866	747	4,792	33	35,078	10,648	55,164
1897	3,877	756	4,398	24	33,688	12,108	54,851
1898	3,910	626	4,671	21	34,289	10,630	54,147

No. 8.—Persons Summarily Convicted by Magistrates, 1891–98.

Year.	Offences against the Person.	Offences against Property.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.	Offences against Good Order.	Offences not included in the preceding.	Total.
		With Violence.	Without Violence.				
1891	2,525	3,055		45,186			50,766
1892	2,838	3,668		44,828			51,334
1893	2,558	3,484		43,972			50,014
1894	2,083	468	3,006	.....	29,731	10,922	46,210
1895	1,863	380	3,037	1	32,344	9,269	46,894
1896	1,852	424	3,034	3	32,495	7,685	45,493
1897	1,836	403	2,738	.....	31,261	8,457	44,695
1898	1,940	344	2,989	.....	31,673	7,930	44,876

No. 9.—Amount of Fines Paid on Summary Conviction, 1889–98.

Year.	Amount of Fines.			
	Paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Moieties paid to Police Reward Fund.	Amount paid to Transit Commissioners, Benevolent Institutions, Municipalities, Informers, &c.	Total.
	£	£	£	£
1889	13,374	7,058	*	20,432
1890	13,618	6,978	*	20,596
1891	17,042	8,913	*	25,955
1892	15,805	8,645	*	24,450
1893	13,981	7,953	*	21,934
1894	11,460	6,455	*	17,915
1895	12,443	6,844	2,724	22,011
1896	11,027	5,213	3,073	19,313
1897	11,988	5,847	2,914	20,749
1898	11,872	5,814	5,417	23,103

* Information not available.

Maximum Fines.—Under the Distillation Act a fine of £100 may be imposed, and under the Chinese Restriction and Regulation Act a penalty of £500 may be inflicted for each Chinese entering by land or carried in excess of the number fixed by the Act, by any vessel arriving in New South Wales.

No. 10.—Ages of Distinct Persons and Number of Times Arrested during 1898.

Males.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	19	24	34	Total Distinct Persons.	Age Groups.
6 and under 7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6 and under 7
7 ,, 8	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	7 ,, 8
8 ,, 9	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	8 ,, 9
9 ,, 10	26	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	29	9 ,, 10
10 ,, 11	43	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	10 ,, 11
11 ,, 12	61	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	67	11 ,, 12
12 ,, 13	61	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66	12 ,, 13
13 ,, 14	91	11	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	103	13 ,, 14
14 ,, 15	130	9	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	142	14 ,, 15
15 ,, 16	135	13	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	152	15 ,, 16
16 ,, 17	213	27	3	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	245	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	235	26	3	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	266	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	293	36	8	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	340	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	330	34	8	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	374	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	270	25	2	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	299	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	1,615	159	34	5	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,819	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	3,629	543	149	58	30	8	5	2	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4,428	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	2,849	388	103	43	23	6	5	3	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3,429	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	2,537	401	103	45	20	5	6	5	1	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3,128	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	2,148	349	99	39	16	10	5	..	3	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,672	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	1,574	248	74	36	15	12	1	3	3	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1,970	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	1,192	178	66	21	16	5	2	3	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,484	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	763	121	38	13	5	2	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	946	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	596	92	29	14	7	3	4	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	748	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	316	57	10	6	4	4	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	401	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	184	15	7	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	209	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	70	6	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	84	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards.	26	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	80 and upwards.
Not stated.	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	Not stated.
Total ..	19,415	2,757	747	288	142	59	33	23	13	9	5	6	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	23,507	Total.

Females.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	Total Distinct Persons	Age Groups.
6 and under 7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	6 and under 7
10 ,, 11	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	10 ,, 11
11 ,, 12	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	11 ,, 12
12 ,, 13	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	12 ,, 13
13 ,, 14	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	13 ,, 14
14 ,, 15	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	14 ,, 15
15 ,, 16	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	15 ,, 16
16 ,, 17	14	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	26	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	32	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	49	9	3	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	67	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	74	11	5	3	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	97	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	45	7	4	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	59	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	276	54	14	14	8	1	2	3	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	377	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	385	81	34	19	8	14	4	6	2	4	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	563	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	269	67	33	17	10	12	6	7	2	3	..	1	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	431	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	264	52	23	22	11	3	8	6	3	2	2	2	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	403	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	201	53	20	11	7	5	5	7	3	..	..	3	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	318	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	149	30	11	8	1	1	3	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	207	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	126	27	6	7	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	174	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	64	10	4	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	81	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	49	12	3	3	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	24	8	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	8	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards.	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	80 and upwards.
Total ..	2,054	429	163	113	51	41	31	34	14	12	3	9	4	7	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2,975	Total.

Summary.

Arrested—	M.	F.	Total.	Arrested—	M.	F.	Total.	Arrested—	M.	F.	Total.
Once	19,415	2,054	21,469	Ten times ..	9	12	21	Eighteen times	..	1	1
Twice	2,757	429	3,186	Eleven times ..	5	3	8	Nineteen times ..	1	1	2
Three times ..	747	163	910	Twelve times ..	6	9	15	Twenty times ..	..	1	1
Four times ..	288	113	401	Thirteen times ..	4	4	8	Twenty-one times	..	1	1
Five times ..	142	51	193	Fourteen times ..	1	7	8	Twenty-four times	1	..	1
Six times	59	41	100	Fifteen times ..	1	2	3	Thirty-four times	1	..	1
Seven times ..	33	31	64	Sixteen times ..	1	2	3				
Eight times ..	23	34	57	Seventeen times..	..	2	2	Total	23,507	2,975	26,482
Nine times ..	13	14	27								

No. 11.—Ages of Distinct Persons arrested during 1898, and Classification of Principal Offence charged with.

Age Groups.	Offences.												Total.			Age Groups.
	Against the Person.		Against Property with Violence.		Against Property without Violence.		Forgery, and Offences against the Currency.		Against Good Order.		Not included in the preceding.					
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total M.&F.	
6 and under 7	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	1	4	6 and under 7
7 ,, 8	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	7 ,, 8
8 ,, 9	1	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	..	11	8 ,, 9
9 ,, 10	1	..	2	..	24	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	29	..	29	9 ,, 10
10 ,, 11	3	..	1	..	42	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	47	1	48	10 ,, 11
11 ,, 12	2	..	4	..	60	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	67	1	68	11 ,, 12
12 ,, 13	1	..	3	..	60	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	66	1	67	12 ,, 13
13 ,, 14	2	..	2	..	84	4	..	1	13	..	2	..	103	5	108	13 ,, 14
14 ,, 15	5	..	5	..	100	3	..	..	28	1	4	..	142	4	146	14 ,, 15
15 ,, 16	16	2	5	.	82	4	1	..	42	3	6	..	152	9	161	15 ,, 16
16 ,, 17	20	..	7	1	96	4	2	..	114	10	6	..	245	15	260	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	28	4	18	..	101	15	2	..	108	13	9	..	266	32	298	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	43	4	19	1	91	13	4	..	171	49	12	..	340	67	407	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	43	9	12	2	96	17	1	..	202	69	20	..	374	97	471	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	42	4	12	..	58	13	1	1	163	41	23	..	299	59	358	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	222	37	44	5	296	59	6	1	1,136	272	115	3	1,819	377	2,196	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	631	37	137	11	724	78	20	1	2,691	435	225	1	4,428	563	4,991	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	357	22	95	9	450	49	8	..	2,393	348	126	3	3,429	431	3,860	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	252	16	48	5	380	29	12	..	2,340	352	96	1	3,128	403	3,531	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	172	12	43	10	248	27	3	1	2,152	267	54	1	2,672	318	2,990	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	106	5	29	1	155	16	3	..	1,650	185	27	..	1,970	207	2,177	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	75	2	23	1	88	16	4	..	1,280	155	14	..	1,484	174	1,658	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	52	2	10	1	74	2	1	..	794	75	15	1	946	81	1,027	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	27	2	6	..	57	5	1	..	647	63	10	..	748	70	818	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	21	3	3	..	18	3	..	..	355	29	4	..	401	35	436	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	10	..	2	..	20	..	..	..	172	11	5	..	209	11	220	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	8	..	2	..	9	..	..	..	64	8	1	..	84	8	92	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	28	5	..	..	31	5	36	80 and upwards
Not stated ..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	5	..	2	..	11	..	11	Not stated.
Total ..	2,141	161	532	47	3,434	361	69	5	16,554	2,391	777	10	23,507	2,975	26,482	Total.

No. 12.—Birth-places of Distinct Persons, and Number of Times Arrested during 1898.

Number of times Arrested.	Australasia.															
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Total, Australasia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	7,283	896	1,267	127	261	46	349	29	17	4	169	49	252	57	9,598	1,208
2	1,009	173	179	42	25	9	55	9	2	2	28	12	30	10	1,328	257
3	238	80	40	9	6	4	12	2	..	..	4	4	10	6	310	105
4	85	47	20	7	1	5	2	2	2	..	3	1	4	4	117	66
5	50	24	8	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	2	60	32
6	19	17	1	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	1	21	23
7	8	13	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	8	19
8	8	16	1	2	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	10	21
9	6	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	8	7
10	2	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	4	4
11	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1
12	1	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	8
13	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2
14	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4
15	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
16	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Total	8,715	1,287	1,516	196	295	68	419	44	21	6	206	75	299	83	11,471	1,759

Number of times Arrested.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.												Foreign Countries.					
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United Kingdom and other British Possessions.		France.		Germany.		Russia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	3,667	290	1,247	84	2,829	414	130	1	103	4	7,976	793	130	9	333	10	117	3
2	528	46	196	17	452	98	23	1	12	5	1,211	167	18	..	33	..	13	..
3	163	19	61	5	161	31	3	2	5	..	393	57	3	..	13	..	..	..
4	61	19	19	7	72	17	1	..	2	...	155	43	1	1	2	1	1	..
5	32	3	13	5	24	10	1	..	2	1	72	19	1	..	3	..	..	..
6	13	3	7	2	17	13	..	..	..	..	37	18	..	.	..	..	..	..
7	7	3	3	4	11	5	..	..	..	..	21	12	..	..	1	..	..	..
8	7	5	3	2	2	6	..	..	..	..	12	13	..	..	..	..	..	..
9	3	3	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	5	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	2	4	2	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	5	8	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	1	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
13	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
14	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	.....	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
15	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
19	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
20	..	..	..	.	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
21	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
34	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	4,485	401	1,552	127	3,579	609	158	4	124	11	9,898	1,152	153	10	385	11	131	3

Number of times Arrested.	Foreign Countries—*continued.*														At Sea.		Total, all Countries.		
	Italy.		Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.		United States.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total Foreign Countries.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
1	52	1	83	2	393	1	194	..	274	17	262	10	1,838	53	3	..	1,9415	2,054	21,469
2	4	..	12	..	65	1	10	..	44	4	19	..	218	5	..	..	2,757	429	3,186
3	1	..	2	..	13	..	3	..	7	1	2	..	44	1	..	..	747	163	910
4	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	7	2	..	..	16	4	..	..	288	113	401
5	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	10	..	..	..	142	51	193
6	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	59	41	100
7	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	33	31	64
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	23	34	57
9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	13	14	27
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	12	21
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	3	8
12	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	6	9	15
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4	8
14	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	7	8
15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3
17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total	58	1	100	2	480	2	209	..	334	25	285	10	2,135	64	3	..	23,507	2,975	26,482

No. 13.—Birthplaces of Distinct Persons Arrested during 1898, and Classification of Principal Offence charged with.

Birthplaces.	Offences.												Total.		
	Against the Person.		Against Property with Violence.		Against Property without Violence.		Forgery, and Offences against the Currency.		Against Good Order.		Not included in the preceding.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total, M. & F.
New South Wales	988	85	233	22	1,831	188	30	3	5,421	987	212	2	8,715	1,287	10,002
Victoria	163	16	41	3	233	24	10	1	1,045	151	24	1	1,516	196	1,712
Queensland	20	4	13	..	71	16	..	..	180	47	11	1	295	68	363
South Australia	29	2	13	..	61	2	..	..	309	39	7	1	419	44	463
Western Australia	1	..	..	..	8	1	..	..	11	5	1	..	21	6	27
Tasmania	23	4	3	..	33	12	1	..	142	59	4	..	206	75	281
New Zealand	39	3	13	4	65	10	..	..	164	66	18	..	299	83	382
England and Wales	318	18	87	6	516	43	11	..	3,388	332	165	2	4,485	401	4,886
Scotland	97	4	15	2	101	10	6	..	1,294	111	39	..	1,552	127	1,679
Ireland	188	20	54	9	213	48	4	1	3,031	531	89	..	3,579	609	4,188
India and Ceylon	36	..	3	..	28	..	2	..	70	4	19	..	158	4	162
Other British Possessions ..	11	3	6	..	20	..	1	..	81	8	5	..	124	11	135
France	17	..	10	..	19	..	..	..	97	9	10	1	153	10	163
Germany	27	2	9	..	40	1	..	..	263	8	46	..	385	11	396
Russia	7	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	106	3	10	..	131	3	134
Italy	9	..	1	..	7	1	..	..	35	..	6	..	58	1	59
Denmark	9	..	3	..	7	1	..	..	73	1	8	..	100	2	102
Sweden and Norway ..	47	..	7	..	42	..	..	..	358	2	26	..	480	2	482
China	41	..	3	..	36	..	..	..	106	..	23	..	209	..	209
United States	26	..	7	1	55	2	1	..	222	22	23	..	334	25	359
Other Foreign Countries ..	45	..	10	..	40	2	3	..	156	6	31	2	285	10	295
At Sea	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	3
Total	2,141	161	532	47	3,434	361	69	5	16,554	2,391	777	10	23,507	2,975	26,482

No. 14.—Nominal Religion of Distinct Persons Arrested during 1898, and Classification of Principal Offence charged with.

Religions.	Offences.												Total.		
	Against the Person.		Against Property with Violence.		Against Property without Violence.		Forgery, and Offences against the Currency.		Against Good Order.		Not included in the preceding.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total, M. & F.
Church of England ..	780	66	205	17	1,496	168	25	2	6,267	883	278	7	9,051	1,143	10,194
Roman Catholic ...	928	80	243	23	1,377	158	26	3	7,255	1,272	286	2	10,115	1,538	11,653
Presbyterian ...	158	13	36	5	219	15	8	...	1,636	154	58	...	2,115	187	2,302
Wesleyan	64	...	19	1	112	8	4	...	330	22	18	1	547	32	579
Primitive Methodist	5	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	37	...	37
Congregational ...	2	1	2	...	13	3	...	...	34	5	1	...	52	9	61
Baptist	11	...	2	1	20	...	...	...	63	8	5	...	101	9	110
Lutheran	49	1	8	...	39	1	2	...	378	5	71	...	547	7	554
Salvation Army ...	1	..	1	...	6	...	...	...	10	2	...	...	18	2	20
Other Protestant ...	2	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	27	3	...	...	34	3	37
Hebrew	11	...	2	...	24	3	...	...	22	6	5	...	64	9	73
Mahommedan ...	29	...	1	...	16	...	1	...	26	...	14	...	87	...	87
Buddhist	10	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	1	4	...	24	1	25
Pagan	35	...	3	...	33	...	...	...	97	1	22	...	190	1	191
Freethinkers ...	9	...	...	..	4	...	...	...	69	1	13	...	95	1	96
Not specified ...	47	..	10	..	56	5	2	...	313	28	2	...	430	33	463
Total	2,141	161	532	47	3,434	361	69	5	16,554	2,391	777	10	23,507	2,975	26,482

No. 15.—Education of Distinct Persons arrested during 1898, and Classification of Principal Offences charged with.

Offences.	Degree of Education.						Total.		
	Read and Write.		Read and Write (Foreign.)		Illiterate.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total M. F.
Against the person	1,968	158	14	...	159	3	2,141	161	2,302
Against property, with violence... ...	505	45	2	...	25	2	532	47	579
Against property, without violence ...	3,168	345	16	1	250	15	3,434	361	3,795
Forgery, and offences against the currency	62	5	...	...	7	...	69	5	74
Against good order	15,618	2,298	49	...	887	93	16,554	2,391	18,945
Not included in the preceding	704	8	12	1	61	1	777	10	787
Total	22,025	2,859	93	2	1,389	114	23,507	2,975	26,482

No. 16.—Persons charged with Drunkenness, 1898.

District.	Drunkenness and Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.								
	Apprehensions.			Summons Cases.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males and Females.
Metropolitan ...	8,378	3,032	11,410	189	43	232	8,567	3,075	11,642
Country	7,000	314	7,314	427	14	441	7,427	328	7,755
New South Wales...	15,378	3,346	18,724	616	57	673	15,994	3,403	19,397

No. 17.—Persons charged with Drunkenness, 1889–98.

Year.	Drunkenness and Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.								
	Apprehensions.			Summons Cases.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males and Females.
1889	12,600	3,330	15,930	*	*	914	*	*	16,844
1890	13,233	2,890	16,123	*	*	896	*	*	17,019
1891	15,638	3,454	19,092	*	*	1,013	*	*	20,105
1892	14,638	3,234	17,872	*	*	1,058	*	*	18,930
1893	13,694	3,397	17,091	647	71	718	14,341	3,468	17,809
1894	13,465	3,468	16,933	518	58	576	13,983	3,526	17,509
1895	14,108	3,609	17,717	589	73	662	14,697	3,682	18,379
1896	15,311	3,572	18,883	560	56	616	15,871	3,628	19,499
1897	15,131	3,542	18,673	596	57	653	15,727	3,599	19,326
1898	15,378	3,346	18,724	616	57	673	15,994	3,403	19,397

* Information not available.

No. 18.—Convictions for Drunkenness, 1889–98.

Year.	Drunkenness and Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.						
	After Apprehension.		After Summons.		Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males and Females.
1889	11,250	3,218	*	*	*	*	14,468
1890	12,055	2,817	*	*	*	*	14,872
1891	14,413	3,341	*	*	*	*	17,754
1892	13,077	3,141	*	*	*	*	16,218
1893	12,582	3,332	582	62	13,164	3,394	16,558
1894	12,694	3,422	489	52	13,183	3,474	16,657
1895	13,886	3,191	533	62	14,419	3,253	17,672
1896	15,244	3,560	528	53	15,772	3,613	19,385
1897	15,070	3,529	567	52	15,637	3,581	19,218
1898	15,295	3,335	581	52	15,876	3,387	19,263

* Information not available.

No. 19.—Rate of Convictions for Drunkenness, 1889–98.

Year.	Persons brought before the Courts and convicted for—				Total.		
	Drunkenness only.		Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.		Drunkenness and Drunkenness with Disorderly Conduct.		
	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males to Male Population.	Females to Female Population.	Males and Females to Total Population.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
1889	1·47	0·51	0·47	0·16	1·94	0·67	1·37
1890	1·49	0·42	0·52	0·14	2·01	0·56	1·37
1891	1·78	0·48	0·55	0·16	2·33	0·64	1·56
1892	1·52	0·43	0·53	0·15	2·05	0·58	1·38
1893	1·41	0·43	0·60	0·18	2·01	0·61	1·37
1894	1·40	0·43	0·57	0·17	1·97	0·60	1·35
1895	1·53	0·46	0·59	0·18	2·12	0·64	1·43
1896	1·73	0·44	0·55	0·16	2·28	0·60	1·51
1897	1·75	0·46	0·48	0·13	2·23	0·59	1·47
1898	1·76	0·43	0·46	0·12	2·22	0·55	1·44

No. 20.—Ages of Distinct Persons and number of times Arrested for Drunkenness during 1898.

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METROPOLITAN.

Age Groups.	Number of Times Arrested.																		Age Groups.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	22	34	Total.	
14 and under 15	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	2	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	45	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	49	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	57	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	62	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	38	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	388	26	5	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	425	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	1,026	131	30	23	3	2	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,220	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	883	115	23	18	7	7	3	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1,060	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	806	125	39	17	7	3	4	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1,005	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	718	115	33	10	4	4	1	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	889	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	584	89	31	11	10	2	1	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	734	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	399	53	23	6	3	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	489	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	235	36	8	3	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	285	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	182	24	4	3	1	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	219	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	90	10	2	2	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	111	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	37	6	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	47	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	18	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	6	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	80 and upwards.
Age unknown..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	Age unknown.
Total	5,546	742	202	99	39	26	16	9	6	6	3	1	1	..	1	1	1	1	6,700	Total.

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14 and under 15	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	16	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	37	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	43	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	342	27	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	374	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	869	85	24	7	4	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	992	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	894	106	36	13	4	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,058	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	840	118	29	9	5	2	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,007	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	889	143	35	18	5	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,096	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	639	92	27	8	4	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	777	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	575	82	28	13	3	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	707	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	375	51	25	4	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	458	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	295	43	21	6	3	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	372	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	157	39	4	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	205	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	79	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	89	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	24	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	30	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	80 and upwards.
Age unknown..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	Age unknown.
Total	6,107	802	234	80	30	20	10	6	1	3	2	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	7,298	Total.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

14 and under 15	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	34	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	61	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	66	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	94	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	99	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	81	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	87	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	730	53	9	3	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	799	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	1,895	216	54	30	7	3	4	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,212	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	1,777	221	59	31	11	8	3	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2,118	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	1,646	243	68	26	12	5	6	2	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	2,012	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	1,607	258	68	28	9	8	3	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,985	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	1,223	181	58	19	14	5	2	5	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1,511	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	974	135	51	19	6	6	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1,196	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	610	87	33	7	..	3	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	743	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	477	67	25	9	4	4	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	591	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	247	49	6	3	4	3	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	316	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	116	16	1	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	136	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	42	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	50	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	16	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	80 and upwards.
Age unknown..	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	Age nnknown.
Total	11,653	1,544	436	179	69	46	26	15	7	9	5	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	13,998	Total.

No. 20.—Ages of Distinct Persons and Number of Times Arrested for Drunkenness during 1898—*continued.*

FEMALES.

METROPOLITAN.

Age Groups.	Number of times arrested.																			Age Groups.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	20	Total.	
14 and under 15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	1	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	18	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	23	7	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	16	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	142	26	15	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	189	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	224	52	16	15	7	5	2	4	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	333	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	169	48	19	13	7	5	5	3	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	274	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	175	40	18	11	6	3	2	8	3	2	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	271	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	134	33	11	8	6	6	4	3	2	2	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	212	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	100	16	6	5	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	133	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	77	24	4	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	111	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	42	5	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	52	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	30	6	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	15	2	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	4	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	80 and upwards
Total ..	1,178	266	100	59	31	24	17	21	10	9	5	5	2	2	..	1	1	1	1	1,733	Total.

COUNTRY.

17 and under 18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	17 and under 18
18 ,, 19	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	18 ,, 19
20 ,, 21	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	26	3	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	27	4	5	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	39	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	29	7	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	41	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	32	4	5	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	30	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	27	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	15	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	14	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	80 and upwards
Total ..	228	36	18	7	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	294	Total.

NEW SOUTH WALES.

14 and under 15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	19	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	23	7	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	17	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	152	29	15	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	202	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	250	55	17	16	7	5	2	4	3	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	364	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	196	52	24	14	9	5	5	3	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	313	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	204	47	20	12	7	3	2	8	3	2	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	312	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	166	37	16	8	6	7	4	3	2	2	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	254	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	130	21	10	6	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	173	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	104	27	5	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	144	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	57	8	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	70	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	44	9	2	2	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	23	3	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	30	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	6	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	80 and upwards
Total ..	1,406	302	118	66	34	25	17	21	10	9	5	5	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2,027	Total.

No. 20.—Ages of Distinct Persons and Number of Times Arrested for Drunkenness during 1898—*continued.*

SUMMARY.

Arrested—	Males.	Females.	Total.	Arrested—	Males.	Females.	Total.
Once	11,653	1,406	13,059	Thirteen times	1	2	3
Twice	1 544	302	1,846	Fourteen times	1	2	3
Three times	436	118	554	Fifteen times	1	1	2
Four times	179	66	245	Sixteen times	2	1	3
Five times	69	34	103	Seventeen times	....	1	1
Six times	46	25	71	Eighteen times	....	1	1
Seven times	26	17	43	Twenty times	....	1	1
Eight times	15	21	36	Twenty-two times	1	....	1
Nine times	7	10	17	Thirty-four times	1	....	1
Ten times	9	9	18				
Eleven times	5	5	10	Total Distinct Persons	13,998	2,027	16,025
Twelve times	2	5	7				

No. 21.—Ages of Distinct Persons and Number of Times Summoned for Drunkenness during 1898.

Age Groups.	Number of times Summoned.																Total.				
	1				2				3				5								
	Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Males.		Females.		Total Distinct Persons.
	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	Metrop.	Country.	
19 and under 20	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	1
21 „ 25	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2
25 „ 30	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	...	6
30 „ 35	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	6
35 „ 40	2	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	1	...	7
40 „ 45	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
45 „ 50	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	3
60 „ 65	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Age unknown	135	361	21	9	8	17	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	143	382	22	10	557
Total	142	375	25	9	8	18	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	150	398	26	10	584

Where a person has been summoned for drunkenness and during the year has also been arrested on a similar charge the case has been tabulated under arrests.

No. 22.—Distinct Persons Committed to Gaol for Drunkenness during 1898.

Males.

Age Groups.	Times Convicted during 1898.														Total.	Age Groups.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	15	21		
14 and under 15	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	14 and under 15
16 ,, 17	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	16	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	101	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	110	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	286	37	10	3	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	339	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	256	44	12	2	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	323	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	262	29	12	6	1	1	2	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	316	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	223	36	10	3	..	3	...	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	279	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	182	18	6	2	3	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	215	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	126	25	2	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	160	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	89	10	2	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	104	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	69	5	3	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	80	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	40	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	48	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	15	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	21	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	7	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	80 and upwards.
Total	1,705	219	65	21	13	11	7	1	3	4	2	1	3	1	2,056	Total.

Females.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	17	Total.	Age Groups.
17 and under 18	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	17 and under 18
18 ,, 19	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	4	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	24	10	5	1	1	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	45	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	58	19	9	2	2	3	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	97	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	67	16	7	7	4	10	1	1	1	..	..	..	2	..	116	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	52	16	13	7	6	7	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	105	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	33	14	6	5	1	1	1	..	5	2	1	..	..	1	70	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	40	8	3	3	1	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	60	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	22	3	3	2	..	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	35	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	8	3	5	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	13	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	70 ,, 75
80 and upwards	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	80 and upwards.
Total	333	94	55	31	17	26	8	5	11	2	2	1	3	1	589	Total.

Summary.

Convicted—	Males.	Females.	Total.	Convicted—	Males.	Females.	Total.
Once	1,705	333	2,038	Ten times	4	2	6
Twice	219	94	313	Eleven times	2	2	4
Three times	65	55	120	Twelve times	1	1	2
Four times	21	31	52	Thirteen times	..	3	3
Five times	13	17	30	Fifteen times	3	..	3
Six times	11	26	37	Seventeen times	..	1	1
Seven times	7	8	15	Twenty-one times	1	..	1
Eight times	1	5	6				
Nine times	3	11	14	Total persons ..	2,056	589	2,645

The figures in the foregoing tables refer exclusively to cases where the offenders were confined in a Principal, Minor or Police Gaol.

No. 23.—Persons Committed for Trial, 1898.

Committed for Trial by—	Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Magistrates—				
Courts of Petty Sessions	Various	1,212	83	1,295
Coroners	Murder	17	7	24
	Manslaughter ...	6	1	7
	Arson	7	.....	7
Total		1,242	91	1,333

No. 24.—Persons Tried in Higher Courts during 1898.

Tried at—	Males.	Females.	Total.
Central Criminal and Circuit Courts	215	18	233
Courts of Quarter Sessions	912	54	966
Total persons tried	1,127	72	1,199

After a person is committed by Magistrates or Coroners, the depositions of the case are forwarded to the Clerk of the Peace, thence to the Crown Prosecutor of the district for an opinion; the papers are then transmitted by the Clerk of the Peace to the Attorney-General, who determines whether an indictment shall be filed.

No. 25.—Higher Courts: Persons Charged at each Court, 1898.

Courts.	Indictments.		Persons.			How dealt with.													
						Convicted.									Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		No further Proceedings.	
						Sent to Gaol.		Fined.		Sentence suspended.									
										Under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Bound over.							
	No.	Offences covered by Indictments.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Central Criminal and Circuit Courts—																			
Sydney—Central Criminal .. .	91	107	73	11	84	45	6	1	..	3	..	..	..		22	4	..	1	2	..
Circuit—																			
Albury	6	6	6	..	6	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		3	..	..	..	..	..
Armidale ..	5	5	5	..	5	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Bathurst ..	26	33	23	2	25	7	1	..	..	3	..	..	..		8	1	2	..	3	..
Broken Hill ..	12	12	8	..	8	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		3	..	..	..	..	..
Deniliquin ..	4	4	3	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		2	1	..	..	..	..
Dubbo	27	38	24	3	27	17	..	..	..	3	..	..	..		3	3	..	..	1	..
Goulburn ..	34	38	15	..	15	7	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		6	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton	9	13	6	1	7	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..		3	..	..	..	..	..
Hay	5	8	5	..	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		3	..	..	..	..	..
Maitland ..	19	23	19	..	19	5	..	1	..	3	..	..	..		10	..	..	..	..	..
Mudgee.. ..	5	7	5	..	5	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		2	..	..	..	..	..
Tamworth ..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga ..	15	18	12	..	12	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		5	..	..	..	..	..
Yass	..	....	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Young	12	14	10	..	10	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		3	..	2	..	..	..
Total ..	271	327	215	18	233	106	7	2	..	23	1	..	..		74	9	4	1	6	..
Courts of Quarter Sessions—																				
Metropolitan District	521	769	382	31	413	236	11	3	..	27	5	4	3		111	11	..	..	1	1
Suburban and Hunter District—																				
Maitland ..	16	25	15	..	15	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		5	..	..	..	..	..
Newcastle ..	42	44	41	1	42	25	1	1	..	6	..	..	..		9	..	..	..	..	..
Parramatta ..	32	44	31	..	31	14	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		15	..	..	..	..	..
Singleton ..	3	3	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		3	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	93	116	90	1	91	49	1	1	..	8	..	..	..		32	..	..	..	..	..
Southern District—																				
Bega	7	9	7	..	7	4	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Bombala ..	18	20	17	1	18	..	..	..	..	..	..	15	1		2	..	..	..	..	..
Braidwood ..	5	8	3	1	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1		1	..	..	..	..	..
Cooma	14	22	11	3	14	..	1	2	..	..	..	4	1		5	1	..	..	..	..
Goulburn ..	6	7	6	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..		2	..	..	..	..	..
Wollongong ..	19	22	15	1	16	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		7	1	..	..	..	..
Yass	2	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	71	90	61	6	67	19	1	2	..	2	..	20	3		18	2	..	..	..	..
South-Western District—																				
Albury	16	19	16	..	16	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		12	..	..	..	..	..
Burrowa ..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Cootamundra ..	25	25	24	..	24	14	..	1	..	..	..	1	..		8	..	..	..	..	..
Deniliquin ..	8	8	8	..	8	5	..	..	..	2	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Grenfell ..	3	3	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Gundagai ..	13	18	12	..	12	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..		6	..	..	..	..	..
Hay	4	6	4	..	4	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Hillston	2	2	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..		..	..	..	..	..	..
Narrandera ..	7	7	7	..	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		2	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga ..	9	9	8	1	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		2	1	..	..	..	..
Young	3	3	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		1	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	91	101	87	2	89	47	1	1	..	4	..	1	..		34	1	..	..	..	..

Higher Courts.—*Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.*—Judges of the Supreme Court preside over the Central Criminal and the fifteen Circuit Courts. *The Courts of Quarter Sessions* are presided over by Chairmen who are also Judges of the District Courts. There are seven Chairmen, two of whom preside over the Metropolitan, Suburban and Hunter Districts, and one over each of the five remaining districts. Accused persons in each jurisdiction are tried by a jury of twelve.

Jurisdiction.—The Central Criminal and Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions, have co-ordinate jurisdiction excepting as regards capital charges which cannot be dealt with by Courts of Quarter Sessions.

No. 25.—Higher Courts: Persons Charged at each Court, 1898—*continued.*

Courts.	Indictments.		Persons.			How dealt with.													
						Convicted.								Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		No further proceedings	
						Sent to Gaol.		Fined.		Sentence suspended.									
										Under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Bound over.							
	No.	Offences covered by Indictments.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Courts of Quarter Sessions—*contd.*																			
Western District—																			
Bathurst ..	34	45	34	..	34	17	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	13	..	..	..	1	..
Coonabarabran .	6	9	6	..	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	..
Coonamble ..	9	9	7	..	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Cowra	8	13	7	1	8	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	..	..
Dubbo	19	23	13	2	15	11	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..
Forbes	18	23	16	1	17	6	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Mudgee	6	7	5	..	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Orange	18	27	15	1	16	7	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Walgett	6	9	6	..	6	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Wellington ..	8	11	9	..	9	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	132	176	118	5	123	58	2	..	..	5	1	3	..	49	2	..	..	3	..
Northern District—																			
Armidale ..	13	14	9	1	10	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	2	1
Glen Innes ..	4	4	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton	5	6	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Inverell	11	15	11	..	11	2	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	2	..
Kempsey ..	16	17	15	..	15	9	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Lismore ..	21	25	19	2	21	8	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	10	1	..	..	..	..
Port Macquarie ..	3	4	2	1	3	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..
Tamworth ..	9	10	8	..	8	6	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Taree	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Tenterfield ..	2	3	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	85	99	75	4	79	30	1	..	..	11	..	..	..	29	2	..	..	5	1
North-Western District—																			
Bingara	9	9	7	1	8	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..
Bourke	14	14	13	1	14	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Broken Hill ..	17	17	15	2	17	8	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Cobar	7	9	7	..	7	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Gunnedah ..	15	15	13	1	14	6	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Morce	11	14	11	..	11	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Murrurundi ..	2	2	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Narrabri ..	11	15	11	..	11	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Wentworth ..	5	5	5	..	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Wilcannia ..	15	18	15	..	15	6	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	106	118	99	5	104	48	3	1	..	6	1	..	..	44	1	..	..	..	..
SUMMARY.																			
Central Criminal and Circuit Courts ..	271	327	215	18	233	106	7	2	..	23	1	..	..	74	9	4	1	6	..
Courts of Quarter Sessions	1,099	1,469	912	54	966	487	20	8	..	63	7	28	6	317	19	..	..	9	2
Total, Higher Courts	1,370	1,796	1,127	72	1,199	593	27	10	..	86	8	28	6	391	28	4	1	15	2

In respect of 27 cases, comprising 23 males and 4 females, committed from Magistrates' Courts, the Attorney-General declined to prosecute, and the figures are consequently not included in the table.

No. 26.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1898.

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.													
				Convicted.								Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		No further proceedings.	
				Sent to Gaol.		Fined.		Sentence suspended.									
								Under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Bound over.							
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Offences against the Person—																	
Murder	6	1	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	1	..	..
Attempt to Murder	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..
Administering poison with intent to murder	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Wounding with intent to murder	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to a dwelling knowing a person to be therein	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Manslaughter	13	7	20	5	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	2	..	..	..	..
Unlawfully abandoning a child	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	29	..	29	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	..	..	..		..
Causing bodily harm by furious riding	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	28	..	28	11	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	13	..	..	..	..	..
Shooting at with intent to do grievous bodily harm	4	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Shooting at with intent to prevent arrest	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	17	..	17	8	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously wounding	35	1	36	15	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	19	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously causing noxious thing to be taken, with intent to injure, aggrieve, and annoy	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Robbery with violence	19	..	19	7	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	..	..
Assault and robbery	13	..	13	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Assault with intent to rob	12	..	12	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Being armed, stopping a mail, with intent to rob	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Demanding money with menaces	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	7	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assault	38	..	38	19	..	9	..	3	..	5	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Rape	9	1	10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	1	..	..	..	..
Attempt to commit rape	9	..	9	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Carnally knowing a girl under 14 years	9	..	9	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Accessory to carnal knowledge of a girl under 10 years	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to carnally know a girl under 14 years	4	..	4	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent assault on a girl under 14 years	19	..	19	11	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..
Indecent assault on a female	15	..	15	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	1	..
Abduction	7	1	8	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	..	..	..
Bigamy	4	1	5	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Accessory to bigamy	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Concealment of birth	..	3	3	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to procure miscarriage	4	3	7	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	..	..	..	..
Attempt to commit suicide	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sodomy	7	..	7	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to commit sodomy	4	..	4	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Indecent assault on a male	18	..	18	10	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Bestiality	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to commit bestiality	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lewdness	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	351	22	373	160	10	9	..	26	2	5	2	143	7	2	1	6	..

Two or more Charges.—Information regarding a person convicted on more than one charge has been inserted oppostie the more or most serious offence.

No. 26.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1898—*continued.*

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.													
				Convicted.								Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		No further proceedings.	
				Sent to Gaol.		Fined.		Sentence suspended.									
								Under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Bound over.							
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Offences against Property with Violence—																	
Breaking and entering and stealing	91	2	93	57	1	..	..	8	..	..	..	25	1	..	..	1	..
Burglary	29	..	29	23	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to commit burglary	10	..	10	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously injuring property	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously breaking telegraph insulators	5	..	5	1	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously removing fish-plates, or bolts, from railway	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously setting fire to a building, fence, crops, or grass	7	..	7	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously putting obstruction on railway	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Maliciously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, or horses	10	..	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	..	..
Killing cattle with intent to steal the hides	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Robbery in company	10	..	10	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Robbery	9	2	11	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..
Total	182	4	186	112	3	..	..	12	..	2	..	55	1	..	..	1	..
Offences against Property without Violence—																	
Larceny	147	11	158	82	2	..	..		..	..	..	55	7	..	..	1	2
Accessory to the fact of stealing	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Attempt to steal	9	..	9	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing letters sent by post	3	..	3	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wilfully retaining a letter	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing a valuable security	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Stealing from the person	31	3	34	17	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	13	2	..	..	..	..
Stealing from a dwelling	25	8	33	21	3	..	..	..	4	..	..	4	1	..	..	..	..
Stealing from a vessel in port	9	..	9	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..
Cattle-stealing	22	2	24	5	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	13	1	..	..	..	..
Horse-stealing	58	..	58	29	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	21	..	..	..	2	..
Sheep-stealing	25	1	26	9	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	14	1	..	..	1	..
Pig-stealing	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Embezzlement	11	..	11	8	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny as a co-partner	7	..	7	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..
Larceny as a bailee	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Larceny by a public servant	3	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Fraudulent appropriation	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Illegally using a horse	3	..	3	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Illegally pawning	4	1	5	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
False pretences	33	2	35	24	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	1	..	..	..	..
Receiving stolen property	53	4	57	40	2	..	..	2	1	..	..	9	1	2	..	..	..
Arson	10	2	12	4	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	2	..	..	1	..
Setting fire to a building with intent to injure	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Setting fire to natural grass	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Being found at night with housebreaking implements	7	..	7	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	470	35	505	265	11	..	..	32	5	4	1	161	16	2	..	6	2

No. 26.—Higher Courts: Offences of Persons Charged, 1898—*continued.*

Offences.	Persons.			How dealt with.													
				Convicted.								Acquitted.		Jury disagreed.		No further proceedings	
				Sent to Gaol.		Fined.		Sentence suspended.									
								Under the First Offenders Probation Act.		Bound over.							
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—																	
Forgery	4	1	5	4	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Forgery and uttering	39	2	41	26	..	..	..	11	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..
Uttering a forgery	8	1	9	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
Uttering counterfeit coin	9	1	10	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	1	..	..	..	..
Total	60	5	65	37	1	..	..	12	1	..	..	11	3	..	..	..	..
Offences against Good Order—																	
Unlawfully keeping a lottery	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Keeping a brothel	1	4	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..
Total	3	4	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	..
Offences not included in the preceding—																	
Perjury	15	..	15	5	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	2	..
Endeavouring to persuade a witness to make a false statement	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Conspiracy	9	..	9	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..
Inciting to commit a felony	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Escaping from lawful custody	6	..	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sacrilege	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Libel	3	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..
Breach of Bankruptcy Act	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..
,, Children's Protection Act	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Electoral Act	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Mining on Private Property Act	14	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Railway Act	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, Registration (Births) Act	1	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
,, Trade Marks Act		..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Total	61	2	63	18	2	1	..	4	..	15	..	21	..	..	..	2	..

Summary.

(Males and Females.)

Offences against the person	351	22	373	160	10	9	..	26	2	5	2	143	7	2	1	6	..
Offences against property with violence	182	4	186	112	3	..	..	12	..	2	..	55	1	..	..	1	..
Offences against property without violence	470	35	505	265	11	..	..	32	5	4	1	161	16	2	..	6	2
Forgery and offences against the currency	60	5	65	37	1	..	..	12	1	..	..	11	3	..	..	..	..
Offences against good order	3	4	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	1	..	..	..	..
Offences not included in the preceding	61	2	63	18	2	1	..	4	..	15	..	21	..	..	..	2	..
Total	1,127	72	1,199	593	27	10	..	86	8	28	6	391	28	4	1	15	2

No. 27.—Persons Charged and Convicted at Higher Courts, 1895-98.

Offences.	Persons dealt with.				Persons Convicted.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Offences against the Person—								
Murder	10	12	5	7	3	3	2	3
Attempt to murder	6	3	4	5	3	...	2	1
Manslaughter	31	13	22	20	9	10	4	10
Setting fire to a dwelling, a person being therein	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Garrotting, or attempts at	1	4	...	...	...	2	...	...
Inflicting grievous bodily harm, or attempts at	103	106	101	119	46	51	59	57
Assault and robbery	70	27	36	47	39	12	20	26
Common assault	52	24	38	38	45	21	33	36
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	5	7	8	7	4	4	7	7
Rape, and attempts at	17	19	17	19	3	7	5	5
Carnal knowledge by a father	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...
" " " teacher	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
" " of a girl under 14, or attempts at	16	16	17	13	10	8	9	7
Indecent assault on a female	34	34	53	34	15	20	28	20
" " " male	9	8	14	18	6	5	11	13
Unnatural offences, and attempts at	6	2	18	16	5	...	12	9
Attempt to procure miscarriage	4	3	2	7	2	2	...	2
Abduction	4	10	8	8	1	6	4	4
Bigamy	8	11	5	5	8	11	5	5
Wife and child desertion	5	2	3	...	4	1	2	...
Concealment of birth	13	2	7	3	8	2	6	3
Attempted suicide	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	2
Other offences	7	23	4	4	3	14	3	4
Total	404	332	364	373	216	181	214	214
Offences against Property, with Violence—								
Breaking, entering, and stealing, or attempts at	123	128	140	93	95	93	103	66
Burglary, or attempts at	21	18	24	39	17	16	13	33
Maliciously injuring property	16	9	13	19	9	8	6	8
" wounding or killing animals	7	10	8	10	4	6	2	4
" killing animals with intent to steal	4	3	8	2	3	1	5	...
Robbery and robbery in company	23	22	25	21	17	10	9	17
Other offences	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	1
Total	194	192	218	186	145	135	138	129
Offences against Property, without Violence—								
Larceny, or attempts at	163	172	198	171	108	106	129	102
Stealing from a dwelling	52	51	37	33	41	41	33	28
" a vessel in port	...	...	1	9	...	...	1	2
" the person	39	26	34	34	21	17	25	19
Horse stealing	54	59	60	58	39	43	46	35
Cattle "	26	53	28	24	13	18	10	10
Sheep "	40	58	44	26	10	25	22	10
Pig "	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Stealing or tampering with letters sent by post	8	5	4	4	7	4	4	4
Receiving stolen property	53	46	49	57	46	41	43	45
Illegally using horses or cattle	2	5	8	3	2	5	8	3
Larceny as a bailee or agent	1	2	...	2	1	2	...	2
" " partner	10	...	4	7	8	...	4	3
Fraudulent appropriation	4	...	2	1	4	...	2	1
Embezzlement	27	37	22	11	22	28	18	9
False pretences	49	47	56	35	36	39	38	25
Illegally pawning	9	8	16	5	8	8	14	4

No. 27.—Persons Charged and Convicted at Higher Courts, 1895-98—*continued.*

Offences.	Persons dealt with.				Persons convicted.			
	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Offences against Property, without Violence—*continued.*								
Having possession of house-breaking implements ...	2	...	9	7	2	...	7	7
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony...	5	8	...	...	5	4	...	...
Being accessory to a felony	...	14	...	2	...	7	...	1
Arson, and attempts at	27	22	16	15	17	6	6	7
Making false entries with intent to defraud	1	4	...	...	1	2	...	...
Other offences	...	2	5	...	...	2	3	...
Total	572	619	593	505	391	398	413	318
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—								
Forgery and Uttering	55	55	35	41	41	48	33	37
Forgery	...	9	10	5	...	8	10	5
Uttering a forgery	11	7	16	9	11	7	14	5
Uttering forged bank notes or having them in possession	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
,, used postage stamps	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Making, having, or uttering a counterfeit coin ...	11	11	29	10	6	10	16	4
Being in possession of coining implements or materials for making bank notes	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
Other offences	...	5	...	...	...	3	...	...
Total	80	88	90	65	60	77	73	51
Offences against Good Order—								
Riot	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...
Indecent exposure	3	7	2	...	1	5	1	...
Keeping a brothel	10	4	2	5	7	1	2	4
Fortune telling	3	1	1	...	2	...	1	...
Unlawfully keeping a lottery	...	30	5	2	...	30	5	2
Other offences	...	3	21	...	...	1	20	...
Total	17	46	31	7	11	38	29	6
Offences not included in the preceding—								
Perjury	24	16	6	15	12	7	3	6
Making a false statement on oath	...	9	...	...	...	9	...	...
Endeavouring to persuade a witness to make a false statement	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Libel	5	10	4	3	2	6	2	1
Conspiracy	30	34	7	9	20	10	3	4
Escape from lawful custody	2	9	2	6	2	9	2	6
Disturbing a congregation	1	1	4	...	1	1	4	...
Other offences	11	12	11	29	11	8	10	22
Total	73	91	34	63	48	50	24	40

Summary.

Offences against the person	404	332	364	373	216	181	214	214
,, ,, property, with violence	194	192	218	186	145	135	138	129
,, ,, ,, without violence	572	619	593	505	391	398	413	318
Forgery and offences against the currency...	80	88	90	65	60	77	73	51
Offences against good order...	17	46	31	7	11	38	29	6
,, not included in the preceding	73	91	34	63	48	50	24	40
Total	1,340	1,368	1,330	1,199	871	879	891	758

No. 28.—Ages of Prisoners sentenced at the Central Criminal Court, Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions during 1898, with total number of Convictions recorded against them during their career.

MALES.

Number of times convicted.	Age Groups. 12 yrs.	13 yrs.	14 yrs.	15 yrs.	16 yrs.	17 yrs.	18 yrs.	19 yrs.	20 yrs.	21 and und 25.	25 and und 30.	30 and und 35.	35 and und 40.	40 and und 45.	45 and und 50.	50 and und 55.	55 and und 60.	60 and und 65.	65 and und 70.	70 and und 75.	Age not stated.	Total.
1	4	3	3	6	10	17	9	13	8	26	54	33	26	21	17	10	8	2	3	8	30	311
2	..	..	..	..	2	4	3	3	1	10	32	19	5	6	3	5	1	..	..	1	..	95
3	..	..	..	1	..	2	4	1	2	5	15	15	7	7	2	1	1	2	..	1	..	66
4	..	..	..	..	..	1	4	2	..	2	13	5	7	3	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	45
5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	7	10	4	2	2	2	..	2	3	..	..	..	33
6	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	1	10	7	3	1	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	30
7	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	4	9	6	2	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	29
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	2	4	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
9	..	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	1	8	3	1	..	2	1	2	1	..	..	..	19
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	5	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	2	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	5
14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	6
15	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	1	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
41	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1
60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	4	3	3	7	12	26	23	21	15	60	179	114	66	49	41	23	18	8	5	10	30	717

FEMALES.

Number of times convicted.	Age Groups. 13 years.	18 years.	19 years.	20 years.	21 and under 25.	25 and under 30.	30 and under 35.	35 and under 40.	40 and under 45.	45 and under 50.	65 and under 70.	Age not stated.	Total.
1	1	2	....	3	4	5	3	3	1	2	1	2	27
2	....	....	....	....	1	3	....	....	....	....	....	....	4
4	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	2
7	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
8	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
9	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	1
10	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
12	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
15	....	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	....	1
16	....	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	1	....	....	....	2
Total ..	1	3	1	3	7	11	3	4	2	3	1	2	41

SUMMARY.

Convicted—	M.	F.	Total	Convicted—	M.	F.	Total	Convicted—	M.	F.	Total
Once	311	27	338	Twelve times	5	1	6	Twenty-three times ..	1	..	1
Twice	95	4	99	Thirteen times ..	5	..	5	Twenty-seven times ..	2	..	2
Three times	66	..	66	Fourteen times ..	6	..	6	Twenty-nine times ..	1	..	1
Four times	45	2	47	Fifteen times	7	1	8	Thirty times	1	..	1
Five times	33	..	33	Sixteen times	3	2	5	Thirty-three times ..	3	..	3
Six times	30	..	30	Seventeen times ..	3	..	3	Thirty-seven times ..	1	..	1
Seven times	29	1	30	Eighteen times ..	3	..	3	Forty-one times ..	2	..	2
Eight times	13	1	14	Nineteen times ..	1	..	1	Fifty-four times ..	1	..	1
Nine times	19	1	20	Twenty times	4	..	4	Sixty times	1	..	1
Ten times	13	1	14	Twenty-one times ..	1	..	1				
Eleven times	10	..	10	Twenty-two times ..	2	..	2	Total	717	41	758

NOTE—Previous convictions include those which have been found recorded in other colonies.

No. 29.—Birthplaces of Prisoners sentenced at the Central Criminal Court, Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions during 1898, with total number of Convictions recorded against them during their career.

Number of times Convicted.	Australasia.															
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Total, Australasia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	138	18	20	1	3	..	9	1	2	..	2	1	5	1	179	22
2	47	3	4	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	58	3
3	27	..	3	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	36	..
4	22	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	24	2
5	14	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	22	..
6	12	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	16	..
7	11	1	3	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	17	1
8	3	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	6	1
9	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1
10	6	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	11	1
11	3	..	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..
12	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	1
13	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
14	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
15	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	7	1
16	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
17	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
18	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
19	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
20	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
23	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
27	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
29	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
30	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
33	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
37	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
41	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..
60	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
Total ..	323	29	41	1	16	1	13	2	2	..	6	1	19	1	420	35

Number of times Convicted.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.												Foreign Countries.					
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United Kingdom and other British Possessions.		France.		Germany.		Italy.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	39	..	9	..	17	3	2	..	3	..	70	3	2	..	4	..	1	..
2	17	..	2	..	4	1	..	..	1	..	24	1	2	..	1	..	..	..
3	14	..	4	..	6	..	1	..	..	..	25	....	..	..	2	..	..	..
4	11	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	14	....	1	..	..	..	1	..
5	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	....	..	..	1	..	..	..
6	8	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	11	....	1	..	2	..	..	..
7	1	..	3	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	9	....	..	..	2	..	..	..
8	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	6	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
9	8	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	11	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	1	..	..	..
11	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
13	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
14	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
20	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
21	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
22	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	1	..	..	..
27	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
33	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
54	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	113	..	24	..	43	4	4	..	6	..	190	4	6	..	14	..	2	..

No. 29.—Birthplaces of Prisoners sentenced at the Central Criminal Court, Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions during 1898, &c.—*continued.*

Number of times Convicted.	Foreign Countries—*continued.*												Not ascertainable.		At Sea.	Total, all Countries.		
	Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.	America. United States.		America. Other Countries.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total, Foreign Countries.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	M.	F.	Total.
1	..	..	6	..	21	2	..	2	..	4	..	42	..	20	2	..	311	27	338
2	1	..	1	..	1	2	..	3	..	..	..	11	..	1	..	1	95	4	99
3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	66	..	66
4	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	6	..	..	..	1	45	2	47
5	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	1	33	..	33
6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	30	..	30
7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	29	1	30
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	13	1	14
9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	19	1	20
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	13	1	14
11	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	10	..	10
12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	1	6
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	5
14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6
15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	1	8
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	2	5
17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
20	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4
21	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
22	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
29	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
30	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
33	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
37	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
41	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
54	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
60	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total ..	4	..	9	..	22	7	..	13	..	6	..	83	..	21	2	3	717	41	758

No. 30.—Ages of Prisoners sentenced at the Central Criminal Court, Circuit Courts, and Courts of Quarter Sessions during 1898, with Periods of Sentences imposed.

Age Groups.	Fined.	Periods of Sentences. Up to 6 months.			Over 6 months and up to 1 year.			Over 1 year and up to 2 years.			Over 2 years and up to 5 years.			Over 5 years and up to 10 years.			Death.	Indefinite, including Bound over to keep the Peace.		
	M.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	M.	F.	Total
12	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
13	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	§1	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
14	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
15	..	5	..	5	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	..	9	..	9	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
17	..	15	..	15	8	..	8	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	..	9	..	9	9	3	12	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
19	..	9	..	9	7	1	8	3	..	3	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
20	..	3	1	4	7	1	8	1	..	1	4	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
21 and under 25	..	16	1	17	14	5	19	14	1	15	13	..	13	2	..	2	*1	..	..	..
25 ,, 30	..	35	5	40	43	1	44	41	2	43	56	..	56	1	1	2	*1	2	2	4
30 ,, 35	2	25	2	27	21	..	21	30	..	30	30	1	31	5	..	5	*1	..	..	..
35 ,, 40	..	13	2	15	16	..	16	15	..	15	18	1	19	4	..	4	..	..	1	1
40 ,, 45	1	13	..	13	6	1	7	9	..	9	19	1	20	..	..	..	‖1	..	..	..
45 ,, 50	2	7	2	9	11	..	11	11	..	11	9	1	10	1	..	1	..	..	..	..
50 ,, 55	..	5	..	5	1	..	1	9	..	9	6	..	6	†2	..	2	..	..	..	..
55 ,, 60	1	6	..	6	2	..	2	4	..	4	4	..	4	‡1	..	1	..	..	..	..
60 ,, 65	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	5	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
65 ,, 70	..	1	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	*1	..	..	..
70 ,, 75	..	2	..	2	5	..	5	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Age not stated	4	9	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	..	17
Total ..	10	190	15	205	153	13	166	145	3	148	173	5	178	16	1	17	5	25	4	29

Males, 717; Females, 41; Total, 758.

* Commuted. † Includes one sentence of twelve years. ‡ Sentence of eighteen years. § Sentenced to a Reformatory. ‖ Executed.

No. 31.—Persons Convicted in Lower and Higher Courts, 1891–98.

Lower Courts.

Year.	Persons summarily dealt with by Magistrates.			How dealt with.	
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Discharged.	Convicted.
1891	.....	.....	67,530	16,764	50,766
1892	.....	.....	68,933	17,599	51,334
1893	.....	.....	66,457	16,443	50,014
1894	52,235	8,202	60,437	14,227	46,210
1895	51,398	7,721	59,119	12,225	46,894
1896	47,482	7,682	55,164	9,671	45,493
1897	47,227	7,624	54,851	10,156	44,695
1898	46,732	7,415	54,147	9,271	44,876

Higher Courts.

Year.	Quarter Sessions.			Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.		
	Convicted.	Acquitted, &c.	Total dealt with.	Convicted.	Acquitted, &c.	Total dealt with.
1891	771	471	1,242	193	140	333
1892	709	567	1,276	187	153	340
1893	677	360	1,037	197	157	354
1894	673	328	1,001	219	152	371
1895	685	336	1,021	186	133	319
1896	708	380	1,088	171	109	280
1897	752	347	1,099	139	92	231
1898	619	347	966	139	94	233

Proportion Convicted in each Jurisdiction.

Year.	Magistrates' Courts.			Quarter Sessions and Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.			
	Total Summarily dealt with.	Convicted.	Proportion of Convictions to Total Population.	Convicted.	Acquitted, &c.	Total dealt with.	Proportion of Convictions to Total Population.
			per cent.				per cent.
1891	67,530	50,766	4·4	964	611	1,575	0·08
1892	68,933	51,334	4·3	896	720	1,616	0 07
1893	66,457	50,014	4·1	874	517	1,391	0·07
1894	60,437	46,210	3·7	892	480	1,372	0·07
1895	59,119	46,894	3·7	871	469	1,340	0·07
1896	55,164	45,493	3·5	879	489	1,368	0·07
1897	54,851	44,695	3·4	891	439	1,330	0·07
1898	54,147	44,876	3·4	758	441	1,199	0·06

Proportion Convicted in all Jurisdictions.

Year.	Magistrates' Courts.	Quarter Sessions.	Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.	Total.	Proportion of Convictions to Total Population.
					per cent.
1891	50,766	771	193	51,730	4·5
1892	51,334	709	187	52,230	4·4
1893	50,014	677	197	50,888	4·2
1894	46,210	673	219	47,102	3·8
1895	46,894	685	186	47,765	3·8
1896	45,493	708	171	46,372	3·6
1897	44,695	752	139	45,586	3·5
1898	44,876	619	139	45,634	3·4

No. 32.—Extraditions, 1889-98.

Year.	Number of Persons.	Country.	Year.	Number of Persons.	Country.
1889	1	New Caledonia (French).	1894	8	New Caledonia (French).
1890	Nil.	.....	1895	2	,, ,,
1891	Nil.	.....	1896	Nil.	.....
1892	2	New Caledonia (French).	1897	2	New Caledonia (French).
1893	1	,, ,,	1898	4	,, ,,

No. 33.—Fugitive Offenders—Fugitives Arrested in any part of Her Majesty's Dominions, or in any Foreign Country, and returned to New South Wales, 1898.

Offences.	Persons.			How disposed of—							
				Withdrawn		Discharged		Summarily Convicted.		Committed	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Wife Desertion	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Child Desertion	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Maliciously uncoupling carriage of railway train	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Larceny...	9	1	10	...	1	3	...	2	...	4	...
Horse-stealing	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
Embezzlement	3	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
False pretences	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Fraudulent appropriation	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Fraudulent Bankruptcy	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Failing to appear at Quarter Sessions ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	*1	...
Total	21	1	22	3	1	5	...	2	...	11	...

*Remanded to former custody.

No. 34.—Fugitive Offenders from other Portions of Her Majesty's Dominions Arrested in New South Wales and brought before Magistrates' Courts, 1898.

Offences.	Persons.			How disposed of.										
				With-drawn.		Dis-charged.		Remanded to—						
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	New Zealand.	Total Remands.	
													M.	F.
Murder	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Attempted murder	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...
Causing grievous bodily harm ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Wife desertion	2	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Child desertion	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Abduction	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Breaking and entering	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	3	...
Forgery	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
Larceny	4	...	4	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	3	...
Stealing from a dwelling	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	4	...
Embezzlement...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
False pretences	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Larceny as a bailee	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Perjury	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Breach of Bankruptcy Act	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1
Disobeying order of Court (maintenance)	1	...	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Escaping from lunatic asylum while under sentence for a crime ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Total	25	2	27	...	...	2	...	9	8	1	2	5	23	2

Section II.—PRISONERS AND PENAL ESTABLISHMENTS.

No. 35.—Gaol Accommodation, 1898.

Gaols.	Accommodation for Prisoners.	
	In separate cells.	Total.
Principal Gaols—		
Darlinghurst (Sydney)	268	541
Bathurst	308	924
Berrima	82	103
Biloela	14	328
Goulburn	328	328
Maitland	120	197
Parramatta ...	328	412
Trial Bay	64	172
Total ...	1,512	3,005
Minor Gaols—		
Albury	26	78
Armidale	26	72
Broken Hill ...	17	53
Deniliquin ...	18	49
Dubbo	15	70
Forbes	7	30
Grafton	48	150
Hay	13	58
Mudgee	26	72
Tamworth... ...	33	75
Wagga Wagga ...	14	42
Wilcannia ...	8	54
Wollongong ...	13	52
Yass	16	48
Young	34	69
Total ...	314	972
Police Gaols—		
Balranald	4	12
Bega	3	9
Bingara	4	20
Bombala	3	9
Bourke	12	36
Braidwood ...	12	36

Gaols.	Accommodation for Prisoners.	
	In separate cells.	Total.
Police Gaols—*contd.*		
Burrowa	3	11
Campbelltown ...	4	12
Casino	6	33
Cobar	5	16
Cooma	32	96
Coonabarabran ...	4	20
Coonamble ...	6	20
Cootamundra ...	7	26
Cowra	4	12
Glen Innes ...	5	20
Grenfell	4	12
Gundagai	6	30
Gunnedah ...	6	20
Hillston	4	10
Inverell	6	18
Kempsey, West ...	4	8
Moree	6	23
Murrurundi ...	4	12
Narrabri	7	28
Narrandera ...	Nil.	8
Newcastle... ...	10	16
Orange	8	33
Port Macquarie ...	9	27
Queanbeyan ...	6	20
Singleton	3	15
Taree	4	12
Tenterfield ...	6	18
Walgett	6	30
Wellington ...	5	23
Wentworth ...	12	42
Windsor	12	36
Total ...	242	829
Total all Gaols ...	2,068	4,806

Parramatta Gaol Lunatic Ward.—At this gaol there is a separate lunatic ward with twenty-two separate cells.

No. 36.—Gross and Net Expenditure on Gaols, 1891–98.

Year.	Expenditure on Principal and Minor Gaols.		Maintenance. (All Gaols.)		Total Expenditure.	*Net value of Prison Labour.	Net Expenditure.	
	Construction.	Repairs, &c.	Services.	Stores and Stationery.			Total.	Per Inhabitant.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.
1891	7,771	10,423	121,070	8,308	147,572	24,602	122,970	2 2
1892	19,393	9,654	119,578	8,151	156,776	23,400	133,376	2 3
1893	20,558	9,248	117,328	8,039	155,173	22,941	132,232	2 2
1894	1,204	6,449	117,077	7,334	132,064	22,469	109,595	1 9
1895	1,625	6,956	114,754	10,957	134,292	21,817	112,475	1 9
1896	9,391	4,258	108,891	18,488	141,028	20,537	120,491	1 10
1897	7,544	4,156	98,365	11,608	121,673	19,101	102,572	1 7
1898	13,505	6,035	98,528	12,316	130,384	20,547	109,837	1 8

* The amounts shown in this column only represent the value of labour of a productive character.

No. 37.—Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence during 1898, and number of times Convicted during Year.

Males.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	15	17	19	25	Total Distinct Persons.	Age Groups.
9 and under 10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	9 and under 10
10 ,, 11	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	10 ,, 11
11 ,, 12	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	11 ,, 12
12 ,, 13	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	12 ,, 13
13 ,, 14	10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	13 ,, 14
14 ,, 15	24	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	14 ,, 15
15 ,, 16	17	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	15 ,, 16
16 ,, 17	56	9	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	110	11	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	126	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	123	18	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	148	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	113	13	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	132	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	127	12	2	2	..	...	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	144	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	505	71	19	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	602	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	1,287	246	69	18	9	7	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,640	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	903	158	48	22	10	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1,152	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	816	141	38	11	8	1	3	2	1	1	..	1	..	1	..	..	1,024	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	587	101	43	18	2	2	2	..	4	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	761	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	448	68	23	13	2	2	..	2	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	562	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	308	63	14	4	8	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	403	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	201	39	11	8	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	265	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	155	24	13	4	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	201	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	85	15	5	2	1	2	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	113	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	50	10	3	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	65	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	21	3	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	29	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards..	7	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	80 and upwards.
Total	5,964	1,004	305	114	49	29	13	7	8	3	3	5	1	2	1	1	7,509	Total.

Females.

Age Groups.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	Total Distinct Persons.	Age Groups.
15 and under 16	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	15 and under 16
16 ,, 17	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	16 ,, 17
17 ,, 18	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	17 ,, 18
18 ,, 19	21	..	2	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	18 ,, 19
19 ,, 20	21	4	1	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	19 ,, 20
20 ,, 21	24	2	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	28	20 ,, 21
21 ,, 25	85	20	13	3	4	3	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	134	21 ,, 25
25 ,, 30	133	41	14	10	10	3	..	2	4	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	221	25 ,, 30
30 ,, 35	94	31	9	13	5	12	5	5	2	2	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	182	30 ,, 35
35 ,, 40	77	28	20	13	11	9	6	4	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	170	35 ,, 40
40 ,, 45	65	19	12	8	5	6	1	..	..	1	3	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	125	40 ,, 45
45 ,, 50	68	17	4	4	4	3	2	1	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	106	45 ,, 50
50 ,, 55	40	4	6	3	1	1	3	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	62	50 ,, 55
55 ,, 60	21	5	1	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	55 ,, 60
60 ,, 65	16	4	1	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26	60 ,, 65
65 ,, 70	8	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12	65 ,, 70
70 ,, 75	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	70 ,, 75
75 ,, 80	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	75 ,, 80
80 and upwards	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	80 and upwards.
Total	689	179	84	65	44	41	20	13	8	5	9	3	4	1	2	2	2	2	1	1,174	Total.

Summary.

Convicted—	M.	F.	Total.
Once	5,964	689	6,653
Twice	1,004	179	1,183
Three times	305	84	389
Four times	114	65	179
Five times	49	44	93
Six times	29	41	70
Seven times	13	20	33
Eight times	7	13	20
Nine times	8	8	16
Ten times	3	5	8
Eleven times..	3	9	12

Convicted—	M.	F.	Total.
Twelve times	5	3	8
Thirteen times	..	4	4
Fourteen times	..	1	1
Fifteen times	1	2	3
Sixteen times	..	2	2
Seventeen times	2	2	4
Eighteen times	..	2	2
Nineteen times	1	1	2
Twenty-five times	1	..	1
Total	7,509	1,174	8,683

No. 38.—Birthplaces, and Number of times Convicted during year, of Distinct Persons Received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

Number of times Convicted.	Australasia.															
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Total, Australasia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	2,178	326	366	48	112	18	96	10	11	2	58	20	106	18	2,927	442
2	388	82	67	11	15	2	5	1	1	..	12	12	21	6	509	114
3	122	39	17	7	5	2	4	3	..	..	6	2	5	4	159	57
4	38	30	8	3	1	3	2	1	..	1	1	2	3	..	53	40
5	22	21	1	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	26	26
6	13	17	1	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	15	24
7	6	7	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	6	10
8	3	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	6
9	4	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	5
10	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
11	2	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	6
12	3	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	3
13	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
15	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
17	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1
18	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
19	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total ..	2,781	545	461	78	136	29	107	15	12	3	77	41	136	32	3,710	743

Number of times Convicted.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.												Foreign Countries.					
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United Kingdom and other British Possessions.		France.		Germany.		Russia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1	1,274	79	320	23	723	122	44	3	46	2	2,407	229	51	2	117	2	37	..
2	200	20	55	5	131	35	7	1	7	1	400	62	10	..	11	1	3	..
3	61	12	24	2	34	11	1	..	1	..	121	25	4	..	3	..	..	..
4	24	5	2	6	26	11	..	1	1	..	53	23	..	..	..	..	..	..
5	8	8	4	1	9	9	..	..	..	..	21	18	1	..	..	..	..	..
6	6	4	2	5	5	8	..	..	..	..	13	17	..	..	..	..	..	..
7	2	5	2	1	2	4	..	..	..	..	6	10	..	..	..	..	..	..
8	1	..	1	..	1	6	..	..	1	..	4	6	..	..	..	..	..	..
9	1	1	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	3	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
10	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
11	1	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
14	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
15	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
16	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	....	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
17	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
19	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
25	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total ..	1,579	137	412	45	936	214	52	6	56	3	3,035	405	66	2	131	3	40	..

Number of times Convicted.	Foreign Countries—*continued.*														At Sea.		Total, all Countries.		
	Italy.		Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.		United States.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total, Foreign Countries.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
1	15	..	29	..	131	1	63	..	95	8	82	1	620	14	10	4	5,964	689	6,653
2	2	..	9	..	19	..	5	..	22	2	11	..	92	3	3	..	1,004	179	1,183
3	1	..	1	..	5	..	1	..	7	2	3	..	25	2	..	..	305	84	389
4	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	4	1	..	..	7	2	1	..	114	65	179
5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	49	44	93
6	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	29	41	70
7	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	13	20	33
8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	7	13	20
9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	8	8	16
10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	5	8
11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	9	12
12	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	3	8
13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	4
14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	3
16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	4
18	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2
25	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Total ..	18	..	39	..	160	2	71	..	128	14	97	1	750	22	14	4	7,509	1,174	8,683

No. 39.—Birthplaces and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence during 1898.

Age Groups.	Australasia.															
	New South Wales.		Victoria.		Queensland.		South Australia.		Western Australia.		Tasmania.		New Zealand.		Total, Australasia.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
9 and under 10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..
10 ,, 11	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
11 ,, 12	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..
12 ,, 13	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..
13 ,, 14	9	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..
14 ,, 15	19	..	3	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..
15 ,, 16	15	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	17	1
16 ,, 17	56	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	..	61	2
17 ,, 18	98	6	6	1	4	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	111	8
18 ,, 19	98	20	15	2	1	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	3	1	118	24
19 ,, 20	87	26	11	..	4	2	2	..	..	..	..	1	3	1	107	30
20 ,, 21	74	16	13	2	4	3	3	..	..	..	2	2	5	..	101	23
21 ,, 25	286	90	35	10	18	6	10	1	..	..	11	6	22	7	382	120
25 ,, 30	801	113	145	25	48	9	34	2	2	3	19	11	41	9	1,090	172
30 ,, 35	440	83	89	10	27	2	24	7	3	..	16	8	31	6	630	116
35 ,, 40	304	78	82	11	19	7	12	1	2	..	8	7	15	2	442	106
40 ,, 45	194	48	37	13	3	..	7	2	1	..	7	2	5	2	254	67
45 ,, 50	131	36	16	3	6	..	5	..	3	..	7	1	3	2	171	42
50 ,, 55	90	16	5	..	1	..	1	..	1	..	3	1	3	2	104	19
55 ,, 60	36	5	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	38	6
60 ,, 65	21	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	23	3
65 ,, 70	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	8	1
70 ,, 75	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	5	..
75 ,, 80	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
80 and upwards..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Total	2,781	545	461	78	136	29	107	15	12	3	77	41	136	32	3,710	743

Age Groups.	United Kingdom and other British Possessions.											
	England and Wales.		Scotland.		Ireland.		India and Ceylon.		Other British Possessions.		Total, United Kingdom and other British Possessions.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
15 and under 16	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
16 ,, 17	3	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4	..
17 ,, 18	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	11	..
18 ,, 19	18	1	2	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	21	2
19 ,, 20	13	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	16	1
20 ,, 21	20	3	5	..	3	1	1	1	..	..	29	5
21 ,, 25	111	4	18	4	21	4	3	1	2	..	155	13
25 ,, 30	269	22	44	4	82	20	14	1	9	..	418	47
30 ,, 35	206	27	59	1	120	33	13	..	13	..	411	61
35 ,, 40	212	24	53	7	184	25	8	1	6	..	463	57
40 ,, 45	187	23	68	12	140	19	3	..	5	..	403	54
45 ,, 50	174	14	43	4	93	43	3	1	4	..	317	62
50 ,, 55	118	10	46	6	90	24	1	..	5	1	260	41
55 ,, 60	76	4	35	3	75	14	1	1	8	..	195	22
60 ,, 65	79	2	20	2	60	18	2	..	1	1	162	23
65 ,, 70	43	..	11	1	36	10	1	..	2	..	93	11
70 ,, 75	29	2	4	..	15	2	1	..	..	..	49	4
75 ,, 80	8	..	..	..	10	1	1	..	..	..	19	1
80 and upwards..	3	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	8	..
Total	1,579	137	412	45	936	214	52	6	56	3	3,035	405

No. 39.—Birthplaces and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence during 1898—*continued.*

Age Groups.	Foreign Countries.																				At Sea.	
	France.		Germany.		Russia.		Italy.		Denmark.		Sweden and Norway.		China.		United States.		Other Foreign Countries.		Total, Foreign Countries.			
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
16 and under 17	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..
17 ,, 18	1	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
18 ,, 19	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	9	..	..	..
19 ,, 20	2	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	9	..	..	..
20 ,, 21	..	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	3	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	14	..	..	..
25 ,, 30	2	..	14	1	6	..	..	..	3	..	20	..	1	..	7	..	12	..	65	1	..	..
21 ,, 25	4	..	23	..	8	..	5	..	6	..	29	..	5	..	25	2	22	..	127	2	5	..
30 ,, 35	3	..	20	..	6	..	..	..	6	..	30	..	14	..	19	4	13	..	111	4	..	1
35 ,, 40	20	1	15	..	7	..	4	..	9	..	17	1	9	..	19	5	17	..	117	7	2	..
40 ,, 45	13	..	17	..	5	..	4	..	5	..	26	1	13	..	14	..	6	..	103	1	1	3
45 ,, 50	9	..	9	..	5	..	2	..	2	..	13	..	4	..	18	2	9	..	71	2	3	..
50 ,, 55	5	1	4	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	8	..	5	..	9	..	5	..	38	2	1	..
55 ,, 60	4	..	3	1	..	..	..	..	5	..	6	..	3	..	3	1	7	1	31	3	1	..
60 ,, 65	1	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	2	..	3	..	16	..	..	..
65 ,, 70	1	..	3	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	3	..	1	..	12	..	..	..
70 ,, 75	1	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	10	..	1	..
75 ,, 80	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	1	..	..	..	9	..	..	..
80 and upwards ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
Total	66	2	131	3	40	..	18	..	39	..	160	2	71	..	128	14	97	1	750	22	14	4

All Countries.

Age Groups.	British Empire.								Foreign Countries, including those born at Sea.		Total, All Countries.		
	Australasia.		United Kingdom.		Other Parts of Empire.		Total.						
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
9 and under 10	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1
10 ,, 11	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	3
11 ,, 12	3	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3	..	3
12 ,, 13	5	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	..	..	5	..	5
13 ,, 14	10	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	..	..	10	..	10
14 ,, 15	25	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	..	..	25	..	25
15 ,, 16	17	1	1	1	..	..	18	2	..	..	18	2	20
16 ,, 17	61	2	4	..	..	..	65	2	3	..	68	2	70
17 ,, 18	111	8	10	..	1	..	122	8	4	..	126	8	134
18 ,, 19	118	24	21	1	..	1	139	26	9	..	148	26	174
19 ,, 20	107	30	16	1	..	..	123	31	9	..	132	31	163
20 ,, 21	101	23	28	4	1	1	130	28	14	..	144	28	172
21 ,, 25	382	120	150	12	5	1	537	133	65	1	602	134	736
25 ,, 30	1,090	172	395	46	23	1	1,508	219	132	2	1,640	221	1,861
30 ,, 35	630	116	385	61	26	..	1,041	177	111	5	1,152	182	1,334
35 ,, 40	442	106	449	56	14	1	905	163	119	7	1,024	170	1,194
40 ,, 45	254	67	395	54	8	..	657	121	104	4	761	125	886
45 ,, 50	171	42	310	61	7	1	488	104	74	2	562	106	668
50 ,, 55	104	19	254	40	6	1	364	60	39	2	403	62	465
55 ,, 60	38	6	186	21	9	1	233	28	32	3	265	31	296
60 ,, 65	23	3	159	22	3	1	185	26	16	..	201	26	227
65 ,, 70	8	1	90	11	3	..	101	12	12	..	113	12	125
70 ,, 75	5	..	48	4	1	..	54	4	11	..	65	4	69
75 ,, 80	1	1	18	1	1	..	20	2	9	..	29	2	31
80 and upwards ..	..	2	8	..	..	..	8	2	1	..	9	2	11
Total	3,710	743	2,927	396	108	9	6,745	1,148	764	26	7,509	1,174	8,683

No. 40.—Heights and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Goal under Sentence, 1898.

Males.

Heights.	Age Groups.																							Total.
	9 yrs	10 yrs	11 yrs	12 yrs	13 yrs	14 yrs	15 yrs	16 yrs	17 yrs	18 yrs	19 yrs	20 yrs	21 and under 25	25 and under 30	30 and under 35	35 and under 40	40 and under 45	45 and under 50	50 and under 55	55 and under 60	60 and under 65	65 and under 70	70 and under 75	75 and under 80	80 and over	
Under 4ft. 6in.	1	1	1	1	..	3	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
4 ft. 6 in. ..	..	1	2	..	3	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
4 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	5
4 ft. 8 in. ..	..	1	..	2	3	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
4 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	11
4 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	2	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	..	..	..	11
4 ft. 11 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	1	..	1	..	7	1	3	1	1	..	2	4	..	..	1	26
5 ft. ..	..	..	..	..	..	2	1	4	4	..	..	1	7	4	3	12	2	4	1	1	2	..	1	..	49
5 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	4	4	2	1	2	1	12	26	19	16	15	10	14	7	2	4	3	1	..	146
5 ft. 2 in. .	..	..	..	..	..	3	3	13	8	8	4	6	22	56	33	28	35	22	17	15	9	8	4	5	1	300
5 ft. 3 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	13	21	23	9	8	46	117	90	66	41	49	34	17	14	9	6	1	..	569
5 ft. 4 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	11	26	18	18	18	59	169	97	98	94	49	41	31	23	15	7	3	..	780
5 ft. 5 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	15	17	19	22	75	191	147	121	98	87	50	40	19	20	12	5	2	943
5 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	9	19	29	24	32	127	274	212	176	134	99	64	41	28	14	16	5	4	1,310
5 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	9	25	28	21	99	257	163	177	114	86	69	37	43	14	9	4	1	1,158
5 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	8	15	12	16	67	212	166	142	83	63	55	33	25	10	3	2	1	915
5 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	4	4	9	8	38	151	94	74	68	37	28	18	15	11	2	2	..	566
5 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	5	2	6	26	85	64	60	31	31	12	14	8	3	1	..	..	350
5 ft. 11 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	4	1	12	42	38	31	23	10	8	3	5	2	..	..	..	181
6 ft.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	3	..	..	2	2	37	16	11	10	6	6	4	1	1	..	..	..	100
6 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	8	7	8	3	6	4	3	1	1	1	..	..	..	46
6 ft. 2 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	2	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	10
6 ft. 3 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
6 ft. 4 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total ..	1	3	3	5	10	25	18	68	126	148	132	144	602	1640	1152	1024	761	562	403	265	201	113	65	29	9		7,509

Females.

Heights.	Age Groups.																		Total.
	15 yrs.	16 yrs.	17 yrs.	18 yrs.	19 yrs.	20 yrs.	21 and und. 25.	25 and und. 30.	30 and und. 35.	35 and und. 40.	40 and und. 45.	45 and und 50.	50 and und 55.	55 and und 60.	60 and und 65.	65 and und 70.	70 and und 75.	75 and und 80.	80 and over	
Under 4ft. 6in. ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
4 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
4 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	1	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
4 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	3	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
4 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	4	2	3	1	4	4	5	1	..	..	..	..	30
4 ft. 10 in. ..	..	1	1	1	1	2	8	13	6	9	7	10	5	2	1	..	1	..	..	68
4 ft. 11 in. ..	2	..	..	5	2	..	13	23	15	18	14	12	5	2	6	1	..	2	..	120
5 ft.	..	..	..	5	3	7	18	26	31	22	22	15	3	3	6	2	1	..	2	166
5 ft. 1 in. ..	..	..	..	2	1	3	5	11	30	12	31	18	21	12	5	7	2	2	..	..	162
5 ft. 2 in. ..	..	..	1	2	4	9	5	22	39	34	29	15	13	9	5	3	3	..	..	..	193
5 ft. 3 in. ..	..	..	..	1	4	10	4	16	30	28	22	10	8	10	3	2	..	..	..	..	148
5 ft. 4 in. ..	..	..	..	..	4	1	..	16	20	29	19	14	6	5	3	..	3	..	..	..	120
5 ft. 5 in. ..	..	..	..	..	1	1	2	14	17	11	7	12	8	7	1	..	1	..	..	..	82
5 ft. 6 in. ..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	6	8	7	4	4	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	37
5 ft. 7 in. ..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	1	4	..	2	2	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	14
5 ft. 8 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	5	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
5 ft. 9 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
5 ft. 10 in. ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	2	2	8	26	31	28	134	221	182	170	125	106	62	31	26	12	4	2	2		1,174

No. 41.—Professed Religions of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

Age Groups.	Church of England.		Roman Catholic.		Presbyterian.		Wesleyan.		Congregational.		Baptist.		Lutheran.		Methodist.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
9 and under 10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 ,, 11	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 ,, 12	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 ,, 13	1	..	1	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
13 ,, 14	3	..	5	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
14 ,, 15	12	..	9	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
15 ,, 16	7	2	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
16 ,, 17	29	2	30	..	3	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..
17 ,, 18	63	4	47	4	5	..	5	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
18 ,, 19	60	14	64	12	10	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..
19 ,, 20	58	16	55	14	6	1	4	..	..	..	1	..	5	..	..	..
20 ,, 21	61	13	59	13	11	1	2	..	1	..	1	..	5	..	..	..
21 ,, 25	270	58	232	71	30	4	20	..	..	..	4	..	37	..	..	..
25 ,, 30	593	76	829	139	72	4	51	..	1	..	9	..	41	..	5	..
30 ,, 35	445	83	535	90	65	5	31	3	2	..	2	..	27	..	2	..
35 ,, 40	386	73	483	86	64	6	23	3	2	..	5	1	17	1	1	..
40 ,, 45	294	56	325	59	73	8	21	1	1	..	5	1	17	..	1	..
45 ,, 50	250	31	212	71	57	3	11	..	1	..	2	..	11	..	1	.
50 ,, 55	175	19	156	40	47	3	6	..	..	..	3	..	2	..	..	..
55 ,, 60	106	8	101	22	36	1	8	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..
60 ,, 65	82	6	87	18	18	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..
65 ,, 70	41	1	47	9	13	2	3	..	..	..	1	..	4	..	..	..
70 ,, 75	37	3	18	1	4	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
75 ,, 80	6	1	14	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
80 and upwards	3	..	4	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total	2,988	466	3,324	652	519	40	209	7	9	..	36	2	179	1	10	..

Age Groups.	Salvation Army.		Hebrews.		Mahomedans.		Buddhists.		Pagans.		Free-thinkers.		Others, and not specified.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
9 and under 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
10 ,, 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
11 ,, 12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3
12 ,, 13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5
13 ,, 14	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	10	..	10
14 ,, 15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	25	..	25
15 ,, 16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	2	20
16 ,, 17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	68	2	70
17 ,, 18	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	126	8	134
18 ,, 19	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	148	26	174
19 ,, 20	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	132	31	163
20 ,, 21	..	1	1	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	144	28	172
21 ,, 25	..	..	1	1	2	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	2	..	602	134	736
25 ,, 30	..	..	4	1	9	..	2	..	6	..	1	..	17	1	1,640	221	1,861
30 ,, 35	1	..	8	1	12	..	1	..	8	..	4	..	9	..	1,152	182	1,334
35 ,, 40	1	..	7	..	7	..	..	..	4	..	2	..	22	..	1,024	170	1,194
40 ,, 45	..	..	4	..	1	..	..	..	5	..	2	..	12	..	761	125	886
45 ,, 50	..	..	1	..	2	..	2	..	2	..	1	1	9	..	562	106	668
50 ,, 55	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	11	..	403	62	465
55 ,, 60	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	265	31	296
60 ,, 65	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	5	..	201	26	227
65 ,, 70	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	113	12	125
70 ,, 75	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	65	4	69
75 ,, 80	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	4	..	1	..	1	..	29	2	31
80 and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9	2	11
Total	2	1	36	3	39	..	7	..	39	..	11	1	101	1	7,509	1,174	8,683

No. 42.—Offences according to Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

NOTE.—When a person has been convicted for the committal of more than one offence, only the more or most serious offence has been classified.

Age Groups.	Against the Person.			Against Property with Violence.			Against Property without Violence.			Forgery and Offences against the Currency.			Against Good Order.			Offences not included in the preceding.		
	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total
9 and under 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
10 ,, 11	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
11 ,, 12	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
12 ,, 13	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	4	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
13 ,, 14	1	..	1	..	..	..	8	..	8	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..
14 ,, 15	1	..	1	..	..	..	18	..	18	..	..	..	6	..	6	..	..	..
15 ,, 16	5	..	5	2	..	2	7	..	7	2	..	2	2	1	3	..	1	1
16 ,, 17	8	..	8	2	..	2	35	1	36	1	..	1	16	1	17	6	..	6
17 ,, 18	14	..	14	9	..	9	51	3	54	1	..	1	44	5	49	7	..	7
18 ,, 19	17	..	17	4	..	4	61	4	65	2	..	2	51	22	73	13	..	13
19 ,, 20	16	2	18	5	..	5	48	4	52	2	..	2	43	25	68	18	..	18
20 ,, 21	18	1	19	2	..	2	38	4	42	..	1	1	60	22	82	26	..	26
21 ,, 25	76	13	89	27	2	29	141	23	164	4	..	4	220	95	315	134	1	135
25 ,, 30	259	11	270	54	9	63	427	28	455	13	..	13	660	167	827	227	6	233
30 ,, 35	148	9	157	37	4	41	326	19	345	2	..	2	523	144	667	116	6	122
35 ,, 40	95	5	100	24	2	26	221	9	230	6	..	6	576	152	728	102	2	104
40 ,, 45	93	5	98	17	7	24	161	10	171	4	..	4	432	102	534	54	1	55
45 ,, 50	46	1	47	13	..	13	101	11	112	2	..	2	363	94	457	37	..	37
50 ,, 55	41	1	42	10	1	11	56	10	66	1	..	1	272	50	322	23	..	23
55 ,, 60	26	2	28	8	..	8	36	2	38	1	..	1	185	24	209	9	3	12
60 ,, 65	19	1	20	4	..	4	42	4	46	1	..	1	126	20	146	9	1	10
65 ,, 70	4	2	6	1	..	1	21	3	24	..	..	..	79	7	86	8	..	8
70 ,, 75	3	..	3	..	..	..	16	..	16	..	..	..	39	3	42	7	1	8
75 ,, 80	1	..	1	2	..	2	7	..	7	..	..	..	18	2	20	1	..	1
80 and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	..	..	..	7	2	9	..	..	..
Total	891	53	944	221	25	246	1,834	135	1,969	42	1	43	3,724	938	4,662	797	22	819
	Males, 7,509; Females, 1,174; Total, 8,683.																	

No. 43.—Education and Ages of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence during 1898.

Age Groups.	Read and Write.						Illiterate.			Total.		
	English.			Foreign only.								
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
9 and under 10	1	....	1	..	..	....	..	..	....	1	....	1
10 ,, 11	2	....	2	..	..	....	1	..	1	3	....	3
11 ,, 12	3	....	3	..	..	....	..	..	....	3	....	3
12 ,, 13	5	....	5	..	..	....	..	..	....	5	....	5
13 ,, 14	8	....	8	..	..	....	2	..	2	10	....	10
14 ,, 15	23	....	23	..	..	....	2	..	2	25	....	25
15 ,, 16	17	2	19	..	..	....	1	..	1	18	2	20
16 ,, 17	61	2	63	2	..	2	5	..	5	68	2	70
17 ,, 18	122	8	130	1	..	1	3	..	3	126	8	134
18 ,, 19	138	25	163	2	..	2	8	1	9	148	26	174
19 ,, 20	125	31	156	2	..	2	5	..	5	132	31	163
20 ,, 21	134	27	161	3	..	3	7	1	8	144	28	172
21 ,, 25	574	129	703	11	..	11	17	5	22	602	134	736
25 ,, 30	1,536	202	1,738	37	..	37	67	19	86	1,640	221	1,861
30 ,, 35	1,052	159	1,211	24	..	24	76	23	99	1,152	182	1,334
35 ,, 40	937	155	1,092	11	..	11	76	15	91	1,024	170	1,194
40 ,, 45	691	109	800	20	..	20	50	16	66	761	125	886
45 ,, 50	506	78	584	4	..	4	52	28	80	562	106	668
50 ,, 55	360	51	411	6	..	6	37	11	48	403	62	465
55 ,, 60	227	22	249	5	..	5	33	9	42	265	31	296
60 ,, 65	172	21	193	2	..	2	27	5	32	201	26	227
65 ,, 70	100	7	107	1	..	1	12	5	17	113	12	125
70 ,, 75	45	1	46	4	..	4	16	3	19	65	4	69
75 ,, 80	19	2	21	..	..	....	10	..	10	29	2	31
80 and upwards	8	1	9	..	..	....	1	1	2	9	2	11
Total	6,866	1,032	7,898	135	..	135	508	142	650	7,509	1,174	8,683

No. 44.—Ostensible Occupations of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

Males.

Accountants	10	Engine-drivers	14	Packers and Storemen	10
Agents and Auctioneers	21	Engineers and Fitters	64	Painters and Signwriters	106
Bakers	73	Factory hands	16	Plasterers	21
Barmen	6	Farmers and Graziers	37	Plumbers and Gasfitters	33
Blacksmiths & Wheelwrights	116	Fellmongers	6	Quarrymen	12
Boiler makers	19	Firemen	216	Saddlers and Harnessmakers	24
Bookbinders	7	Fishermen	23	Sailmakers	6
Bookkeepers and Clerks	149	French Polishers	9	Salesmen	6
Bootmakers	158	Gardeners	69	Sawyers	7
Bricklayers	50	Greengrocers	10	Schoolboys	21
Brickmakers	13	Grocers	17	Seamen	693
Brushmakers	5	Grooms	102	Shearers	44
Butchers	146	Hairdressers	70	Station hands	5
Cabinet-makers	7	Ironmoulders	10	Stewards	28
Cabmen	49	Ironworkers (various)	18	Stokers	17
Canvassers	13	Jewellers and Watchmakers	17	Stonemasons	37
Carpenters and Joiners	122	Jockeys	36	Tailors	90
Carters and Carriers	110	Journalists	8	Tanners	6
Chair-makers	5	Labourers	3,074	Teachers	6
Coal-trimmers	5	Laundrymen	8	Tinsmiths	49
Commercial travellers	24	Machinists	8	Tobacco-workers	9
Compositors and Printers	43	Marines	10	Trainers	23
Confectioners	6	Miners	267	Upholsterers	7
Cooks	228	Musicians	15	Waiters	14
Coopers	7	Naval Seamen	44	Woolclassers	9
Dairymen and Milkmen	7	Naval Stokers	14	Woolwashers	10
Dealers and Hawkers	277	Newsboys	13	*Others (see note)	262
Drapers	30	Newsvendors	13		
Drovers	14	Omnibus drivers	26	Total, Males	7,509

Females.

Barmaids	8	Laundresses	50	*Others (see note)	95
Charwomen	12	Machinists	15		
Cooks	6	Nurses	7	Total, Females	1,174
Domestic duties	472	Servants	421		
Dressmakers	42	Tailoresses	21		
Housekeepers	11	Waitresses	14		

* **Others.**—Under this heading are included all occupations represented by less than five persons, and those described as being "of no occupation."

No. 45.—Ages and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Age Groups.	Imprisonment.												Death.	Total Males.
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	15 years and over.	During Governor's pleasure.	Until Order complied with.		
9 and under 10	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
10 ,, 11	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
11 ,, 12	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
12 ,, 13	2	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
13 ,, 14	4	1	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
14 ,, 15	4	3	11	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
15 ,, 16	5	1	8	7*	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
16 ,, 17	11	6	38	20	6*	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	83
17 ,, 18	23	11	59	40	9	7	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	151
18 ,, 19	19	22	55	67	12	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	183
19 ,, 20	13	16	40	69	17	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	165
20 ,, 21	22	17	54	59	11	6	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	172
21 ,, 25	94	74	210	254	50	15	27	5	..	..	..	4	1†	734
25 ,, 30	268	207	683	720	143	57	72	13	..	..	1	16	1†	2,181
30 ,, 35	215	198	521	452	94	30	38	13	..	..	1	18	1†	1,581
35 ,, 40	233	178	469	357	76	21	25	9	1	..	1	17	..	1,387
40 ,, 45	207	146	368	271	44	16	21	2	..	..	..	9	1	1,085
45 ,, 50	149	105	252	210	33	15	10	5	..	..	..	6	..	785
50 ,, 55	131	62	203	154	18	9	10	1	2	..	..	6	..	596
55 ,, 60	70	39	139	100	15	4	3	2	..	1	..	4	1†	378
60 ,, 65	58	29	100	86	13	2	1	3	..	..	..	2	..	294
65 ,, 70	28	14	96	41	4	..	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	189
70 ,, 75	15	10	34	21	5	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	89
75 ,, 80	8	5	24	19	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	58
80 and upwards.	2	..	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	15
Total	1,587	1,144	3,378		552	200	220	57	3	1	3	83	5	10,197

* One with whipping. † Commuted.

No. 46.—Offences and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	15 years and over.	During Governor's pleasure.	Until Order complied with.	Death.	Total Males.
Offences against the Person—														
Murder	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3*	3
Wounding with intent to murder	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1*	1
Manslaughter	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	5
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	1	..	1	10	6	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	23
Shooting with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Wounding with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	2	2	10	14	3	..	..	1	..	..	32
Attempt to injure by poison	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Assault and robbery	..	..	2	..	3	3	13	6	..	..	..	..	..	27
Assault and robbery in company	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Robbery under arms	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	1
Assault with intent to rob	..	..	..	..	1	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Common assault	3	1	161	268	29	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	463
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing Police	6	4	86	130	16	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	245
Maliciously endangering life by obstructing railway	..	..	..	..	1†	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Uncoupling a railway car while in motion	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Attempt to commit rape	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	3
Carnally knowing a girl under 10 years	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	3
Carnally knowing a girl over 10 and under 14 years, or attempts at	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	4
Sodomy, or attempts at	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	5
Bestiality, or attempts at	..	..	..	1†	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Indecent assault	..	..	..	1	3	2	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	11
Indecent assault on a girl under 14	..	..	..	..	3	4	3	1	..	..	1	..	..	12
Indecent assault on a male	..	..	..	..	..	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Abduction	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Bigamy	..	..	..	1	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
Procuring miscarriage, or attempts at	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Suicide, attempt to commit	3	1	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	16
Demanding money by a threatening letter	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Taking away a girl with intent to carnally know her and detain her	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Striking his superior officer (naval seaman)	..	..	..	..	1	2	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Total	14	6	256	422	70	43	57	16	3	1	2	..	5	895
Offences against Property with violence—														
Breaking and entering with intent to steal, or attempts at	..	..	..	6	11	20	30	10	..	..	..	..	..	77
Burglary	..	..	..	3	..	1	9	6	..	..	..	..	..	19
Maliciously injuring property	..	..	90	52	2	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	145
Feloniously killing or wounding sheep, cattle, or horses	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Robbery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	2
Robbery in company	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Sacrilege	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	..	..	90	61	13	22	43	18	..	..	1	..	..	248
Offences against Property without violence—														
Forgery	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Stealing in company	..	..	21	33	15	5	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	81
Simple larceny	15	6	323	695	192	25	22	4	..	..	..	..	..	1,282
Stealing from the person	..	..	1	51	17	4	8	4	..	..	..	..	..	85
Stealing from a dwelling	..	..	5	8	9	8	14	2	..	..	..	..	..	46
Stealing from a vessel in port	..	..	1	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Cattle stealing	..	..	..	..	6	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Horse stealing	..	..	..	4	8	6	11	2	..	..	..	..	..	31
Sheep stealing	..	..	..	2	4	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Embezzlement	..	..	9	26	7	5	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	50
False pretences	..	1	11	69	33	8	10	3	..	..	..	..	..	135
Larceny as a bailee or agent	..	..	1	10	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	13
Larceny as a co-partner	..	..	..	..	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Receiving stolen property	1	..	2	8	5	12	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	37
Having possession of suspected stolen property	2	2	49	107	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	165
Illegally pawning	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Illegally using cattle or horses	1	..	4	10	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Fraudulent appropriation	..	4	10	39	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	55
Being in a public place with intent to steal	1	..	..	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Being found at night with intent to commit a felony	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Being unlawfully on premises	1	..	16	37	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	60
Careless use of fire	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Setting fire to natural grass	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Setting fire to house	..	..	..	..	2	1	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	8
Being found at night with house-breaking implements	..	..	1	..	..	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	7

* Commuted. † With whipping.

No. 46.—Offences and Punishments of Males received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898—*continued.*

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	15 years and over.	During Governor's pleasure.	Until Order complied with.	Death.	Total Males.
Offences against property without violence—*cont'd.*														
Killing a sheep with intent to steal carcase	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Stealing letter sent by post	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Found on board ship for an unlawful purpose	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Found with an offensive weapon with intent to commit a felonious act	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Destroying Government property	2	..	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17
Being accessory to a crime	..	..	2	2	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Total	23	13	475	1,122	329	86	96	18	..	..	..	..	..	2,162
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—														
Forgery	..	..	..	1	2	2	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	9
Uttering	..	..	..	1	3	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
Forgery and uttering	1	..	..	1	7	..	6	4	..	..	..	..	..	19
Having or putting off counterfeit coin	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Making counterfeit coin	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Total	1	..	..	5	13	10	11	5	..	..	..	..	..	45
Offences against Good Order—														
Drunkenness	806	242	528	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,587
Drunkenness, habitual	1	1	1	16	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	386	432	342	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,168
Riotous or indecent behaviour	99	137	233	27	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	496
Throwing missiles	8	4	7	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
Furious or negligent driving or riding	..	1	5	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
Obscenely exposing the person	6	6	58	62	17	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	149
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	94	119	774	659	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,647
Being an idle and disorderly person	..	..	7	33	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	42
Vagrancy	10	17	77	258	65	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	427
Being a suspected person	..	..	4	33	19	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	56
Begging alms	8	10	17	15	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	50
Breach of the peace	..	1	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
Cruelty to animals	5	2	21	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	41
Gambling	19	29	26	13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	87
Inciting a prisoner to resist police	..	..	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Keeping a common brothel	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Personating a detective	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Playing cricket in a public place	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Total	1,443	1,002	2,102	1,163	108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,818
Offences not included in the preceding—														
Perjury	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Conspiracy	..	..	..	..	2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Refusing to pay fare (by steamer)	7	4	39	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	51
Refusing to pay for liquor	10	3	14	6	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	35
Absent without leave from ship	6	7	66	24	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	103
Desertion from ship	2	2	63	38	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	105
Wilful disobedience on board ship	6	5	52	27	..	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	94
Naval deserter	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Endeavouring to induce a person to make a false statement	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Escaping from lawful custody	1	..	..	4	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	6
Trespass	..	2	2	.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Contempt to superior officer (Naval seaman)	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Breach of Abattoirs Act	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
,, Aborigines Act	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Apprentices' Act	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Bankruptcy Act	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Betting Houses Suppression Act	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7
,, Chinese Restriction Act	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
,, Copyright Act	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Crown Lands Regulations Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Customs Laws	..	..	2	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
,, Deserted Wives and Children Act	..	..	..	5	2	23	..	..	..	..	..	78	..	113
,, Diseases in Sheep and Stock Act	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Distillation Act	..	..	..	1	6	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
,, Distress Act	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
,, Dog Registration Act	3	15	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	26
,, Electoral Act	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Enclosed Land Act	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Fisheries Act	..	1	4	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	8
,, First Offenders' Probation Act	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Hawkers' Act	3	11	23	9	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	46
,, Impounding Act	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Immigration Restriction Act	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Licensing Act	2	6	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
,, Lottery Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1

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Offences.	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	10 years and under 15.	15 years and over.	During Governor's pleasure.	Until Order complied with.	Death.	Total Males.
Offences not included in the preceding—*cont'd.*														
Breach of Masters and Servants' Act	..	1	23	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24
,, Merchant Shipping Act	15	8	..	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31
,, Municipal or Corporation By-laws	25	14	11	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	53
,, Nuisance Acts and Health Laws	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
,, Parks Act	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Public Instruction Act	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10
,, Railway Act	8	15	91	16	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	130
,, Stage Carriage Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Stamp Duties Act	..	..	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5
,, Sunday Observance Act	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Tobacco Act	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
,, Transit Commissioners By-laws	5	17	29	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	53
,, Water and Sewerage By-laws	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
,, Weights and Measures Act	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Total	103	119	449	182	19	38	13	..	..	..	..	78	..	1,001
Persons and Cases of Persons brought before the Court for not forthwith finding Sureties for fulfilment of and non-compliance with Orders—														
Non-compliance with orders	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Under warrant for debt	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	5
,, for want of sureties	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Contempt of Court, refusing to give evidence	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Failing to pay costs	..	2	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	9
For detention of property	3	2	1	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	12
Total	3	4	6	9	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	28
Grand Total	1,587	1,144	3,378	2,964	552	200	220	57	3	1	3	83	5	10,197
TOTAL, MALES.														
Offences against the person	14	6	256	422	70	43	57	16	3	1	2	..	5	895
Offences against property, with violence	..	..	90	61	13	22	43	18	..	..	1	..	..	248
Offences against property, without violence	23	13	475	1,122	329	86	96	18	..	..	..	..	..	2,162
Forgery and offences against the currency	1	..	..	5	13	10	11	5	..	..	..	..	..	45
Offences against good order	1,443	1,002	2,102	1,163	108	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,818
Offences not included in the preceding	106	123	455	191	19	39	13	..	..	..	..	83	..	1,029
Total Males	1,587	1,144	3,378	2,964	552	200	220	57	3	1	3	83	5	10,197

No. 47.—Ages and Punishments of Females received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Age Groups.	Imprisonment.								Total Females.
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	
15 and under 16	....	1	1	3	....	....	....	....	5
16 ,, 17	....	....	....	1	1	....	....	....	2
17 ,, 18	1	....	12	8	....	....	....	....	21
18 ,, 19	8	7	13	11	....	2	....	....	41
19 ,, 20	6	14	21	15	2	1	....	....	59
20 ,, 21	7	1	14	17	1	1	....	....	41
21 ,, 25	27	43	125	72	9	4	1	....	281
25 ,, 30	45	69	204	140	15	2	1	1	477
30 ,, 35	68	56	259	102	16	....	1	....	502
35 ,, 40	54	57	222	104	14	....	....	1	452
40 ,, 45	44	43	177	71	14	1	1	....	351
45 ,, 50	33	23	98	61	16	....	....	1	232
50 ,, 55	18	14	81	34	2	....	....	....	149
55 ,, 60	3	6	29	12	5	....	....	....	55
60 ,, 65	6	5	27	7	3	....	....	....	48
65 ,, 70	5	1	8	3	2	....	....	....	19
70 ,, 75	1	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	4
75 ,, 80	....	....	....	2	....	....	....	....	2
80 and upwards	1	....	1	....	....	....	....	....	2
Total	327	340	1,295	663	100	11	4	3	2,743

No. 48.—Offences and Punishments of Females received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	Imprisonment.								Total Females
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	
Offences against the Person—									
Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	5
Wounding with intent to inflict grievous bodily harm	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Common assault	...	...	18	13	1	...	...	...	32
Assaulting, resisting, or obstructing police	...	...	4	3	...	...	...	...	7
Assault and robbery	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	2
Child desertion	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Bigamy	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Concealing birth of an infant	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Suicide, attempt to commit	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	5
Total	...	...	26	19	4	1	3	3	56
Offences against Property with Violence—									
Maliciously injuring property	...	...	23	4	...	...	...	...	27
Breaking and entering, with intent to steal	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3
Total	1	...	23	6	...	...	...	...	30
Offences against Property without Violence—									
Stealing in company	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	4
Simple larceny	...	...	35	48	8	6	...	...	97
Stealing from the person	...	...	4	14	5	...	...	...	23
Stealing from a dwelling	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
False pretences	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	5
Receiving stolen property	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3
Having possession of suspected stolen property	...	1	2	8	...	...	...	...	11
Fraudulent appropriation	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	4
Destroying Government property	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2
Cattle-stealing	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
Illegally pawning	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Being unlawfully on premises	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3
Being accessory to a crime	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Total	...	1	46	84	16	9	1	...	157
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—									
Forgery and uttering	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Total	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Offences against Good Order—									
Drunkenness	177	79	536	1	...	...	...	...	793
Drunkenness, habitual	...	...	...	26	7	...	...	...	33
Drunkenness, with disorderly conduct	113	161	256	2	...	...	...	...	532
Riotous or indecent behaviour	16	26	79	141	32	...	...	...	294
Obscenely exposing the person	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	3
Using obscene, threatening, or abusive language	13	20	289	219	...	...	...	...	541
Being an idle and disorderly person	...	...	4	11	1	...	...	...	16
Vagrancy	4	45	26	135	37	...	...	...	247
Being a suspected person	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2
Begging alms	1	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	7
Breach of the peace	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Keeping a common brothel or disorderly house	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Throwing missiles	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3
Total	325	334	1,194	540	80	...	...	...	2,473

No. 48.—Offences and Punishments of Females received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898—*continued.*

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	Imprisonment.								Total Females.
	2 days and under.	3 days and under 1 week.	1 week and under 1 month.	1 month and under 6.	6 months and under 12.	1 year and under 2.	2 years and under 5.	5 years and under 10.	
Offences not included in the preceding—									
Refusing to pay fare (by steamer) ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Making a false statement on oath ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Breach of Dog Registration Act	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	4
,, Hawker's Act	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
,, Licensing Act	1	3	...	9	...	...	...	...	13
Total	1	5	4	10	...	...	...	...	20
Persons and Cases of Persons brought before the Court for not forthwith finding Sureties for fulfilment of and non-compliance with Orders—									
Disobeying orders of Court—									
Delivery of goods	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	5
Payment of costs	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Grand Total	327	340	1,295	663	100	11	4	3	2,743
TOTAL FEMALES.									
Offences against the person	...	...	26	19	4	1	3	3	56
Offences against property, with violence ...	1	...	23	6	...	...	...	...	30
Offences against property, without violence...	...	1	46	84	16	9	1	...	157
Forgery and offences against the currency ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
Offences against good order	325	334	1,194	540	80	...	...	...	2,473
Offences not included in the preceding ...	1	5	6	14	...	...	...	...	26
Total, Females	327	340	1,295	663	100	11	4	3	2,743

No. 49.—Summary of Offences committed by Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Offences against the person	895	56	951
Offences against property, with violence	248	30	278
Offences against property, without violence	2,162	157	2,319
Forgery and offences against the currency	45	1	46
Offences against good order	5,818	2,473	8,291
Offences not included in the preceding	1,029	26	1,055
Total	10,197	2,743	12,940

No. 50.—Classification of Sentences of Persons received into Gaol under Sentence, 1898.

(Counted once every time they were received.)

Age Groups.	To Death.		Sentenced to Imprisonment—									Total Persons Sentenced.		
			With Penal Servitude.			With Hard Labour.			Without Labour.					
	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
9 and under 10	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	....	1
10 ,, 11	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	1	..	1	4	....	4
11 ,, 12	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	3	3	....	3
12 ,, 13	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5	..	5	5	....	5
13 ,, 14	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	9	..	9	10	....	10
14 ,, 15	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	8	18	..	18	26	....	26
15 ,, 16	..	..	..	..	..	†9	1	10	13	4	17	22	5	27
16 ,, 17	..	..	..	..	..	†32	1	33	51	1	52	83	2	85
17 ,, 18	..	..	1	..	1	63	8	71	87	13	100	151	21	172
18 ,, 19	..	..	1	..	1	96	14	110	86	27	113	183	41	224
19 ,, 20	..	..	..	..	..	88	17	105	77	42	119	165	59	224
20 ,, 21	..	..	2	..	2	68	14	82	102	27	129	172	41	213
21 ,, 25	*1	..	6	..	6	335	79	414	392	202	594	734	281	1,015
25 ,, 30	*1	..	21	..	21	900	122	1,022	1,259	355	1,614	2,181	477	2,658
30 ,, 35	*1	..	18	..	18	552	111	663	1,010	391	1,401	1,581	502	2,083
35 ,, 40	..	..	17	1	18	474	108	582	896	343	1,239	1,387	452	1,839
40 ,, 45	1	..	6	1	7	336	81	417	742	269	1,011	1,085	351	1,436
45 ,, 50	..	..	6	1	7	246	64	310	533	167	700	785	232	1,017
50 ,, 55	..	..	4	..	4	156	34	190	436	115	551	596	149	745
55 ,, 60	*1	..	5	..	5	112	14	126	260	41	301	378	55	433
60 ,, 65	..	..	4	..	4	91	11	102	199	37	236	294	48	342
65 ,, 70	..	..	4	..	4	39	3	42	146	16	162	189	19	208
70 ,, 75	..	..	..	..	..	32	..	32	57	4	61	89	4	93
75 ,, 80	..	..	..	..	..	14	2	16	44	..	44	58	2	60
80 and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	6	..	6	9	2	11	15	2	17
Total	5	..	95	3	98	3,661	684	4,345	6,436	2,056	8,492	10,197	2,743	12,940

* Commuted. † 1 with whipping.

No. 51.—Offences of Distinct Persons received into Gaol under sentence, 1889–98.

Year.	Against the Person.		Against Property with Violence.		Against Property without Violence.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Against Good Order.		Offences not included in the Preceding.		Total.			Distinct Persons per 100,000 of Mean Population.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
1889	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	7,070	1,757	8,827	1,217	362	828
1890	778	62	202	38	1,555	147	43	2	3,409	1,121	569	13	6,556	1,383	7,939	1,094	275	721
1891	877	64	199	61	1,699	184	53	...	3,910	1,064	669	11	7,407	1,384	8,791	1,194	264	769
1892	970	49	246	30	1,786	113	64	2	3,828	1,112	734	23	7,628	1,329	8,957	1,194	245	758
1893	942	50	279	30	1,863	124	53	5	4,034	1,148	810	31	7,981	1,388	9,369	1,223	249	774
1894	904	57	280	34	1,893	144	70	2	4,085	1,081	638	27	7,870	1,345	9,215	1,182	235	745
1895	964	54	241	36	1,891	152	52	1	4,040	1,036	608	90	7,796	1,369	9,165	1,147	234	725
1896	820	41	254	27	1,946	130	70	3	4,354	1,015	867	21	8,308	1,237	9,545	1,204	207	741
1897	915	63	233	31	1,833	152	63	4	3,682	985	731	15	7,457	1,250	8,707	1,062	205	664
1898	891	53	221	25	1,834	135	42	1	3,724	938	797	22	7,509	1,174	8,683	1,050	190	650

* Particulars not available.

No. 52.—Executions, 1874–98.

Capital Offences.—In New South Wales the death penalty is attached to the following crimes:—Murder, attempted murder, rape, and setting fire to a dwelling knowing that a person is therein.

Year.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Year.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Year.	Male.	Female.	Total.
1874	3	...	3	1883	1	...	1	1892	1	...	1
1875	2	...	2	1884	2	...	2	1893	5	...	5
1876	4	...	4	1885	3	...	3	1894	5	...	5
1877	2	...	2	1886	2	...	2	1895	1	...	1
1878	1	...	1	1887	4	...	4	1896	1	...	1
1879	1	...	1	1888	2	...	2	1897	3	...	3
1880	4	...	4	1889	2	1	3	1898	1	...	1
1881	2	...	2	1890	1	...	1				
1882	3	...	3	1891	3	...	3				

No. 53.—Prisoners in Gaol at close of year, 1889–98.

Year.	In Gaol on the 31st December (Tried and Untried), exclusive of debtors.			Tried.			Untried.			Debtors.			
										Received into Gaol during the year.		In Gaol at end of year.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.
1889	2,036	322	2,358	1,920	313	2,233	116	9	125	71	1	12	...
1890	2,138	281	2,419	2,018	272	2,290	120	9	129	59	2	3	1
1891	2,325	291	2,616	2,204	285	2,489	121	6	127	45	...	...	...
1892	2,345	268	2,613	2,230	254	2,484	115	14	129	54	...	9	...
1893	2,232	208	2,440	2,091	204	2,295	141	4	145	55	3	5	...
1894	2,350	252	2,602	2,226	243	2,469	124	9	133	54	4	8	...
1895	2,257	240	2,497	2,122	223	2,345	135	17	152	70	4	3	...
1896	2,137	217	2,354	2,004	212	2,216	133	5	138	52	2	3	...
1897	2,015	242	2,257	1,901	235	2,136	114	7	121	50	1	2	1
1898	1,894	187	2,081	1,759	175	1,934	135	12	147	81	4	1	...

No. 54.—Prisoners in each Gaol at close of Year 1898.

Gaols.	Tried.			Untried.			Total.			Debtors.			
										Received into Gaol during the year.		In Gaol at end of year.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Principal Gaols—													
Darlinghurst (Sydney) ...	347	11	358	37	7	44	384	18	402	56	4	1	...
Bathurst	191	21	212	10	...	10	201	21	222	...	...	...	...
Berrima	62	...	62	...	...	...	62	...	62	1	...	...	...
Biloela	125	111	236	...	...	...	125	111	236	...	...	...	...
Goulburn	243	2	245	5	...	5	248	2	250	2	...	...	...
Maitland	79	4	83	3	...	3	82	4	86	2	...	...	...
Parramatta	256	...	256	5	...	5	261	...	261	1	...	...	...
Trial Bay	109	...	109	...	...	...	109	...	109	...	...	...	...
Total, Principal Gaols...	1,412	149	1,561	60	7	67	1,472	156	1,628	62	4	1	...
Minor Gaols—													
Albury	18	...	18	4	...	4	22	...	22	1	...	...	...
Armidale	20	2	22	2	...	2	22	2	24	...	...	...	...
Broken Hill	26	3	29	2	1	3	28	4	32	1	...	...	...
Deniliquin	9	2	11	2	...	2	11	2	13	...	...	...	...
Dubbo	29	6	35	14	...	14	43	6	49	1	...	...	...
Forbes	6	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	6	2	...	...	...
Grafton	32	...	32	1	...	1	33	...	33	1	...	...	...
Hay	6	1	7	...	...	...	6	1	7	...	...	...	...
Mudgee	6	...	6	2	...	2	8	...	8	1	...	...	...
Tamworth	43	2	45	2	...	2	45	2	47	...	...	...	...
Wagga Wagga	6	1	7	6	...	6	12	1	13	1	...	...	...
Wilcannia	11	...	11	...	1	1	11	1	12	...	...	...	...
Wollongong	7	...	7	1	...	1	8	...	8	5	...	...	...
Yass	4	1	5	2	...	2	6	1	7	...	...	...	...
Young	38	3	41	7	...	7	45	3	48	...	...	...	...
Total, Minor Gaols ...	261	21	282	45	2	47	306	23	329	13	...	...	...
Police Gaols—													
Balranald	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bega	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Bingara	5	...	5	1	...	1	6	...	6	...	...	...	...
Bombala	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bourke	8	...	8	1	...	1	9	...	9	1	...	...	...
Braidwood	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Burrowa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Campbelltown	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Casino	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...
Cobar...	...	2	2	6	...	6	6	2	8	...	...	...	...
Cooma	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Coonabarabran	1	...	1	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	...	...	...
Coonamble	1	...	1	2	...	2	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Cootamundra	6	2	8	...	...	...	6	2	8	...	...	...	...
Cowra	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...
Glen Innes	1	...	1	2	...	2	3	...	3	...	...	...	...

No. 54.—Prisoners in each Gaol at close of Year 1898 – *continued.*

Gaols.	Tried.			Untried.			Total.			Debtors.			
										Received into Gaol during the year.		In Gaol at end of year.	
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Police Gaols—*continued.*													
Grenfell	3	...	3	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Gundagai	4	...	4	1	...	1	5	...	5	...	...	...	...
Gunnedah	3	1	4	2	...	2	5	1	6	...	...	...	...
Hillston	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Inverell	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Kempsey	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...
Moree	8	...	8	1	1	2	9	1	10	...	...	...	...
Murrurundi	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Narrabri	12	...	12	1	...	1	13	...	13	...	...	...	...
Narrandera	4	...	4	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...
Newcastle	...	...	...	3	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Orange	5	...	5	2	...	2	7	...	7	...	...	...	...
Port Macquarie	2	...	2	1	...	1	3	...	3	...	...	...	...
Queanbeyan	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Singleton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taree	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tenterfield	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Walgett	...	...	...	2	2	4	2	2	4	1	...	...	...
Wellington	3	...	3	1	...	1	4	...	4	1	...	...	...
Wentworth	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...
Windsor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, Police Gaols ...	86	5	91	30	3	33	116	8	124	6	...	...	...
Total, all Gaols ...	1,759	175	1,934	135	12	147	1,894	187	2,081	81	4	1	...

No. 55.—Offences Committed by or charged against Prisoners in Gaol, 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Offences against the Person.		Offences against Property with Violence.		Offences against Property without Violence.		Forgery and Offences against the Currency.		Offences against Good Order.		Offences not included in the preceding.		Total.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F	M.	F.	Total
Tried	469	17	199	3	684	35	78	...	252	118	77	2	1,759	175	1,934
Untried	57	...	14	...	39	9	5	...	8	1	12	2	135	12	147
Total... ...	526	17	213	3	723	44	83	...	260	119	89	4	1,894	187	2,081

No. 56.—Employment of Prisoners in Gaols at close of year 1898.

Classification.	Principal Gaols.								Minor Gaols.	Total.
	Darlinghurst (Sydney).	Bathurst.	Berrima.	Biloela.	Goulburn.	Maitland.	Parramatta.	Trial Bay.		
Employed—Occupations.										
Carpenters and Assistants	5	4	2	1	12	2	4	...	7	37
Painters	4	5	...	1	3	1	2	...	6	22
Blacksmiths and Assistants	6	4	...	1	3	1	6	...	1	22
Tinsmiths	13	2	...	...	4	1	1	...	1	22
Masons	7	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	11
Stonecutters and Assistants	...	3	...	1	...	4	1	...	...	9
Labourers	5	37	1	12	14	3	32	...	40	144
Working outside	...	7	1	...	15	4	7	...	35	69
Brushmakers	7	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	9
Hatmakers	...	3	...	3	22	2	9	...	4	43
Matmakers	40	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	41
Shoemakers	2	14	1	...	21	8	29	1	3	79
Tailors	46	15	28	6	24	4	23	1	4	151
Working at Breakwater	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88	...	88
Bookbinders	...	3	...	...	2	3	9	...	...	17
Writers	7	3	...	...	3	1	5	...	...	19
Wood and Water Gang	1	...	2	...	3	...	...	3	21	30
Bathmen and Stablemen	6	1	1	2	1	...	1	2	1	15
Sweepers and Cleaners	31	24	10	22	26	13	19	3	43	191
Cooks' Assistants	15	9	3	9	11	8	16	4	21	96
Washing and Gardening	20	6	2	14	6	3	14	...	3	68
School and Store Assistants	7	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	11
Hospital Attendants	3	1	...	2	3	1	3	1	4	18
Barbers	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	...	5	14
Lunatic Keepers	3	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	1	9
Messengers	5	1	1	1	2	...	1	1	1	13
Picking Oakum	3	...	...	33	...	...	2	...	...	38
Needlework	3	12	...	60	...	...	1	...	10	86
Servants	3	2	...	4	...	3	1	1	3	17
Otherwise employed	73	40	1	46	57	9	35	4	29	294
Employed in Police Gaols	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	88
Total Employed	317	198	54	219	234	73	233	109	246	1,771
Unemployed—Causes of Exemption from Employment.										
In Hospital	21	2	...	7	8	2	6	...	3	49
In Cells	...	...	2	1	1	...	3	...	4	11
Under Separate Treatment	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	9	11
Medical treatment	12	2	...	...	...	1	10	...	1	26
Exempt from work	4	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	5	13
Delegate	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	...	7	14
Transit	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Keeping themselves	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Incapable	...	...	...	5	...	1	2	...	7	15
Debtors	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Received too late to be set to work.	7	8	5	...	...	3	1	...	...	24
Not under sentence	38	11	...	...	5	3	5	...	45	107
In Police Gaols not under Sentence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
Total Unemployed	85	24	8	17	16	13	28	...	83	310
Total, Employed and Unemployed	402	222	62	236	250	86	261	109	329	2,081

Trial Bay Prison and Breakwater.—Prisoners under sentences to penal servitude, or to hard labour on the roads and public works, or to imprisonment with hard labour, become eligible for employment upon the public works at Trial Bay Prison under the following conditions, viz. :—Prisoners under sentences from three to five years, who have not been punished for misconduct within the previous six months, and favourably recommended by the Gaolers, at a period twelve months before they would become eligible for discharge under the ordinary remission regulations, and in anticipation of such discharge; in sentences of five to ten years similarly at a period of two years anterior to discharge; in sentences of ten years and upwards at a period of two years and six months anterior to discharge. The Breakwater now under construction is being supervised by Officers of the Public Works Department, and the prisoners engaged in work, who are entirely under the control of the Comptroller-General of Prisons, receive small monetary remuneration, as well as being supplied with rations and clothing which is not of the prison pattern.

No. 57.—Punishments inflicted on Prisoners for Breaches of Gaol Discipline, 1889–98.

Year.	Prisoners in Gaol during the Year. (See Note.)			Solitary Confinement.		Whipping.	Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	8,992	2,058	11,050	1,095	100	Included with Other Punishments.	309	22	1,404	122	1,526
1890	8,476	1,696	10,172	1,385	73		240	26	1,625	99	1,724
1891	9,425	1,656	11,081	1,176	59		263	41	1,439	100	1,539
1892	9,832	1,614	11,446	1,335	77		260	57	1,595	134	1,729
1893	10,211	1,642	11,853	1,000	53		187	47	1,187	100	1,287
1894	10,102	1,553	11,655	928	54		273	27	1,201	81	1,282
1895	10,146	1,621	11,767	1,014	63	8	202	18	1,224	81	1,305
1896	10,565	1,477	12,042	868	56	2	234	11	1,104	67	1,171
1897	9,594	1,467	11,061	1,071	75	.....	219	7	1,290	82	1,372
1898	9,524	1,416	10,940	1,206	56	.....	207	9	1,413	65	1,478

Prisoners in Gaol.—Distinct persons convicted during the year have been added to those prisoners, exclusive of debtors, who were in Gaol at close of the previous year.

No. 58.—Punishments inflicted on Distinct Prisoners for Breaches of Gaol Discipline, 1898.

Age Groups.	Distinct Prisoners Punished.			Solitary Confinement.						Whipping.	Other Punishments.		Total Punishments.		
				Light Cells.		Dark Cells.		Total.							
	M.	F.	T.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	M.	F.	M.	F.	T.
15 and under 20	56	2	58	72	1	45	...	117	1	...	29	1	146	2	148
20 „ 25	120	7	127	124	11	63	2	187	13	...	33	1	220	14	234
25 „ 30	220	11	231	346	11	36	1	382	12	...	63	5	445	17	462
30 „ 35	129	3	132	161	2	21	...	182	2	...	32	1	214	3	217
35 „ 40	63	5	68	88	5	13	...	101	5	...	15	...	116	5	121
40 „ 45	50	6	56	79	12	8	5	87	17	...	15	...	102	17	119
45 „ 50	39	3	42	56	4	12	...	68	4	...	6	...	74	4	78
50 years and over	54	3	57	80	1	2	1	82	2	...	14	1	96	3	99
Total... ...	731	40	771	1,006	47	200	9	1,206	56	...	207	9	1,413	65	1,478

No. 59.—Deaths in and Death-rates of Gaols, 1889–98.

Year.	Daily average number of Prisoners in Gaol. (See Note.)*			Deaths (exclusive of Executions).			Death-rate per Thousand Prisoners in Gaol.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	2,046	316	2,362	30	5	35	14·66	15·82	14·82
1890	2,096	302	2,398	24	2	26	11·45	6·62	10·84
1891	2,234	287	2,521	37	3	40	16·56	10·45	15·86
1892	2,340	279	2,619	36	4	40	15·38	14·34	15·27
1893	2,296	238	2,534	28	6	34	12·20	25·21	13·42
1894	2,298	230	2,528	22	2	24	9·57	8·70	9·49
1895	2,309	246	2,555	19	3	22	8·23	12·20	8·61
1896	2,212	230	2,442	28	2	30	12·66	8·70	12·29
1897	2,094	230	2,324	22	...	22	10·51	.....	9·47
1898	2,001	232	2,233	20	1	21	10·00	4·31	9·40

*Absolute figures have been given since the year 1895, but particulars for that and each preceding year have been obtained by taking the mean of the numbers in confinement at the end of the year.

No. 60.—Prisoners Liberated upon License, 1891–98.

LICENSES ISSUED TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Year.	Licenses issued.	Amount of Sureties.						Licenses expired and current.			
		Nil.	£10 to £20.	Over £20 to £30.	Over £30 to £50.	Over £50 to £100.	Over £100.	Licenses expired.	Balance of sentence remitted and license cancelled.	Returned to Gaol for misbehaviour to complete sentence.	Licenses in force at end of year.
*1891	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	2
1892	11	1	1	3	4	2	...	4	.....	1	8
1893	†13	4	4	1	4	...	...	3	3	.....	15
1894	†23	...	...	1	1	5	16	10	5	.....	†23
1895	†20	...	...	...	...	1	19	16	2	1	†24
1896	23	...	...	...	...	5	18	2	3	.....	†42
1897	†30	...	...	...	2	7	21	7	1	.....	†64
1898	39	1	...	1	9	21	7	23	.....	.....	80
Total since operation of Act	‡161	8	5	6	20	41	81	65	14	2	...

* From September only. † Including 1 female. ‡ Including 4 females.

No. 61.—Offences and Sentences of Prisoners who were liberated upon License, 1898.

Offence for which convicted.	Number of Prisoners.	Period for which sentenced.					
		Six months and under.	Over 6 months and under 1 year.	One year and under 2 years.	Two years and under 5 years.	Five years and over.	Death (commuted).
Offences against the person—							
Manslaughter	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Wounding with intent	2	...	...	...	...	1	1
Maliciously wounding	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Assault	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Carnally knowing girl under 14 years ...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Carnally knowing a girl under 10 years ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
Robbery with violence	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
Sodomy	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Indecent assault	5	...	1	2	2	...	...
Total	15	...	1	2	6	4	2
Offences against property without violence—							
Stealing	7	...	...	3	4	...	...
Cattle-stealing	2	1	...	...	1	...	...
Sheep-stealing	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Burglary	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Receiving stolen property...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
Embezzlement	5	...	...	3	2	...	...
False pretences	3	1	...	1	1	...	...
Breaking, entering and stealing	1	...	...	1	...	...	...
Total	21	2	...	8	11	...	...
Offences against the Currency—							
Forgery and uttering	2	...	...	...	1	1	...
Offences not included in the preceding—							
Conspiracy to defraud	1	...	...	...	...	1	...
Total persons liberated during 1898..	39	2	1	10	18	6	2

No. 62.—Persons Liberated during 1898 under Provisions of the First Offenders Probation Act.

PERSONS CONVICTED AT HIGHER COURTS, 1898.

Offences.	Males	Females.	Total.
Offences against the Person—			
Concealment of birth	....	1	1
Unlawfully abandoning a child	....	1	1
Assault occasioning actual bodily harm	4	....	4
Shooting at, with intent to do grievous bodily harm	1	....	1
Wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm	2	....	2
Maliciously wounding	1	....	1
Maliciously causing noxious thing to be taken with intent to injure, aggrieve, and annoy	2	....	2
Robbery with violence	1	....	1
Assault and robbery	1	....	1
Assault with intent to rob	1	....	1
Assault	3	....	3
Carnally knowing a girl under 14 years	1	....	1
Attempt to carnally know a girl under 14 years	1	....	1
Indecent assault on a girl under 14 years	3	....	3
Indecent assault on a female	1	....	1
Bigamy	1	....	1
Indecent assault on a male	3	....	3
Total	26	2	28
Offences against Property with Violence—			
Breaking, entering, and stealing	8	....	8
Burglary	1	....	1
Maliciously breaking telegraph insulators	3	....	3
Total	12	....	12

Offences.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Offences against Property without Violence—			
Larceny	9	....	9
Attempt to steal	2	....	2
Stealing letters	1	....	1
Stealing a valuable security	1	....	1
Stealing from the person	1	....	1
Stealing from a dwelling	....	4	4
Cattle stealing	4	....	4
Horse stealing	3	....	3
Sheep stealing	1	....	1
Embezzlement	1	....	1
Larceny as a co-partner	1	....	1
Fraudulent appropriation	1	....	1
Illegally using a horse	2	....	2
Illegally pawning	1	....	1
Receiving stolen property	2	1	3
Arson	1	....	1
Setting fire to grass	1	....	1
Total	32	5	37
Forgery and Offences against the Currency—			
Forgery	....	1	1
Forgery and uttering	11	....	11
Uttering counterfeit coin	1	....	1
Total	12	1	13
Offences not included in the preceding—			
Breach of Bankruptcy Act	1	....	1
Breach of Electoral Act	3	....	3
Total	4	....	4

HIGHER AND LOWER COURTS.

Offences.	Males.	Females	Total.
Higher Courts—			
Offences against the person	26	2	28
Offences against property with violence	12	..	12
Offences against property without violence	32	5	37
Forgery and offences against the currency	12	1	13
Offences against good order	..	..	..
Offences not included in the preceding	4	..	4
Total	86	8	94
Lower Courts (Magistrates')—			
Metropolitan	10	3	13
Country	32	6	38
Total	42	9	51
Total Convicted at all Courts	128	17	145

First Offenders Probation Act of 1894 (57 Vic. No. 23).—Under the provisions of this Act any person, convicted on the first offence, may be set at liberty on certain conditions instead of being sent to prison. Although the sentence is passed in the usual form, the Court has power to suspend its execution, upon the offender entering into a recognizance, with or without sureties, for his good behaviour, for a period of not less than twelve months. The offender is examined for the purpose of future identification, and must report himself to the police at least once in every three months. Should he fail to do so, or seriously misconduct himself during the period of probation, he is liable to be arrested, the recognizance forfeited, and committed to prison to complete his sentence. If, however, his conduct shall have been satisfactory, he shall be discharged from the sentence, and the conviction for which it was imposed shall not be brought against him on any subsequent occasion.

Breaches of the Act.—During 1898 two offenders, who were at liberty under the provisions of the First Offender Probation Act, had their recognizances forfeited.

No. 63.—Disposal of all Persons brought before Magistrates in 1898, and deemed to be Insane.

District.	Persons brought before Magistrates' Courts and deemed to be Insane.			How disposed of.					
				Sent to Hospitals for Insane.			Discharged.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Metropolitan	219	87	306	84	49	133	135	38	173
Country	454	94	548	210	69	279	244	25	269
Total	673	181	854	294	118	412	379	63	442

Section III.—CIVIL JURISDICTION.

No. 64.—Lower Courts:—Particulars of Licenses which may be granted by Magistrates.

Class of License.	Act under which Issued.	Period for which Issued.	Date of expiration of License.	Annual Fee.	Amount collected, 1898.	Remarks.
				£	£	
Publican's	45 Vic. No. 14 and 46 Vic. No. 24.	1 year ..	12 months from issue.	15 and 30	89,812	If no other licensed house is within 10 miles, and premises are necessary for public accommodation, the license fee is reduced to £15.
Packet	, ..	,, ..	,, ..	3 to 15	140	Passenger vessels under 250 tons pay £3; 250 and under 1,000 tons, £10; 1,000 tons and over, £15.
Booth or Stand ..	,, ..	Not exceeding 7 days, or including renewals, 28 days.	At termination of period for which issued.	2 (For period for which issued.)	3,224	Issued to holder of publican's license to sell liquor at any race-meeting or other place of public amusement.
Colonial Wine, Cider and Perry.	,, ..	1 year ..	12 months from issue.	3	1,831	For the sale of Wine, Cider, or Perry, the produce of fruit grown in an Australian colony, in quantities not exceeding 2 gallons.
Brewer's	,, ..	,, ..	,, ..	20 and 30	1,230	Within the City of Sydney the fee is £30, and for places outside, £20. They are renewable annually at the Treasury on payment of fee without application to the Court. The licensee must not sell a less quantity than 2 gallons of liquor at the one time.
Spirit Merchant's ..	,, ..	,, ..	,, ..	20 and 30	5,470	
Auctioneer's—						The General Licenses are available for all parts of the Colony. The District Licenses are available only within Police District for which they are issued. District licenses are not issued for the Metropolitan District. Under Act 43 Vic. No. 3 (clause 215) all sums received by the Colonial Treasurer for licenses issued under certificates granted by any Court of Petty Sessions held within the City are paid over to the City Council, and form part of the City Fund.
General	11 Vic. No. 16	,, ..	,, ..	15	4,239	
District	,, ..	,, ..	,, ..	2		
Pawnbroker's ..	13 Vic. No. 37	Not exceeding one year.	12 months from issue.	10	590	The hours for receiving pledges are from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. with certain exceptions. No limit is placed on the rate of interest chargeable.
Hawker's & Pedlar's, trading on foot.	13 Vic. No. 36 and 26 Vic. No. 2.	,, ..	31 Dec. ..	At the rate of £1 per annum.	2,805	The City Council formerly issued Hawkers' Licenses, but the authority to do so was tested in the Supreme Court, and the case resulting adversely, none have been issued since.
Hawker's & Pedlar's, with pack animals or vehicles.	,, ..	,, ..	,, ..	At the rate of £2 per annum.		
Billiard	45 Vic. No. 24	1 year ..	,, ..	10	6,728	License granted after 1st July in any year is only chargeable with one half the annual fee.
Bagatelle	,, ..	,, ..	,, ..	10	50	

No. 65.—Applications for Licenses made to Licensing Benches of Magistrates, or Magistrates acting singly, 1898.

Class of License.	Act under which application is made.	Granted.	Refused.	Not proceeded with.	Total applications made.
METROPOLITAN.					
Publicans'—New	18 of 1898	2	.....	.....	2
Removals		.....	.....	.....	.....
Transfers		447	2	44	493
Renewals		849	4	21	874
Cancellations		.....	.....	1	1
Conditional		5	6	8	19
Colonial Wine—New		44	25	32	101
Transfers		48	.....	.....	48
Removals		.....	.....	.....	.....
Renewals		260	.....	2	262
Brewers' and Spirit Merchants'—New		15	.....	.....	15
Transfers		2	.....	.....	2
Removals		4	.....	.....	4
Booth or Stand—New		539	.....	7	546
Renewals		53	.....	.....	53
Packet		19	.....	1	20
Music Permit		639	4	.....	643
Other Applications—Leave of Absence, Permission for Landlord's executors to carry on for certain period, &c.		91	1	8	100
Billiard and Bagatelle—New	45 Vic. No. 24	27	.....	.....	27
Renewals		87	.....	1	88
Transfers		21	.....	1	22
Removals		...	.....	.....	.....
Auctioneers'	24 of 1898	178	2	1	181
Hawkers'	13 Vic. No. 36; 26 Vic. No 2	600	37	11	648
Pawnbrokers'	13 Vic. No. 37	56	.....	.....	56
Coach and Stage Carriage	6 Wm. IV, No. 2	12	.....	.....	12
Other	.....	1,410	.....	.....	1,410
Total	.....	5,408	81	138	5,627
COUNTRY.					
Publicans'—New	18 of 1898	49	8	15	72
Removals		10	.....	.....	10
Transfers		596	9	19	624
Renewals		2,342	12	24	2,378
Cancellations		1	.....	.....	1
Conditional		50	19	19	88
Colonial Wine—New		45	22	13	80
Transfers		28	1	1	30
Removals		1	.....	.....	1
Renewals		271	.....	7	278
Brewers' and Spirit Merchants'—New		22	.....	1	23
Transfers		12	.....	.....	12
Removals		1	.....	.....	1
Booth or Stand—New		1,094	5	8	1,107
Renewals		27	2	.....	29
Packet		1	.....	.....	1
Music Permit		838	20	8	866
Other Applications—Leave of Absence, Permission for Landlord's executors to carry on for certain period, &c.		110	6	4	120
Billiard and Bagatelle—New	45 Vic. No. 24	105	1	4	110
Renewals		498	3	1	502
Transfers		113	.....	.....	113
Removals		2	1	.....	3
Auctioneers'	24 of 1898	910	17	19	946
Hawkers'	13 Vic. No. 36; 26 Vic. No. 2	1,683	43	17	1,743
Pawnbrokers'	13 Vic. No. 37	3	1	.....	4
Coach and Stage Carriage	6 Wm. IV, No. 2	1,095	10	11	1,116
Other	.....	17,393	.....	.....	17,393
Total	.....	27,300	180	171	27,651

No. 65.—Applications for Licenses made to Licensing Benches of Magistrates, or Magistrates acting singly, 1898—*continued.*

Class of License.	Act under which Application is made.	Granted.	Refused.	Not proceeded with.	Total Applications made.
New South Wales.					
Publicans'—New	18 of 1898.	51	8	15	74
Removals		10	.....	.....	10
Transfers		1,043	11	63	1,117
Renewals		3,191	16	45	3,252
Cancellations		1	.....	1	2
Conditional		55	25	27	107
Colonial Wine—New		89	47	45	181
Transfers		76	1	1	78
Removals		1	.....	.....	1
Renewals		531	.....	9	540
Brewers' and Spirit Merchants'—New		37	.....	1	38
Transfers		14	.....	.....	14
Removals		5	.....	.....	5
Booth or Stand—New		1,633	5	15	1,653
Renewals		80	2	.....	82
Packet		20	.....	1	21
Music Permit		1,477	24	8	1,509
Other Applications—Leave of Absence, Permission for Landlord's Executors to carry on for certain periods, &c.		201	7	12	220
Billiard and Bagatelle—New	45 Vic. No. 24.	132	1	4	137
Renewals		585	3	2	590
Transfers		134	.....	1	135
Removals		2	1	.....	3
Auctioneer's	24 of 1898.	1,088	19	20	1,127
Hawker's	13 Vic. No. 36. 26 Vic. No. 2.	2,283	80	28	2,391
Pawnbroker's	13 Vic. No. 37	59	1	.....	60
Coach and Stage Carriage	6 Wm. IV, No. 2	1,107	10	11	1,128
Other	.....	18,803	.....	.....	18,803
Total	.....	32,708	261	309	33,278

No. 66.—Revenue from Licenses granted by Magistrates, 1889-98.

Class of License.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Publicans', Packet, and Booth or Stand Licenses	100,148	101,496	101,345	101,478	99,227	96,965	95,573	94,055	93,473	93,176
Colonial Wine, Cider and Perry Licenses	1,418	1,428	1,480	1,522	1,541	1,500	1,632	1,682	1,782	1,831
Brewers' and Spirit Merchants' Licenses	8,460	8,520	8,629	8,130	8,140	7,110	6,878	6,730	7,090	6,700
Auctioneers' Licenses	4,633	5,142	4,811	4,611	4,578	4,204	4,478	3,924	4,197	4,239
Pawnbrokers' Licenses	670	690	737	740	680	650	720	600	560	590
Hawkers' and Pedlars' Licenses	2,534	2,415	2,584	2,701	2,863	2,567	2,493	2,545	2,750	2,805
Billiard and Bagatelle Licenses	9,010	9,698	9,434	9,339	8,653	7,161	7,238	6,878	7,002	6,778
Total £	126,873	129,389	129,020	128,521	125,682	120,157	119,012	116,414	116,854	116,119

No. 67.—Convictions for Breaches of Licensing Act during 1898.

District.	Convictions for selling— On Sundays, and keeping premises open during that day.	During prohibited hours other than on Sundays.	Liquor without a License.	Adulterated liquor, under the Licensing Act.	Total Convictions obtained.
METROPOLITAN.					
Sydney—					
Central Police Court..	22	24	...	...	46
Water Police Court...	15	13	4	6	38
Balmain	3	1	...	...	4
Glebe	6	2	...	...	8
Newtown	12	3	...	...	15
North Sydney	1	...	5	...	6
Paddington	3	2	...	...	5
Redfern	8	1	...	...	9
Total	70	46	9	6	131
COUNTRY.					
Albury	1	1	...	...	2
Berrigan	...	1	...	...	1
Bingara	...	1	...	...	1
Boggabri	...	...	2	...	2
Bourke	...	1	1	...	2
Broken Hill	17	3	2	...	22
Camden	1	...	...	...	1
Carcoar...	...	3	...	...	3
Cobar	4	2	...	...	6
Cootamundra	...	3	...	...	3
Cooma	...	...	1	...	1
Corowa	...	...	2	...	2
Cowra	...	1	...	...	1
Crookwell	1	...	...	...	1
Dubbo	5	4	...	...	9
Forbes	...	1	...	...	1
Gilgunnia	1	...	...	...	1
Gladstone	1	...	...	...	1
Gosford	...	...	1	...	1
Goulburn	...	...	1	...	1
Gundagai	...	1	1	...	2
Gunnedah	1	...	...	...	1
Greta	1	...	...	...	1
Hay	1	...	..	...	1
Howlong	1	...	...	...	1
Lambton	1	...	...	...	1
Lithgow	2	...	...	...	2
Maitland West... ...	2	...	1	...	3
Menindie	...	1	...	...	1
Minmi	1	1	...	...	2
Moree	1	1	...	...	2
Mudgee	1	...	...	...	1
Murrurundi	1	...	...	...	1
Narrandera	1	...	5	...	6
Newcastle	3	2	2	...	7
Nyngan...	...	...	1	...	1
Oxley	...	1	...	...	1
Parramatta	1	4	...	...	5
Pooncarie	2	...	...	..	2
Ryde	1	4	...	...	5
Scone	...	1	...	...	1
Singleton	2	1	...	...	3
Taree	...	1	1	...	2
Uralla	1	...	...	...	1
Urana	1	1	...	...	2
Wagga Wagga ...	3	1	...	...	4
Wallsend and Plattsburg	1	2	...	...	3
Warren	...	1	...	...	1
White Cliffs	2	...	...	...	2
Windsor	2	...	..	...	2
Yass	2	1	...	...	3
Young	...	1	...	...	1
Total, Country ...	66	46	21	...	133
Total, Metropolitan.	70	46	9	6	131
New South Wales...	136	92	30	6	264

Public Health Act.—During 1898 there were 79 convictions obtained under the Public Health Act.

No. 68.—Licenses issued during 1898.

District.	Booth or Stand.	Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry.	Brewers'.	Spirit Merchants'.	Publicans'.	Packet.	Pawnbrokers'.
Metropolitan	501	294	9	107	789	21	.....
Albury	25	7	2	2	41	.....	.....
Armidale	12	1	1	2	20	.....	.....
Ballina	9	4	.....	.....	22	.....	.....
Balranald	4	.....	.....	2	12	.....	.....
Barraba	5	2	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Bathurst	15	3	2	2	64	.....	.....
Bega	16	4	1	1	19	.....	.....
Bellingen	10	.....	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Berrima	10	1	.....	.....	19	.....	.....
Bingara	8	9	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Bombala	6	.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....
Bourke	23	1	1	2	54	.....	.....
Braidwood	7	.....	.....	1	14	.....	.....
Brewarrina	7	.....	.....	3	23	.....	.....
Brisbane Water	8	1	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Broken Hill	49	4	4	4	72	.....	.....
Burrowa	7	5	.....	1	8	.....	.....
Camden	6	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Campbelltown	2	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....
Carcoar	14	.....	1	.....	28	.....	.....
Cassilis	6	1	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Cobar	8	1	.....	2	26	.....	.....
Condobolin	8	.....	1	.....	18	.....	.....
Cooma	16	.....	.....	1	21	.....	.....
Coonabarabran	7	3	.....	1	10	.....	.....
Coonamble	21	1	1	1	23	.....	.....
Cootamundra	8	1	2	2	17	.....	.....
Copeland	1	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....
Corowa	11	6	1	1	25	.....	.....
Cowra	8	1	1	.....	16	.....	.....
Deniliquin	15	1	2	4	32	.....	.....
Dowling	5	1	.....	.....	5	.....	.....
Dubbo	17	3	2	2	62	.....	.....
Dungog	3	2	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Eden	8	1	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Emmaville	3	2	.....	.....	5	.....	.....
Forbes	12	8	2	2	32	.....	.....
Germanton	1	1	.....	1	6	.....	.....
Glen Innes	3	7	.....	1	10	.....	.....
Goulburn	17	7	2	3	50	.....	.....
Grafton	23	5	.....	3	40	.....	.....
Grenfell	5	3	1	1	12	.....	.....
Gundagai	9	1	1	.....	20	.....	.....
Gunnedah	14	2	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
Hartley	12	2	2	.....	24	.....	.....
Hay	5	1	2	4	32	.....	.....
Hillgrove	10	1	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Hillston	6	.....	1	4	21	.....	.....
Hill End	2	1	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Inverell	14	16	1	2	24	.....	.....
Jerilderie	16	3	.....	3	17	.....	.....
Kiama	5	.....	.....	1	12	.....	.....
Lismore	7	2	.....	.....	17	.....	.....
Liverpool	23	4	.....	.....	15	.....	.....
Maclean	5	.....	1	.....	16	.....	.....
Macleay River	12	2	.....	1	16	.....	.....
Maitland	11	14	1	5	54	.....	.....
Manning River	11	5	.....	.....	14	.....	.....

No. 68.—Licenses issued during 1898—*continued.*

District.	Booth or Stand.	Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry.	Brewers'.	Spirit Merchants'.	Publicans'.	Packet.	Pawnbrokers'.
Menindie	1	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....
Milparinka	6	2	.....	1	17	.....	.....
Mitchell	9	.....	1	3	28	.....	.....
Moama...	1	.....	.....	1	9	.....	.....
Molong	13	1	.....	.....	23	.....	.....
Moree	16	4	1	1	31	.....	.....
Moruya	11	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....
Mudgee	16	12	1	3	42	.....	.....
Murrurundi	1	5	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Muswellbrook	7	7	.....	1	13	.....	.....
Narrabri	15	4	.....	1	34	.....	.....
Narrandera	13	2	.....	2	19	.....	.....
Newcastle	41	14	1	7	172	.....	.....
Nymagee	3	3	.....	.....	11	.....	.....
Nyngan...	7	1	.....	.....	17	.....	.....
Orange	17	.....	1	1	39	.....	.....
Parkes	10	9	.....	.....	21	.....	.....
Parramatta	35	8	1	2	42	.....	.....
Paterson	4	2	.....	.....	6	.....	.....
Patrick's Plains ...	9	13	.....	1	21	.....	.....
Penrith	10	8	.....	1	26	.....	.....
Picton	.....	1	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Port Macquarie ...	7	2	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Port Stephens	3	3	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Queanbeyan	9	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....
Quirindi	8	4	.....	1	11	.....	.....
Raymond Terrace ...	.....	2	.....	.....	4	.....	.....
Richmond River ...	16	1	.....	1	14	.....	.....
Ryde	2	3	.....	1	15	.....	.....
Rylstone	3	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....
Scone	6	4	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Shoalhaven	13	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....
Tamworth	14	7	1	4	37	.....	.....
Temora...	9	.....	1	3	27	.....	.....
Tenterfield	11	5	.....	.....	16	.....	.....
Tumbarumba	6	.....	1	1	8	.....	.....
Tumut	10	1	1	1	18	.....	.....
Tweed River	4	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....
Uralla	2	2	.....	.....	7	.....	.....
Urana	3	1	.....	.....	9	.....	.....
Wagga Wagga... ...	32	5	2	4	58	.....	.....
Walcha	2	.....	.....	1	6	.....	.....
Walgett	6	.....	1	4	21	.....	.....
Wanaaring	1	.....	.....	1	2	.....	.....
Warren	5	.....	.....	1	21	.....	.....
Warialda	5	1	.....	.....	8	.....	.....
Wellington	15	9	1	1	20	.....	.....
Wentworth	5	1	.....	.....	16	.....	.....
Windsor	14	5	.....	2	21	.....	.....
Wollombi	3	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Wollongong	9	3	.....	.....	27	.....	.....
Wyalong	8	4	.....	.....	25	.....	.....
Yass	12	2	.....	1	22	.....	.....
Young	12	.....	1	2	36	.....	.....
Total	1,612	608	60	226	3,153	21	.....

No. 69.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1898.

District.	Auctioneers'		Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bagatelle.
	General.	District.					
Metropolitan	100	.....	.....	1	12	111	.....
Adelong	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Albury	1	15	1	7	.....	8	1
Angledool	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Armidale	.....	23	1	.....	.....	4	.....
Ballina	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Balmain	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Balranald	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Barraba	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Bathurst	1	18	1	1	.....	20	1
Bega	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Bellingen	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Berrigan	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Berrima	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Bingara	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Blayney	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bombala	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Bourke	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	13	.....
Braidwood	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Brewarrina	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
Brisbane Water	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Broken Hill	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	14	3
Burrowa	.....	3	.....	1	.....	8	.....
Byron Bay	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Camden	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Camden Haven	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Campbelltown	.....	3	.....	4	.....	2	.....
Carcoar	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Cassilis	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	6	.....
Cobar	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	11	.....
Condobolin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Cooma	.....	10	.....	1	.....	3	.....
Coonabarabran	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Coonamble	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Cootamundra	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Corowa	.....	6	.....	11	.....	5	.....
Cowra	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Deepwater	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Deniliquin	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	10	.....
Dowling	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Dubbo	.....	13	.....	.....	1	19	.....
Dungog	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Eden	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Emmaville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Forbes	1	21	.....	2	.....	4	.....
Germanton	1	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Glebe	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Glen Innes	.....	7	1	2	.....	2	.....
Goodooga	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gosford	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goulburn	1	17	1	.....	.....	8	.....
Grafton	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Grenfell	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Gundagai	.....	11	.....	2	.....	3	.....
Gunnedah	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Gunning	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Harden	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hartley	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Hay	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	10	.....

No. 69.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1898—*continued.*

District.	Auctioneers'		Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bagatelle.
	General.	District.					
Hillgrove		2				5	
Hillston		3				5	
Hill End		1				4	
Howlong		1					
Inverell		11		4		11	
Jerilderie						10	
Junee		2	1				
Kiama	1	5				5	
Lismore						3	
Liverpool		6		1		2	
Louth		1					
Maclean						3	
Macleay River		12				8	
Maitland	2	16		17		7	
Manning River		8				5	
Menindie						3	
Milparinka		1				2	
Milton		1					
Mitchell		5				8	
Moama		4					
Molong		7		1		4	
Moree		10				9	
Moruya		4				1	
Moss Vale			1				
Mount Victoria			1				
Mudgee		10		3		6	
Mulwala	1	1					
Murrurundi		7	1			4	
Muswellbrook	1	7		1		2	
Narrabri		14	1			11	
Narrandera		18		1		5	
Newcastle	1	23	1			28	
Newtown	28						
North Sydney	20						
Nymagee						3	
Nyngan	1	3	1			4	
Orange		18				12	
Paddington	10						
Pambula	1	2					
Parkes						6	
Parramatta	2	15		2		8	
Paterson		5					
Patrick's Plains		10		2		2	
Penrith		6	1	5		8	
Picton	1	3				3	
Pilliga		1					
Port Macquarie		6		2		3	
Port Stephens		7					
Queanbeyan		13	1			5	
Quirindi		1				5	
Raymond Terrace		3				2	
Redfern	7						
Richmond River		19				3	
Ryde	2	2				2	
Rylstone		2				2	
Scone	1	6				4	
Shoalhaven	1	4				5	
Sofala		2					
Singleton			1				
Tamworth		19		2		9	
Temora		5		1		2	
Tenterfield		4				5	
Trangie		2					

No. 69.—Licenses in force on 31st December, 1898—*continued.*

District.	Auctioneers'		Railway Refreshment.	Brandy Distillation.	Licenses under Distillation Act.	Billiard.	Bagatelle.
	General.	District.					
Tumbarumba	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
Tumut	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Tweed River	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Uralla	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
Urana	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Wagga Wagga	.....	13	.....	2	.....	17	.....
Walcha	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Walgett	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Wanaaring	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Warren	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	5	.....
Warialda	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
Wellington	.....	9	1	1	.....	6	.....
Wentworth	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
Werris Creek	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wilcannia	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Windsor	2	11	.....	1	.....	5	.....
Wollombi	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wollongong	.....	10	1	.....	.....	7	.....
Wyalong	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	7	.....
Yass	.....	7	1	.....	.....	4	.....
Young	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	12	.....
Total	205	819	22	78	13	702	5

No. 70.—Registration of Dogs.

NUMBER REGISTERED AND FEES COLLECTED, 1898.

District.	Dogs Registered.	Fees Collected.			
		Dog Tax.	Certified Copies of Registration and Searches.	Dog Forms Sold.	Total.
	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Metropolitan ...	38,099	4,762 7 6	0 14 6	.....	4,763 2 0
Country	82,474	10,309 5 0	0 3 0	242 1 3	10,551 9 3
Total... ...	120,573	15,071 12 6	0 17 6	242 1 3	15,314 11 3

FEES COLLECTED, 1882–98.

Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.	Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.	Year.	Fees from Dog Tax.
	£		£		£
1882	8,802	1888	13,190	1894	14,086
1883	9,274	1889	13,775	1895	14,855
1884	10,952	1890	13,264	1896	15,460
1885	10,743	1891	13,749	1897	15,564
1886	10,373	1892	13,464	1898	15,315
1887	12,561	1893	14,143		

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897–99.

Year for Voting.—Although the Local Option Vote is taken triennially in every Municipality or Ward of a Municipality, the year when it is taken is not necessarily the same.

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
CITY OF SYDNEY.					
Bourke Ward	1897	Against.	185	In favour.	186
Brisbane ,, ...	1897	Against.	76	Against.	76
Cook ,, ...	1897	Against.	901	Against.	813
Denison ,, ...	1897	Against.	227	In favour.	229
Fitzroy ,, ...	1897	Against.	267	In favour.	270
Gipps ,, ...	1897	In favour.	383	Against.	382
Macquarie ,, ...	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
Phillip ,, ...	1897	Against.	59	Against.	57
Total—Sydney	.....	.....	2,130	.....	2,045
SUBURBS.					
Alexandria—					
East Ward	1897	In favour.	13	Against.	9
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	18	Against.	19
South ,, ...	1897	In favour.	47	In favour.	41
Beaconsfield ,, ...	1897	Against.	95	Against.	86
Annandale	1898	Against.	314	Against.	323
Ashfield—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	62	Against.	63
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	216	Against.	212
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	341	Against.	337
Balmain—					
South-west Ward	1897	Against.	553	In favour.	484
South-east ,, ...	1897	Against.	233	Against.	223
North-east ,, ...	1897	In favour.	181	In favour.	166
North ,, ...	1897	Against.	363	In favour.	364
Botany—					
Booralee Ward	1898	Against.	24	Against.	24
Cook ,, ...	1898	Against.	9	In favour.	9
Banks ,, ...	1898	Against.	2	Equal.	2
Burwood—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	58	Against.	56
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	60	Against.	62
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
Camperdown—					
Cook Ward	1897	Against.	75	Against.	75
Kingston ,, ...	1897	Against.	134	In favour.	134
Belmore ,, ...	1897	In favour.	12	In favour.	12
Canterbury—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	114	Against.	112
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	106	Against.	105
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	17	In favour.	17
Concord	1897	Against.	10	Against.	10
Darlington	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
Drummoyne—					
Drummoyne Ward	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	5
Bourke ,, ...	1897	Against.	69	Against.	69
Birkenhead ,, ...	1897	Against.	11	In favour.	11
Enfield—					
Central Ward...	1897	Against.	59	Against.	55
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	9	In favour.	7
East ,, ...	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	5

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897-99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
SUBURBS—*continued.*					
Erskineville—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	88	In favour.	88
Middle ,, ...	1897	Against.	63	Against.	62
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
Five Dock...	1897	Against.	29	Against.	29
Glebe—					
Outer Glebe Ward	1897	Against.	9	Against.	9
Bishopthorpe ,, ...	1897	Against.	185	Against.	185
Forest Lodge ,, ...	1897	Against.	124	In favour.	124
Inner Glebe ,, ...	1897	Against.	15	Against.	15
Hunter's Hill—					
West Ward	1897	Against.	36	In favour.	31
Central ,, ...	1897	(No vote recorded.)			
East ,, ...	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	2
Hurstville—					
Hurstville Ward	1897	Against.	182	Against.	182
Bexley ,, ...	1897	Against.	140	Against.	17
Peakhurst ,, ...	1897	In favour.	53	In favour.	79
Kogarah—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
Middle ,, ...	1897	Against.	40	Against.	39
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	15	Against.	14
Lane Cove...	1899	Against.	133	Against.	155
Leichhardt—					
Norton Ward	1897	In favour.	9	Against.	9
Wentworth ,, ...	1897	Against.	419	In favour.	319
Kendall ,, ...	1897	In favour.	30	In favour.	23
Cook ,, ...	1897	Against.	193	Against.	179
Manly—					
Steyne Ward	1897	Against.	131	Against.	124
Fairlight ,, ...	1897	Against.	82	Against.	81
Wentworth ,, ...	1897	Against.	120	Against.	120
Marrickville—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	199	Against.	200
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	19	In favour.	18
North ,, ...	1897	Against.	238	Against.	230
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	267	Against.	271
Marsfield—					
East Ward	1898	Against.	5	Against.	5
West ,, ...	1898	Against.	46	Against.	46
Mosman—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	162	Against.	219
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	83	Against.	85
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	2	Against.	2
Newtown—					
Camden Ward	1897	Against.	108	Against.	105
Enmore ,, ...	1897	Against.	21	Against.	21
Kingston ,, ...	1897	Against.	145	Against.	142
O'Connell ,, ...	1897	Against.	25	Against.	25
North Botany—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	149	In favour.	150
Central ,, ...	1899	Equal.	4	Equal.	4
South ,, ...	1899	Equal.	2	In favour.	2
North Sydney—					
Victoria Ward	1897	Against.	60	Against.	63
Kirribilli ,, ...	1897	In favour.	30	In favour.	29
Belmore ,, ...	1897	Against.	272	Against.	256
Tunks ,, ...	1897	Against.	28	Against.	27
Warringa ,, ...	1897	Against.	33	Against.	34

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897–99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
SUBURBS—*continued.*					
Paddington—					
Upper Ward...	1897	In favour.	66	Against.	67
Lower ,, ...	1897	Against.	115	In favour.	116
Glenmore ,, ...	1897	Against.	119	Against.	118
Middle ,, ...	1897	Against.	65	Against.	65
Petersham—					
Annandale Ward	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
Sydenham ,, ...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
South Kingston ,, ...	1897	Against.	115	Against.	115
Lewisham ,, ...	1897	Against.	275	Against.	273
Randwick—					
West Ward	1897	Against.	31	Against.	31
Middle ,, ...	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10
Coogee ,, ...	1897	In favour.	35	Against.	33
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	62	Against.	63
Redfern—					
Surry Hills Ward	1897	In favour.	20	In favour.	20
Belmore ,, ...	1897	Against.	108	Against.	108
Redfern ,, ...	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
Golden Grove ,, ...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
Rockdale—					
Arncliffe Ward	1897	Against.	8	In favour.	8
Rockdale ,, ...	1897	Against.	23	Against.	23
Scarborough ,, ...	1897	Against.	27	Against.	27
Ryde—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	50	Against.	51
Central ,, ...	1897	Against.	35	Against.	34
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	50	Against.	51
St. Peter's—					
Brompton Ward	1897	Against.	174	In favour.	168
Cook's River ,, ...	1897	Against.	107	Against.	94
St. Peters ,, ...	1897	Against.	51	Against.	48
Strathfield—					
Strathfield Ward	1898	Against.	102	Against.	96
Homebush ,, ...	1898	Against.	7	Against.	5
Flemington ,, ...	1898	Equal.	8	Against.	10
Vaucluse	1899	Against.	11	Equal.	10
Waterloo—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	37	Against.	35
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	80	Against.	77
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	57	Against.	53
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	61	Against.	53
Waverley—					
Lawson Ward...	1897	Against.	158	Against.	159
Waverley ,, ...	1897	Against.	226	Against.	219
Bondi ,, ...	1897	Against.	32	Against.	33
Nelson ,, ...	1897	Against.	39	Against.	40
Willoughby—					
Chatswood Ward	1897	Against.	170	Against.	170
Middle Harbour ,, ...	1897	Against.	67	In favour.	56
Naremburn ,, ...	1897	Against.	11	Against.	11
Woollahra—					
Piper Ward	1897	Against.	4	In favour.	4
Edgecliffe ,, ...	1897	In favour.	14	In favour.	14
Bellevue ,, ...	1897	In favour.	1	Against.	1
Double Bay ,, ...	1897	Against.	66	Against.	66
Total Suburbs	.....	.....	10,045	.....	9,689

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897-99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY.					
Aberdeen	1899	Against.	8	Against.	7
Adamstown—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	1	Against.	1
East ,, ...	1897	In favour.	50	In favour.	50
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	11	Against.	11
Albury	1897	Against.	280	In favour.	282
Armidale—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	78	Against.	76
Central ,, ...	1897	Against.	18	In favour.	27
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	61	In favour.	55
Auburn—					
North Ward	1899	Against.	57	In favour.	50
East ,, ...	1899	Against.	58	Against.	95
West ,, ...	1899	Against.	86	Against.	79
Ballina	1898	In favour.	46	In favour.	46
Balranald	1899	(No vote recorded.)			
Bankstown	1899	Against.	75	Against.	66
Bathurst—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	6	In favour.	6
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	2
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	9	Against.	9
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
Bega	1899	Against.	4	Against.	4
Berry	1898	Against.	115	In favour.	107
Bingara	1897	In favour.	45	Against.	43
Blayney	1899	Against.	61	Against.	58
Bombala	1898	Against.	30	In favour.	30
Bourke—					
East Ward	1897	In favour.	51	In favour.	51
Central ,, ...	1897	In favour.	94	In favour.	94
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	50	In favour.	50
Bowral—					
Glebe Ward	1897	Against.	19	Against.	16
Oxley ,, ...	1897	Against.	26	In favour.	25
Merilbah ,, ...	1897	Against.	14	Against.	14
Braidwood	1898	Against.	32	Against.	32
Broken Hill—					
Wills Ward	1899	Against.	411	In favour.	402
Sturt ,, ...	1899	Against.	299	Against.	301
King ,, ...	1899	In favour.	228	Against.	229
Burke ,, ...	1899	Against,	227	Against.	230
Broughton Vale	1897	Against.	44	Against.	44
Burrowa	1899	Against.	13	Against.	13
Cabramatta and Canley Vale—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	54	In favour.	44
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	35	In favour.	33
Camden	1899	Against.	115	Against.	115
Campbelltown	1897	Against.	63	Against.	63
Carcoar	1897	Against.	23	Against.	23
Carrington	1897	Against.	170	Against.	153
Casino	1897	Against.	2	Against.	2
Castlereagh	1899	In favour.	41	In favour.	43
Central Illawarra—					
First Ward	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Second ,, ...	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Third ,, ...	1897	In favour.	9	In favour.	9
Cobar	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	66
Condobolin	1897	Against.	62	Against.	62
Cooma	1897	In favour.	10	In favour.	10

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897-99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Coonamble	1897	In favour.	58	In favour.	59
Cootamundra	1897	Against.	124	In favour.	124
Coraki	1899	(No vote recorded.)			
Cowra	1898	Against.	43	Against.	43
Cudal	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
Cudgegong	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	62
Deniliquin—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	13
West „	1897	Against.	36	In favour.	34
North „	1897	Against.	46	In favour.	46
Dubbo—					
Booth Ward	1897	Against.	33	Against.	33
Muller „	1897	In favour.	46	In favour.	47
Taylor „	1897	Against.	25	Against.	25
Dundas—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	44	Against.	37
West „	1899	Against.	1	Against.	1
Dungog	1897	Against.	38	Against.	38
East Maitland	1897	Against.	19	Against.	26
East Orange—					
North-west Ward	1898	Against.	8	Against.	8
South-west „	1898	Against.	10	Against.	10
East „	1898	Against.	65	Against.	61
Ermington and Rydalmere—					
Ermington Ward	1898	Against.	3	Against.	3
Forbes	1899	Against.	27	In favour.	27
Gerringong	1897	Against.	13	Against.	12
Glen Innes—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	96	Against.	96
Central „	1897	Against.	30	Against.	30
South „	1897	In favour.	21	In favour.	21
Gosford—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	1	Against.	1
West „	1897	Against.	18	In favour.	17
Goulburn—					
Central Ward...	1897	Against.	6	Against.	5
North „	1897	Against.	6	Against.	6
South „	1897	Against.	8	Against.	8
East „	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
Grafton—					
East Ward	1897	In favour.	65	In favour.	72
North „	1897	In favour.	74	In favour.	73
West „	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
South „	1897	Against.	5	Against.	5
Granville—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	85	In favour.	84
North „	1897	Against.	22	Against.	21
West „	1897	Against.	120	Against.	119
South „	1897	Against.	53	Against.	53
Grenfell	1897	In favour.	65	In favour.	64
Greta	1897	Against.	21	Against.	21
Gulgong	1897	In favour.	4	Against.	4
Gundagai	1897	Against.	19	In favour.	18
Gunnedah...	1898	Against.	89	Against.	100
Hamilton	1897	Against.	78	In favour.	75
Hay—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	52	Against.	50
West „	1897	In favour.	47	In favour.	47
South „	1897	Against.	47	In favour.	45

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897–99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Hill End	1897	In favour.	6	In favour.	5
Hillston	1899		(No vote recorded.)		
Ingleburn	1899	Against.	9	.....	.....
Inverell—					
South Ward	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
East „	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	2
West „	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Jamberoo—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	3	Against.	3
South „	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Central „	1897	Against.	5	Against.	5
Jerilderie	1899		(No vote recorded.)		
Junee—					
North Ward	1898	In favour.	57	In favour.	57
South „	1898	Against.	38	Against.	39
East „	1898	Against.	25	In favour.	25
Katoomba	1897	Against.	112	Against.	108
Kempsey	1898	Against.	45	In favour.	45
Kiama	1897	Against.	147	Against.	138
Lambton	1897	In favour.	99	In favour.	40
Lismore	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	13
Lithgow—					
Lithgow Ward	1899	Against.	135	Against.	131
Clwydd	1899	Against.	67	Against.	76
Eskbank	1899	Against.	30	Against.	29
Liverpool—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	102	In favour.	102
South „	1897	Against.	14	Against.	13
West „	1897	Against.	47	In favour.	45
Maclean	1897	Against.	61	In favour.	53
Merewether	1897	Against.	66	Against.	66
Mittagong	1897	Against.	54	Against.	49
Moama	1898	Against.	76	Against.	76
Molong	1897	In favour.	64	In favour.	64
Moree	1898	Against.	104	In favour.	104
Morpeth	1897	Against.	9	In favour.	9
Moruya	1898	Against.	66	In favour.	64
Moss Vale	1898	Against.	50	In favour.	47
Mudgee	1897	In favour.	181	In favour.	179
Mulgoa	1897	Against.	9	Against.	9
Murrumburrah—					
Murrumburrah Ward	1897	Against.	60	Against.	60
Harden „	1897	In favour.	29	In favour.	28
Demondrille „	1897	Against.	14	In favour.	4
Murrurundi	1897	Against.	93	Against.	93
Musclebrook	1898	In favour.	75	In favour.	73
Narrabri—					
South Ward	1897	Against.	38	Against.	36
North „	1897	Against.	5	Against.	5
Dangar „	1897	Against.	2	In favour.	2
Narrandera	1898	In favour.	47	In favour.	47
Narromine—					
North Ward	1899	Against.	14	Against.	13
South Ward	1899	In favour.	42	In favour.	36
Newcastle—					
City Ward	1897	Against.	265	In favour.	273
Honeysuckle Ward	1897	Against.	00	Against.	96
Macquarie „	1897	Against.	62	Against.	64
Belmore „	1897	Against.	98	In favour.	95

No. 71.—Local Option Vote—1897-99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward.	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
New Lambton—					
First Ward	1899	Against.	15	Against.	15
Second ,,	1899	Against.	42	Against.	42
Third ,,	1899	In favour.	17	Against.	17
North Illawarra—					
Middle Ward	1897	Against.	4	Against.	8
North ,,	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
South ,,	1897	Against.	87	Against.	85
Nowra—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	18	Against.	18
Central ,,	1897	Against.	45	In favour.	45
South ,,	1897	In favour.	4	In favour.	4
Nyngan	1898	Against.	65	In favour.	64
Orange—					
Young Ward	1897	Against.	99	Against.	98
Victoria ,,	1897	Against.	91	In favour.	87
Wellington Ward	1897	Against.	57	In favour.	56
Parkes	1898	Against.	179	Against.	168
Parramatta—					
Anderson Ward	1897	In favour.	15	In favour.	15
Marsden ,,	1897	Against.	21	Against.	21
Gore ,,	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10
Forrest ,,	1897	Against.	15	In favour.	15
Peak Hill	1899	Against.	27	Against.	25
Penrith—					
South Ward	1897	Against.	39	Against.	40
North ,,	1897	Against.	32	Against.	32
Castlereagh Ward	1897	Against.	11	Against.	11
Picton	1899	Against.	85	Against.	79
Plattsburg	1897	In favour.	21	In favour.	21
Port Macquarie	1897	Against.	88	In favour.	88
Prospect and Sherwood	1897	In favour.	66	In favour.	65
Queanbeyan	1897	Against.	84	In favour.	84
Quirindi	1898	In favour.	77	In favour.	70
Raymond Terrace	1897	Against.	60	In favour.	59
Richmond	1897	Against.	12	Against.	12
Rookwood—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	37	In favour.	36
Central ,,	1897	In favour.	87	Against.	85
South ,,	1897	In favour.	107	In favour.	104
Scone	1899	Against.	64	Against.	63
Shellharbour	1897	Against.	70	In favour.	70
Silverton	1899		(No vote recorded.)		
Singleton	1897	In favour.	59	In favour.	59
Smithfield and Fairfield—					
Prospect Ward	1898	Equal.	2	In favour.	1
Smithfield ,,	1898	Equal.	66	Against.	50
Fairfield ,,	1898	Against.	66	In favour.	34
South Grafton	1897		(No vote recorded.)		
South Shoalhaven	1899		(No vote recorded.)		
South Singleton	1898	Against.	39	Against.	39
St. Mary's—					
East Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	13
Central ,,	1897	Against.	8	In favour.	8
West ,,	1897	In favour.	27	In favour.	27
Stockton	1899	Against.	136	Against.	136
Tamworth—					
Cohen Ward	1897	Against.	20	In favour.	20
Burke ,,	1897	Against.	10	Against.	10
Lye ,,	1897	Against.	44	Against.	44
King ,,	1897	Against.	10	In favour.	10

No. 71.—Local Option Vote, 1897–99—*continued.*

Municipality or Ward	Year when Vote taken.	New Publicans' Licenses.		Removal of Publicans' Licenses.	
		Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.	Result of Voting.	Total Votes cast.
COUNTRY—*continued.*					
Taree	1897	Against.	55	Against.	55
Temora	1897	In favour.	67	In favour.	62
Tenterfield—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	6	In favour.	5
South ,, ...	1897	In favour.	53	In favour.	55
West ,, ...	1897	In favour.	13	In favour.	13
Tumut	1897	In favour.	80	In favour.	80
Ulladulla—					
Milton Ward	1897	Against.	7	Against.	7
Ulladulla ,, ...	1897	In favour.	8	In favour.	8
Nurrawallee Ward	1897	Against.	2	Against.	2
Ulmarra—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	2
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	4	In favour.	4
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	1	Against.	1
Uralla	1898	Against.	34	Against.	31
Wagga Wagga—					
South Ward	1897	Against.	57	In favour.	56
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	111	In favour.	108
North ,, ...	1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
Walcha	1899	Against.	86	Against.	81
Wallendbeen	1897	In favour.	6	Against.	6
Wallsend—					
Pittown Ward	1897	In favour.	25	In favour.	24
Brookstown Ward	1897	In favour.	26	In favour.	26
Central ,, ...	1897	Against.	106	In favour.	98
Waratah	1897	Against.	217	In favour.	213
Warren	1899	Against.	61	Against.	63
Wellington	1897	In favour.	155	In favour.	142
Wentworth	1897	Against.	3	In favour.	3
West Maitland	1897	Against.	101	In favour.	98
West Narrabri	1899	Against.	24	In favour.	23
Wickham—					
Wickham Ward	1897	Against.	133	Against.	125
Islington ,, ...	1897	Against.	23	Against.	22
North Wickham Ward	1897	Against.	90	Against.	87
Tighe's Hill Ward	1897	Against.	70	Against.	70
Wilcannia	1897	In favour.	108	In favour.	108
Windsor—					
North Ward	1897	In favour.	5	In favour.	5
Central ,, ...	1897	Against.	36	Against.	34
South ,, ...	1897	Against.	54	Against.	54
Wingham	1899	Against.	38	Against.	38
Wollongong—					
North Ward	1897	Against.	55	In favour.	51
East ,, ...	1897	Against.	97	Against.	97
West ,, ...	1897	Against.	24	Against.	30
Yass—					
Hume Ward	1897	Against.	13	In favour.	23
Hardy ,, ...	1897	Against.	3	Against.	3
O'Brien ,, ...	1897	In favour.	2	In favour.	2
Young	1898	Against.	142	Equal.	142
Total Country	.....	.....	12,131	.....	11,845
Total Sydney	.....	.....	2,130	.....	2,045
Total Suburbs	.....	.....	10,045	.....	9,689
GRAND TOTAL	.....	.....	24,306	.....	23,579

No. 72.—Lower Courts: Adjudications and Orders of Justices, 1898.

Classification.	Orders made.		No orders made after evidence.		Cases withdrawn, &c.		Persons represented by the foregoing cases.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.									
For maintenance—Wife	205	..	51	..	198	..	453	..	453
Child	218	..	27	1	120	5	323	6	329
Varying order for maintenance	2	..	..	..	2	2	4	2	6
Detention of property	162	85	58	39	113	70	331	194	525
Fraudulent removal	5	4	17	3	53	8	75	15	90
Prohibition	8	3	..	1	11	1	19	5	24
Protection	2	4	25	17	..	..	27	21	48
Under—Apprentices Act	1	..	1	2	2	2	4	4	8
Children's Protection Act	8	8	2	1	..	..	10	9	19
Industrial Schools Act	60	40	80	16	19	2	159	58	217
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, &c.)	88	15	39	6	5	23	100	37	137
Municipalities Act	14	1	1	..	34	4	49	5	54
Nuisances Prevention Act	134	10	..	..	445	60	575	70	645
Public Instruction Act (School Fees)	8	..	..	..	2	..	10	..	10
Tenancy Act	1,711	360	24	5	464	119	2,199	484	2,683
Transit Commissioner's By-laws	60	10	2	2	9	20	67	31	98
Other Acts	6	..	..	..	..	1	6	1	7
Total	2,692	540	327	93	1,477	317	4,411	942	5,353
COUNTRY.									
For maintenance—Wife	107	..	35	..	99	..	238	..	238
Child	242	..	58	1	170	1	413	2	415
Varying order for maintenance	2	..	1	..	..	..	3	..	3
Detention of property	151	18	95	10	99	29	340	56	396
Fraudulent removal	7	..	8	..	21	5	36	5	41
Prohibition	112	3	5	..	38	1	154	4	158
Protection	46	7	82	13	..	..	127	20	147
Under—Apprentices Act	32	2	3	..	5	..	39	2	41
Children's Protection Act	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2
Crown Lands Act	8	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	8
Diseased Animals and Meat Act	14	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	14
Impounding Act	26	1	11	..	10	..	43	1	44
Industrial Schools Act	46	26	15	4	4	..	64	30	94
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, &c.)	401	20	119	7	268	17	760	41	801
Merchant Shipping Act	18	..	1	..	2	..	21	..	21
Municipalities Act	14	3	..	..	10	1	24	4	28
Nuisances Prevention Act	39	2	3	..	47	1	89	3	92
Pastures and Stock Act	6	..	..	..	19	2	25	2	27
Public Instruction Act (School Fees)	53	..	2	..	64	..	117	..	117
Tenancy Act	47	9	16	2	58	7	121	18	139
Other Acts	13	2	2	..	6	..	20	2	22
Total	1,386	93	456	37	920	64	2,658	190	2,848
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
For maintenance—Wife	312	..	86	..	297	..	691	..	691
Child	460	..	85	2	290	6	736	8	744
Varying order for maintenance	4	..	1	..	2	2	7	2	9
Detention of property	313	103	153	49	212	99	671	250	921
Fraudulent removal	12	4	25	3	74	13	111	20	131
Prohibition	120	6	5	1	49	2	173	9	182
Protection	48	11	107	30	..	..	154	41	195
Under—Apprentices Act	33	2	4	2	7	2	43	6	49
Children's Protection Act	10	8	2	1	..	..	12	9	21
Crown Lands Act	8	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	8
Diseased Animals and Meat Act	14	..	..	..	..	..	14	..	14
Impounding Act	26	1	11	..	10	..	43	1	44
Industrial Schools Act	106	66	95	20	23	2	223	88	311
Masters and Servants Act (Wages, &c.)	489	35	158	13	273	40	860	78	938
Merchant Shipping Act	18	..	1	..	2	..	21	..	21
Municipalities Act	28	4	1	..	44	5	73	9	82
Nuisances Prevention Act	173	12	3	..	492	61	664	73	737
Pastures and Stock Act	6	..	..	..	19	2	25	2	27
Public Instruction Act (School Fees)	61	..	2	..	66	..	127	..	127
Tenancy Act	1,758	369	40	7	522	126	2,320	502	2,822
Transit Commissioners By-Laws	60	10	2	2	9	20	67	31	98
Other Acts	19	2	2	..	6	1	26	3	29
Total	4,078	633	783	130	2,397	381	7,069	1,132	8,201

No. 73.—Persons brought before Lower Courts for non-compliance with Orders, 1898.

Offences of Persons brought before Magistrates' Courts for not finding Sureties for fulfilment of and non-compliance with orders.	Persons brought before the Court—				Cases withdrawn or discharged.		Cases in which Orders were subsequently complied with.		Cases in which defendants were imprisoned.	
	By Arrest.		By Summons.							
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
METROPOLITAN.										
Maintenance—wife	61	...	141	...	132	...	54	...	28	...
,, child	21	...	73	...	78	...	31	...	12	...
Non-payment of wages	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Detention of property	3	1	24	9	10	3	16	7	1	...
Total, Metropolitan	85	1	238	9	220	3	101	7	41	...
COUNTRY.										
Maintenance—wife	8	...	44	...	18	...	20	...	14	...
,, child	7	...	95	...	68	...	34	...	12	...
Non-payment of wages	1	...	5	...	3	...	2	...	1	...
Detention of property	...	...	4	2	2	...	1	1	1	1
Total, Country	16	...	148	2	91	...	57	1	28	1
NEW SOUTH WALES.										
Maintenance—wife	69	...	185	...	150	...	74	...	42	...
,, child	28	...	168	...	146	...	65	...	24	...
Non-payment of wages	1	...	5	...	3	...	2	...	1	...
Detention of property	3	1	28	11	12	3	17	8	2	1
Total, New South Wales	101	1	386	11	311	3	158	8	69	1

No. 74.—Lower Courts—Small Debts Cases, 1898.

How dealt with.	Under £1.	£1 and under £5.	£5 to £10 inclusive.	Over £10 and under £15.	£15 and under £20.	£20 to £30 inclusive.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.							
Verdicts for Plaintiffs	2,604	3,978	1,273	.....	.....	.....	7,855
Do Defendants	42	115	53	.....	.....	.....	210
Cases in which persons were non-suited ...	15	48	38	.....	.....	.....	101
Cases withdrawn or struck out	1,364	1,932	660	.....	.....	.....	3,956
Total Metropolitan	4,025	6,073	2,024	.....	.....	.....	12,122
COUNTRY.							
Verdicts for Plaintiffs	1,061	4,201	1,644	459	214	187	7,766
Do Defendants	48	134	120	24	9	11	346
Cases in which persons were non-suited ...	25	159	85	20	8	19	316
Cases withdrawn or struck out	1,063	3,148	1,198	376	144	143	6,072
Total Country	2,197	7,642	3,047	879	375	360	14,500
NEW SOUTH WALES.							
Verdicts for Plaintiffs	3,665	8,179	2,917	459	214	187	15,621
Do Defendants	90	249	173	24	9	11	556
Cases in which persons were non-suited ...	40	207	123	20	8	19	417
Cases withdrawn or struck out	2,427	5,080	1,858	376	144	143	10,028
Total, New South Wales ...	6,222	13,715	5,071	879	375	360	26,622

No. 75.—Garnishee, Interpleader Cases, &c. (Small Debts Court), 1898.

District.	Garnishee Cases.	Interpleader Cases.	New Trial Applications.	Examination of Judgment Debtors.
Metropolitan	281	83	10	60
Country	980	90	11	22
Total	1,261	173	21	82

Garnishee Cases.—The Court may, upon the *ex parte* application of any creditor obtaining a judgment, order that all debts due by a third person (the garnishee) to the defendant shall be attached to meet the judgment debt, and may, by a subsequent order, direct the garnishee to pay as much of the amount owing by him as will be sufficient to satisfy the judgment debt.

Interpleader Cases.—When a claim is made to goods held under a writ of execution by a person not party to the suit the Court may, upon application to the bailiff, decide the claim.

New Trial Applications.—When a judgment has been given against the defendant in his absence, the Court may set it aside and grant a new trial.

Examination of Judgment Debtors.—The Court may, on the application of a judgment creditor, order the judgment debtor to be orally examined as to whether any and what debts are owing to him.

No. 76.—Sheriff's Office.

TRANSACTIONS, 1898.				
Classification.	Number.	Amount involved.	Amount received.	Fees paid.
		£	£	£ s. d.
Fieri Facias (*Fi. Fa.*)	461	135,523	6,689	115 13 0
Habere Facias Possessionem (*Ha. Fa.*)	31	.....	.....	7 15 0
Capias ad Respondendum (*Ca. Re.*)	12	5,636	5,107	6 6 0
Capias ad Satisfaciendum (*Ca. Sa.*)	11	2,008	419	5 15 6
Attachment	22	478	4	9 19 6
Replevin	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fines and Estreats	308	4,318	767	1 15 0
Writs of Summons—Supreme Court—for service ...	1,035	.....	.....	287 15 3

No. 77.—District Courts—Transactions, 1890-99.

Year ending 1st March.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for. £	Causes tried.		Court costs of all the Suits. £
	Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total.		Verdict for— Plaintiff.	Verdict for— Defendant.	
1890	6,320	3,768	19	2,724	12,831	331,098	5,707	613	23,685
1891	6,352	6,799	7	317	13,475	311,691	5,804	548	28,855
1892	5,962	6,817	11	704	13,494	335,528	5,379	583	25,937
1893	6,299	6,630	4	513	13,446	323,888	5,734	565	21,675
1894	5,839	5,549	8	321	11,717	297,106	5,293	546	19,323
1895	4,689	4,000	8	281	8,978	224,364	4,221	468	16,005
1896	4,766	3,574	9	221	8,570	214,420	4,343	423	16,004
1897	4,170	3,214	4	200	7,588	178,681	3,770	400	13,338
1898	3,730	1,942	8	1,134	6,814	153,048	3,328	402	12,308
1899	3,005	1,455	4	1,024	5,488	148,886	2,690	315	11,430

No. 78.—Nature of Transactions of District Courts, year ended 1st March, 1899.

Nature of Causes.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for. £	Causes tried.		Court costs of all the Suits. £
	Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total.		Verdict for— Plaintiff	Verdict for— Defendant.	
SYDNEY.									
*Sydney District Court ...	1,399	267	3	775	2,444	65,008	1,284	115	5,184
COURTS OUTSIDE METROPOLIS.									
Goods sold	595	505	...	126	1,226	19,423	558	37	1,531
Promissory Notes	230	101	...	31	362	11,092	225	5	926
Rent	65	50	...	4	119	3,685	49	16	306
Board and Lodging	20	14	...	3	37	1,174	19	1	61
Trespass on Land	36	18	1	4	59	3,908	26	10	304
Trespass on Person	3	5	...	2	10	1,136	2	1	51
Illegal Distraint	4	.....	...	...	4	540	1	3	25
Trover	6	2	...	1	9	811	4	2	41
Breach of Contract	56	25	...	3	84	6,574	31	25	457
Wages, Work, and Labour ...	156	110	...	27	293	6,160	134	22	570
Libel, Slander, and Defamation	41	30	...	2	73	9,651	23	18	384
Commission on Agency ...	8	9	...	1	18	702	3	5	73
Sales of Live Stock	5	4	...	...	9	258	4	1	12
Money Lent	89	58	...	13	160	5,539	83	6	292
Partnership	2	2	...	...	4	288	2	...	38
Interpleader	6	4	...	1	11	276	5	1	66
Legacy	1	.....	...	...	1	46	...	1	...
Possession of Tenements ...	2	.....	...	...	2	...	2	...	1
Consent Jurisdiction	...	1	...	1	2	57	...	...	...
Causes of Action not specified above	281	250	...	30	561	12,558	235	46	1,108
Total	1,606	1,188	1	249	3,044	83,878	1,406	200	6,246
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Total	3,005	1,455	4	1,024	5,488	148,886	2,690	315	11,430

*Sydney District Court.—The transactions of this Court under the heading of each cause, were not available.

No. 79.—Transactions of each District Court, Year ended 1st March, 1899.

District Court Year.—Under the provisions of Section 103 of the "District Courts Act of 1858" (22 Vic. No. 18), the District Court Year ends on the 1st March.

District.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for.	Causes Tried.		Court costs of all the Suits.
	Causes Tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total.	£	Verdict for— Plaintiff.	Verdict for— Defendant.	£
METROPOLITAN, SUBURBAN, AND HUNTER.									
Sydney	1,399	267	3	775	2,444	65,008	1,284	115	5,184
Campbelltown	6	4	.....	2	12	247	6	.....	29
Maitland	50	39	.....	13	102	2,832	39	11	50
Muswellbrook	6	21	.....	3	30	576	5	1	12
Newcastle	100	104	.....	9	213	5,356	76	24	300
Parramatta	48	43	.....	2	93	1,618	45	3	138
Penrith	18	5	.....	1	24	872	14	4	67
Singleton	41	17	.....	.....	58	1,454	33	8	101
Windsor	13	10	.....	.....	23	257	12	1	17
Total	1,681	510	3	805	2,999	78,220	1,514	167	5,898
SOUTHERN.									
Bega	59	33	.....	6	98	1,471	54	5	49
Bombala	10	4	.....	.....	14	603	9	1	83
Braidwood	4	3	.....	1	8	161	4	.....	7
Cooma	34	13	.....	1	48	968	30	4	71
Eden	4	8	.....	.....	12	498	2	2	55
Goulburn	75	30	.....	20	125	2,790	71	4	210
Kiama	14	11	.....	.....	25	667	13	1	49
Milton	2	1	.....	2	5	469	2	.....	9
Moruya	7	9	.....	5	21	230	6	1	14
Moss Vale	30	22	.....	2	54	934	29	1	41
Nowra	17	12	.....	5	34	645	16	1	36
Queanbeyan	13	5	.....	2	20	663	13	.....	45
Wollongong	6	5	.....	.....	11	211	5	1	25
Yass	19	13	.....	.....	32	729	17	2	51
Total	294	169	.....	44	507	11,039	271	23	745
SOUTH-WESTERN.									
Albury	53	32	.....	16	101	3,241	49	4	222
Balranald	1	2	.....	1	4	123	1	.....	6
Burrowa	15	4	.....	2	21	1,432	14	1	90
Cootamundra	37	14	.....	.....	51	1,088	35	2	26
Corowa	16	12	.....	3	31	975	14	2	126
Deniliquin	19	10	.....	.....	29	1,083	17	2	156
Grenfell	11	17	.....	.....	28	767	10	1	68
Gundagai	23	14	.....	5	42	880	21	2	69
Hay	21	8	.....	12	41	1,231	8	13	108
Hillston	2	2	.....	.....	4	522	2	.....	27
Junee	11	5	.....	6	22	1,021	8	3	34
Murrumburrah	3	5	.....	2	10	270	3	.....	12
Narrandera	50	29	.....	4	83	2,359	43	7	289
Temora	7	8	.....	.....	15	390	6	1	13
Tumut	11	2	.....	5	18	970	10	1	78
Wagga Wagga	32	32	.....	.....	64	1,769	28	4	222
Wyalong	20	11	.....	.....	31	1,231	18	2	110
Young	15	8	1	1	25	636	12	3	72
Total	347	215	1	57	620	19,988	299	48	1,728

No. 79.—Transactions of each District Court, Year ended 1st March, 1899.—*contd.*

District.	Summonses.					Total amount sued for.	Causes Tried.		Court costs of all the Suits.
	Causes tried.	Causes settled without hearing, and not proceeded with.	Causes referred by parties to arbitration.	Causes left in arrear.	Total.		Verdict for—		
							Plaintiff.	Defendant.	
						£			£
WESTERN.									
Bathurst	33	23	.....	.....	56	1,550	33	.....	135
Carcoar	2	1	.....	1	4	400	2	.....	40
Coonabarabran	3	2	.....	.....	5	82	3	.....	13
Coonamble	17	17	.....	14	48	838	16	1	113
Cowra	16	12	.....	4	32	857	15	1	65
Dubbo	54	34	.....	4	92	2,109	53	1	183
Forbes	58	60	.....	5	123	3,043	54	4	53
Lithgow	2	1	.....	.....	3	29	2	.....	3
Molong	5	3	.....	3	11	604	2	3	8
Mudgee	25	13	.....	2	40	1,282	20	5	73
Orange	17	13	.....	.....	30	1,766	13	4	142
Walgett	4	8	.....	.....	12	1,372	2	2	27
Warren	6	2	.....	1	9	579	5	1	23
Wellington	4	2	.....	1	7	378	4	.....	38
Total	246	191	.....	35	472	14,889	224	22	916
NORTHERN.									
Armidale	18	48	....	25	91	1,702	17	1	181
Ballina	20	6	....	1	27	1,002	19	1	21
Bellingen	5	4	....	....	9	630	4	1	49
Casino	14	26	....	6	46	1,237	9	5	79
Glen Innes	8	4	....	....	12	529	6	2	38
Grafton	98	86	....	....	184	2,972	90	8	337
Inverell	20	14	....	3	37	770	20	....	79
Kempsey	18	20	....	3	41	1,283	17	1	156
Lismore	42	26	....	6	74	1,678	35	7	186
Maclean	10	14	....	5	29	353	10	....	15
Murwillumbah	11	4	....	3	18	1,022	10	1	97
Port Macquarie	10	5	....	2	17	923	9	1	32
Tamworth	42	27	....	10	79	1,831	39	3	93
Taree	5	4	....	....	9	144	5	....	19
Tenterfield	9	13	....	....	22	330	8	1	32
Total	330	301	....	64	695	16,406	298	32	1,414
NORTH-WESTERN.									
Bingara	1	....	....	....	1	2	1	....	1
Bourke	18	15	....	4	37	1,526	14	4	27
Broken Hill	11	8	....	....	19	1,468	6	5	151
Cobar	17	7	....	2	26	1,178	16	1	113
Gunnedah	7	7	....	2	16	954	4	3	94
Moree	17	7	....	8	32	980	14	3	123
Murrurundi	9	8	....	....	17	215	9	....	24
Narrabri	13	12	....	1	26	1,037	9	4	128
Nyngan	3	1	....	....	4	134	2	1	18
Wentworth	5	2	....	2	9	312	5	....	7
Wilcannia	6	2	....	....	8	538	4	2	43
Total	107	69	....	19	195	8,344	84	23	729
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Metropolitan and Hunter.	1,681	510	3	805	2,999	78,220	1,514	167	5,898
Southern	294	169	....	44	507	11,039	271	23	745
South-western	347	215	1	57	620	19,988	299	48	1,728
Western	246	191	....	35	472	14,889	224	22	916
Northern	330	301	....	64	695	16,406	298	32	1,414
North-western	107	69	....	19	195	8,344	84	23	729
Total	3,005	1,455	4	1,024	5,488	148,886	2,690	315	11,430

Appeals and New Trial Motions.—During the year ended 1st March, 1899, there were 4 appeals from the judgments of these Courts, of which 2 were affirmed. There were also 18 motions for new trials, of which 8 were granted. The right of appeal can only be exercised in causes in which the amount claimed exceeds £10, and must be made either on points of law or in respect to the admission or rejection of evidence.

Causes tried by Jury.—Of the 3,005 causes tried during the year 1898-99, only 45 were tried by Jury. When the amount in dispute exceeds £20 either of the parties may, by giving notice to the Registrar of the Court, have a Jury summoned.

No. 80.—Supreme Court.—Common Law Jurisdiction.

Writs Issued, and Amount for which Judgment Signed, 1891–98.

Year.	Writs issued.*	Judgments signed.†	Year.	Writs issued.*	Judgments signed.†
	No.	£		No.	£
1891	6,144	537,231	1895	4,118	478,225
1892	6,219	739,419	1896	3,775	388,382
1893	6,205	724,211	1897	3,146	436,506
1894	4,866	489,054	1898	2,901	302,569

Judges of Supreme Court.—There are seven Judges attached to the Supreme Court, the Chief Justice, and the six Puisne Judges. The Chief Justice and four Puisne Judges devote attention chiefly to Common Law and criminal cases, another Judge to Equity, another to Bankruptcy and Probate, and another Puisne Judge is Judge of the Divorce Court.

Terms.—There are four Terms during each year, the dates of which are fixed by the Judges, as are also the days the Court Sittings commence, the duration of Vacations, and the dates for holding Circuits.

Vice-Admiralty Court.—The Chief Justice was appointed Judge Commissary of the Vice-Admiralty Court by the Admiralty, and one of the Puisne Judges acts as Deputy. The Supreme Court has no jurisdiction in this Court.

* Writs issued.—The number of writs issued includes those for claims subsequently settled by the parties.

† Judgments signed.—The amounts for judgments signed include taxed costs in all cases where the judgments have been completed at the end of the year, and relate to undefended and tried cases only.

Causes, 1893–98.

Causes.	1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.	Sydney	Circuit Courts.
Causes tried—												
Verdict for plaintiff	168	29	194	37	177	19	132	22	139	12	111	14
Verdict for defendant	54	15	50	14	31	4	36	9	45	5	30	4
Jury disagreed	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	5	..
Non-suit	*..	*..	*..	*..	9	4	13	2	15	6	18	..
Total	222	44	244	52	218	27	182	34	200	23	164	18
Not proceeded with	166	24	170	26	152	16	158	21	134	13	99	11
Referred to arbitration	*..	*..	*..	*..	13	..	4	..	..	..	4	..
Total Causes set down	388	68	414	78	383	43	344	55	334	36	267	29
	456		492		426		399		370		296	

* Information not readily available.

Causes, 1898.

Court.	Causes tried.					Referred to Arbitration.	Not proceeded with.	Total Causes set down.
	Verdict for plaintiff.	Verdict for defendant	Jury disagreed.	Non-suit.	Total.			
Supreme Court, Sydney	111	30	5	18	164	4	99	267
Circuit Courts—								
Albury	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Armidale	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bathurst	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Broken Hill	1	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	1	2
Deniliquin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dubbo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Goulburn	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	4
Grafton	3	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	4
Hay	.....	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	2
Maitland	2	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	6	8
Mudgee	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tamworth	1	2	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3
Wagga Wagga	3	1	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	4
Yass	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Young	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	1
Total, Circuit Courts	14	4	.....	.....	18	.....	11	29
Total, New South Wales	125	34	5	18	182	4	110	296

Fees—Common Law Jurisdiction—Paid into Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1889–98.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
1889	9,041	1893	6,930	1896	5,505
1890	7,236	1894	6,149	1897	5,745
1891	6,639	1895	5,334	1898	5,843
1892	7,159				

No. 81.—Supreme Court: Equity Jurisdiction.

TRANSACTIONS, 1893–98.

Classification.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Statements of Claims	240	221	222	254	222	204
Statements of Defence	115	144	126	166	143	145
Petitions	139	112	128	136	108	100
Summonses	*	148	131	120	110	132
Motions	*	253	201	258	234	145
Decrees	835	169	155	148	200	154
Orders on Motions and Petitions		336	312	329	278	251
Chamber Orders		310	387	395	411	380
Master's Orders		84	43	30	17	18
Master's Certificates—Taxation	*	202	211	198	198	167
Other	*	100	90	81	284	224
Fees received £	3,199	3,360	3,561	4,070	4,465	3,540

* Information not obtainable.

MASTER IN EQUITY.

AMOUNT HELD IN TRUST, 1893–98.

Classification.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Amount invested in—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Treasury Bills	302,000	302,000	172,000	172,000	172,000	172,000
Debentures	32,600	31,300	31,300	30,675	30,275	28,575
Fixed Deposits	28,152	23,818	29,265	26,120	19,305	660
Mortgages	48,841	48,104	57,032	86,483	88,833	93,995
Promissory Notes	.....	3,215	908	290	.....	.....
Securities lodged in lieu of Bonds	2,601	1,375	1,000	1,600	5 600	5,600
Cash	55,278	49,426	40,785	57,874	62,687	79,323
Funded Stock	.....	.....	110,000	104,770	105,496	105,896
Total £	469,472	459,238	442,290	479,812	484,190	486,343

Master in Equity.—The office of Master in Equity in New South Wales combines the duties of "Accountant General," "Registrar," "Head of the Records and Writ Office," and of "Taxing Officer," as well as those performed in England by the Judges in Chambers through their Chief Clerks.

Funds held in Trust by Master in Equity.—The Trust moneys received by the Master in Equity are invested in various ways; the bulk of the funds, however, is placed to the Government Account, and either invested in securities or used in the "General Banking Account" in the Bank of New South Wales.

Interest earned by Trust Funds.—Cash and Treasury Bills bear interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum; Debentures, 3 to 5 per cent.; Fixed Deposits, 3 to 4 per cent.; mortgages, 4½ to 6 per cent.; and Funded Stock, 4 per cent.

MASTER IN LUNACY.

(Transactions outside Equity Jurisdiction.)

MAINTENANCE AND FEES, 1893–98.

Classification.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Collections—Maintenance	13,351	13,568	13,772	13,096	13,848	15,640
Fees	129	131	142	141	213	219
Percentage	.....	671	577	518	432	663
Unclaimed moneys (sub-sec. 2, sec. 32, 56 Vic. No. 23)	.....	.....	65	91	.....	173
Paid into the Consolidated Revenue £	13,480	14,370	14,556	13,846	14,493	16,695

Maintenance and Fees paid into Consolidated Revenue.—The figures given in the foregoing table for maintenance comprise the sums contributed by the friends of the insane persons, and also those paid for that purpose from estates under the control of the Master in Lunacy.

TRUST FUNDS OF INSANE PERSONS AND PATIENTS, 1894–98.

Year.	In Treasury Bills.	In New South Wales Government Debentures.	Other Investments.	Cash.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£
1894	41,784	11,800	20,825	16,215	90,624
1895	41,784	11,800	22,425	10,055	86,064
1896	41,784	9,200	22,425	16,909	90,318
1897	41,784	8,700	22,725	24,584	97,793
1898	41,784	6,900	24,565	29,563	102,812

Trust Funds held by the Master in Lunacy.—The Trust moneys held by the Master in Lunacy are placed to the Government Account, and either invested in Government or other securities or used in the "General Banking Account" n the Bank of New South Wales.

No. 82.—Supreme Court: Probate Jurisdiction.

PROBATE AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED, 1890-98.

Year.	Number of Estates on which—			Value of Estates on which—		
	Probate was granted.	Letters of Administration were granted.	Total.	Probate was granted.	Letters of Administration were granted.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1890	1,131	680	1,811	6,605,545	922,577	7,528,122
1891	1,192	767	1,959	4,734,228	722,568	5,456,796
1892	1,287	842	2,129	4,619,164	1,150,163	5,769,327
1893	1,183	782	1,965	3,508,264	635,537	4,143,801
1894	1,372	791	2,163	4,370,217	928,567	5,298,784
1895	1,321	833	2,154	4,185,497	672,729	4,858,226
1896	1,548	940	2,488	5,939,540	755,376	6,694,916
1897	1,335	875	2,210	5,509,935	415,107	5,925,042
1898	1,391	840	2,231	5,132,179	793,187	5,925,366

Probate and Administration.—By the Probate Act of 1890 (54 Vic. No. 25), the jurisdiction previously vested in the Primary Judge in Equity was transferred to the Supreme Court and its Probate Jurisdiction, and such Judge as might be appointed Probate Judge. The duties performed by the Prothonotary and Ecclesiastical Clerk were at the same time transferred to the Registrar of Probates.

Gross and Net Value of Estates.—The figures from the Probate Court and Stamp Duties Department (see Part "Public Finance") relating to transactions in the estates of deceased persons do not agree. The Court gives the gross value of the estates, and includes those estates which, after investigation, are found not to be subject to duty. The number of petitions is also swollen by probates on some estates being taken out a second time. The amount given by the Stamp Duties Department represents the net value of the estates.

PROBATE AND LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED BY REGISTRAR, 1898.
(Figures are included in the above Table.)

Estates.	Probate.		Administration.		Total.	
	Number.	Value sworn to.	Number.	Value sworn to.	Number.	Value sworn to.
		£		£		£
Persona applications without the intervention of a solicitor	80	12,205	145	20,060	225	32,265

Estates of the Value of £1,000—How dealt with.—Prior to the passing of the existing Act, all applications for probate and letters of administration (except where the gross amount of the estate did not exceed £100) were made in open Court, and also applications to pass accounts of executors or administrators. Under the present Act the Registrar grants probate and letters of administration where the estate does not exceed £1,000 in value, it being only necessary to apply in open Court in cases beyond that amount. It is now also only necessary to apply in Court for the allowance of executors and administrators' accounts where commission is applied for, or in case of appeal from the decision of the Registrar.

Small Estates—Value £300 and under.—In pursuance of the provisions of the "Probate Act of 1890 Amendment Act" (56 Vic. No. 30), probate and letters of administration may be granted without the intervention of a solicitor in estates sworn not to exceed £300.

No. 83.—Supreme Court : Intestate Estates.

TRANSACTIONS, 1889–98.

Year.	Estates opened during year.			Estates opened in previous years.		Commission and Fees. (Paid into Consolidated Revenue.)
	Number.	Amount received.	Amount paid.	Amount received.	Amount paid.	
		£	£	£	£	£
1889	321	15,600	10,741	5,602	9,311	1,310
1890	331	71,904	32,404	14,204	16,741	4,409
1891	419	65,402	60,920	23,314	24,822	2,288
1892	436	25,821	7,400	15,364	29,986	1,342
1893	390	15,733	5,432	30,683	39,465	1,349
1894	386	17,242	5,591	31,781	46,002	1,475
1895	422	24,044	5,928	21,111	44,376	2,133
1896	463	18,054	6,605	16,160	38,031	1,945
1897	433	22,880	10,538	9,838	*95,342	1,630
1898	491	25,331	7,626	9,925	19,674	1,984

Intestate Estates.—The Registrar of Probates is also Curator of Intestate Estates. He is empowered to apply for an order to collect the estate of any deceased person leaving real and personal estate who shall have died intestate, and leaving no widow or next of kin resident within the jurisdiction of the Court, or when the person shall have died testate, but leaving no executor, or no executor willing and capable of acting in execution of his will, and in a few other instances.

*£50,000 of this amount represents money specially invested.

UNCLAIMED MONEYS, 1889–98.

Year.	Amount paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Amount claimed after being paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Year.	Amount paid into Consolidated Revenue.	Amount claimed after being paid into Consolidated Revenue.
	£	£		£	£
1889	5,865	Nil.	1894	6,772	1,703
1890	9,050	928	1895	12,556	216
1891	7,348	102	1896	12,795	4,042
1892	5,041	372	1897	9,730	1,341
1893	7,101	1,151	1898	5,651	2,522

Unclaimed Moneys paid into Consolidated Revenue.—After paying all proved and allowed claims, balances in the hands of the Curator are paid into the Treasury to the Colonial Treasurer's "Curator of Intestate Estates Account." Moneys not claimed within six years are paid into the Consolidated Revenue Fund, and used for the public service of the Colony. A rightful claimant may afterwards, however, obtain payment thereof, but without interest from the date of payment to the Treasury.

Balance of Intestate Estates belonging to Minors.—The moneys belonging to minors are paid under order of Court, and invested in the Savings Bank of New South Wales on account of minors, till they arrive at the age of 21. The amount so invested on the 31st December, 1898, was £728.

No. 84.—Supreme Court: Divorce and Matrimonial Causes Jurisdiction, 1873–98.

DIVORCES, JUDICIAL SEPARATIONS, AND DECREES OF NULLITY OF MARRIAGE, GRANTED.

Period.	Divorces (decrees *nisi*) Granted.	Judicial Separations Granted.	Decrees of Nullity of Marriage Granted.	Total.
1873–1877	55	.....	.....	55
1878–1882	85	.....	.....	85
1883–1887	141	8	2	151
1888–1892	315	31	5	351
1893	305	9	1	315
1894	311	14	2	327
1895	299	11	2	312
1896	233	8	1	242
1897	245	13	1	259
1898	244	17	3	264
Total...	2,233	111	17	2,361

DIVORCE PETITIONS.

Year.	Petitions.			Results to 31st December, 1898.			
				Petitions.		Decrees *Nisi*.	
	Ordinary.	*In forma pauperis.*	Total.	Dismissed.	Not proceeded with and untried.	Made absolute.	Not made absolute.
1873	5	.....	5	.....	1	3	1
1874	10	.....	10	.....	4	5	1
1875	19	.....	19	.....	2	15	2
1876	22	.....	22	1	2	13	6
1877	17	.....	17	.....	1	13	3
1878	17	.....	17	.....	5	10	2
1879	16	1	17	1	3	12	1
1880	29	.....	29	2	2	20	5
1881	24	.....	24	3	1	18	2
1882	20	2	22	2	5	12	3
1883	36	1	37	1	9	23	4
1884	31	2	33	1	7	24	1
1885	37	1	38	.....	4	32	2
1886	41	4	45	.....	9	32	4
1887	41	4	45	2	10	29	4
1888	44	5	49	1	10	32	6
1889	56	6	62	4	8	47	3
1890	60	10	70	4	8	54	4
1891	93	4	97	2	15	71	9
1892	154	16	170	9	16	131	14
1893	215	115	330	11	39	261	19
1894	216	164	380	1	39	314	26
1895	184	164	348	10	51	257	30
1896	215	145	360	17	86	242	15
1897	223	115	338	19	81	218	20
1898	197	141	338	11	169	98	60
Total ...	2,022	900	2,922	102	587	1,986	247

Grounds for which Divorces were granted, see Table 85.

First year of Divorce Act.—Prior to the passing of the Matrimonial Causes Act of 1873 (36 Vic. No. 9), the Supreme Court of N.S.W. had no jurisdiction in divorce. **The existing Act** (55 Vic. No. 37) was assented to on the 9th May, 1892, but did not come into force, owing to an informality, till the 6th August. During 1893 an amending Act (56 Vic. No. 36) was attached.

Jurisdiction.—In addition to granting Decrees for Dissolution of Marriage, for Judicial Separation, for Nullity of Marriage, for Restitution of Conjugal Rights, and for Jactitation of Marriage (no petitions for which have as yet been filed in this Colony), the Court also deals with questions of alimony, custody, maintenance, and education of children, damages against an adulterer, and settlements of property.

A suit *in forma pauperis* cannot be proceeded with without a Judge's order, and to obtain such it is necessary to produce the certificate of the Registrar and an affidavit of the party applying as to means of living, and, where a suit is by a wife, the means of her husband, and that he or she (after the payment of just debts) is not in possession of property worth £25, except wearing apparel and household furniture.

Decrees Nisi.—After a Decree *Nisi* has been granted, it can be made absolute at any time subsequent to the date fixed by the Court for that purpose. Neither party can re-marry until after fourteen days from the date of the Decree *Nisi* having been made absolute

No. 85.—Grounds for which Divorces were Granted, 1873-98.

Grounds for which Divorce was granted.	Decrees *Nisi* made Absolute.									
	Total Petitions filed under (Old) Act 36 Vic. No. 9.	Petitions filed under (New) Act 55 Vic. No. 37.								Total under both Acts.
	1873 to 5 August, 1892.	1892 (from 6 Aug).	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896	1897	1898	Total under new Act	
Adultery	331	17	56	58	50	60	51	37	329	660
,, (Incestuous)	2	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	....	2
,, and Bigamy	10	....	....	3	..	1	1	..	5	15
,, Bigamy, and Cruelty	2	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	....	2
,, ,, Cruelty, and Desertion	4	....	....	..	..	..	..	..	....	4
,, Bigamy, and Desertion	3	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	4	7
,, and Cruelty	76	4	11	9	4	7	1	..	36	112
,, Cruelty, and Desertion	28	2	4	2	..	..	..	..	8	36
,, ,, Desertion, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	...	....	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Adultery, Cruelty, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	1	2	2	1	2	..	4	12	12
,, ,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	1	....	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Adultery and Desertion	39	4	18	9	10	7	10	1	59	98
,, Desertion, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	1	....	1	..	..	..	..	2	2
,, ,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect of Domestic Duties	.....	....	2	..	..	..	..	..	2	2
Adultery and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	....	1	3	1	..	..	..	5	5
,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	....	....	1	..	..	1	..	2	2
Adultery, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect of Domestic Duties	1	1	6	3	..	..	2	4	16	17
Adultery and Repeated Assaults and Cruel Beatings	.....	....	1	..	1	..	..	..	2	2
Cruelty and attempt to murder by administering poison	....	....	....	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Cruelty and Desertion	.....	9	6	..	1	1	..	..	17	17
,, Desertion, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	5	10	10	6	4	2	..	37	37
,, ,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	1	1	1	..	..	1	..	4	4
Cruelty and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	2	9	18	17	12	10	..	68	68
,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	1	4	6	1	6	2	2	22	22
Cruelty and Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	1	1	..	..	..	..	2	2
Desertion	4	43	108	156	153	125	124	44	753	757
,, and frequent Convictions for Crime	.....	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
,, and Habitual Drunkenness	.....	....	5	8	4	3	..	..	20	20
,, Habitual Drunkenness, and Neglect to Support	.....	1	3	..	..	1	2	...	7	7
Desertion and Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	....	..	..	1	1	..	2	2
Habitual Drunkenness and Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	....	1	..	..	..	..	1	1
Habitual Drunkenness and neglect of Domestic Duties	.....	2	2	8	2	3	3	..	20	20
Habitual Drunkenness and Neglect to Support	.....	....	3	2	1	2	3	5	16	16
Impotency	.....	....	....	..	..	1	..	..	1	1
Imprisonment for three years and upwards	.....	....	1	5	3	1	1	..	11	11
Non-consummation of Marriage	.....	....	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	1
Repeated Assaults and Cruel Beatings	.....	....	2	7	2	3	3	1	18	18
Total	500	96	261	314	257	242	218	98	1,486	1,986

Grounds for Divorce.—The chief grounds for divorce under the old Act were adultery since marriage on the part of the wife, and adultery and cruelty on the part of the husband. In addition to the foregoing causes, petitions for divorce can now be granted on any of the following grounds:—

Husband *v.* Wife.—Desertion for not less than three years; habitual drunkenness and neglect of domestic duties for a similar period; being imprisoned for three years and upwards under a commuted sentence for a capital crime, or under sentence to penal servitude for seven years and upwards; attempt to murder or inflict grievous bodily harm, or repeated assaults and cruel beatings during one year previous to presentation of Petition.

Wife *v.* Husband.—Adultery, provided that at the time of the institution of the suit the husband is domiciled in New South Wales; desertion for not less than three years; habitual drunkenness for the same period, together with cruelty or neglect to support; being imprisoned for three years and upwards under a commuted sentence for a capital crime, or under sentence to penal servitude for seven years and upwards, or having within five years undergone sentences amounting in all to not less than three years; attempt to murder or inflict grievous bodily harm, or repeated assaults and cruel beatings during one year previous to presentation of Petition.

Period of Domicile.—To entitle either party to seek relief on any one of these grounds he or she must have been domiciled in the colony at the time of instituting the suit for three years and upwards, and should not have resorted to the colony for the purpose of the suit. When a wife seeks for a decree on the ground of three years desertion, if she was domiciled in New South Wales when the desertion commenced, she shall not be deemed to have lost her domicile by reason of her husband having thereafter acquired a foreign domicile.

No. 86.—Divorce Causes heard at Circuit Courts, 1894-98.

District where tried.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Circuit Courts—					
Albury	1	.....	1	.....	
Armidale	1	.....	3	2	.....
Bathurst	.....	3	2	1	.....
Broken Hill	.....	.....	.....		3
Deniliquin	.....	.....	1	.....	.....
Dubbo	3	.....	.....	2	.....
Goulburn		.....	1	.....	.....
Grafton	.....	.....	1	.....	2
Hay	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Maitland	.....	.....	.....	3	6
Mudgee	.....	.....	.....		.....
Tamworth	.....		.....	2	
Wagga Wagga	.....	.....	1	1	.....
Young	.....	.....	.....	3	2
Total	8	5	10	18	17

Divorce Causes heard in Country.—Prior to 1893, Divorce Causes were not tried outside Sydney.

No. 87.—Judicial Separations, 1873-98.

Year.	Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1898.			Year.	Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1898.		
		Petitions.		Judicial separations granted.			Petitions.		Judicial separations granted.
		Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.				Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	
1873	.....	....	.....	.....	1887	3	....	2	1
1874	.....	....	.....	.....	1888	6	....	2	4
1875	.....	....	.....	.....	1889	8	....	6	2
1876	1	....	1	.....	1890	10	....	3	7
1877	.....	....	.....	.....	1891	18	....	5	13
1878		1	.....	.....	1892	12	1	3	8
1879	1	....	1	.....	1893	19	....	7	12
1880	2	....	2	.....	1894	29		14	12
1881	1	....	1	.....	1895	22	2	8	12
1882	.....	....	.....	.....	1896	23	2	13	
1883	1	....	.....	1	1897	23	1	7	15
1884	8	....	5	3	1898	27	....	17	10
1885	4	....	2	2					
1886	4	1	2	1	Total ..	223	11	101	111

Judicial Separation.—In addition to the principal causes for which a divorce may be obtained, judicial separation can be granted for desertion without cause for not less than two years.

No. 88.—Restitution of Conjugal Rights and Nullity of Marriage, 1873-98.

Year.	Restitution of Conjugal Rights.					Nullity of Marriage.			
	Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1898.				Petitions.	Results to 31st December, 1898.		
		Petitions.		Decrees *Nisi*.			Petitions.		Decrees of nullity granted.
		Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	Made absolute.	Not made absolute.		Dismissed.	Not proceeded with.	
1873	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1874	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1875	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1876	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1877	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1878	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1879	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1880	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1881	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1882	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1883	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1884	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1885	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1886	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1887	4	.....	3	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1888	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1889	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1890	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	2
1891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	1	2
1892	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1893	2	.....	2	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1894	2	.....	1	.....	1	2	.....	.....	2
1895	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1897	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1898	1	.....	1	.....	.....	2	.....	1	1
Total ..	13	1	10	1	1	20	.....	3	17

Restitution of Conjugal Rights.—Before a suit can be brought there must have been a request of a conciliatory character to the other party to return to cohabitation.

Nullity of Marriage.—Petitions may be granted in cases of marriages which are void by the law of the land; where some statutory requirements have not been observed; or in which one of the parties is incapable to perform the duties of marriage, or joined in the marriage ceremony through coercion or threats or mental incapacity.

No. 89.—Fees of Divorce Court paid into Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1889-98.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
1889	440	1893	921	1896	651
1890	550	1894	720	1897	820
1891	642	1895	598	1898	742
1892	859				

No. 90.—Supreme Court: Bankruptcy Jurisdiction.

TRANSACTIONS, 1898.

SEQUESTRATIONS.	No.	OTHER TRANSACTIONS.	No.
Sequestrations—		Compositions—	
Petitions during year—		Cases in which compositions were accepted ..	.....
Voluntary—		Amount of Liabilities upon which compositions were accepted	.....
By Debtors, Executors, Trustees, &c.	675	Amount accepted as composition	.....
,, Minister for Justice	1	Sequestration Orders annulled	3
,, Revived	1	Estates released	23
Compulsory—		Certificates of Discharge granted	58
By Creditors	108	,, ,, suspended	102
Total petitions	785	,, ,, refused	11
Petitions withdrawn, refused, still pending, &c	31	Trustees elected by Creditors to act with Official Assignee	1
Total Sequestrations	754	Fees collected (paid into Treasury)	£4,848
According to Bankrupts' Schedules—			
Liabilities	£605,563		
Assets	£263,500		
Deficiencies	£342,063		

Bankruptcy.—The law is administered by a Judge in Bankruptcy, under Act 51 Vic. No. 19, and amending Acts. The existing Act came into force on the 1st January, 1888, prior to which date the transactions in Bankruptcy and Insolvency were carried out under a Commissioner of Insolvent Estates.

RELEASES AND CERTIFICATES ISSUED UNDER EXISTING ACT TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Year.	Estates Freed.					Total estates in which orders were made for sequestration to 31st December.	Estates Freed.	Estates still under sequestration on 31st December.	
	Sequestration Orders Annulled (*a*)	Estates Released. (*b*)	Certificates of Discharge Granted. (*c*)	Compositions accepted. (*d*)	Total.			Number.	Proportion to total sequestration.
									per cent.
1889	.....	14	114	7	135	1,885	167	1,718	91·1
1890	.....	4	95	4	103	3,078	270	2,808	91·2
1891	.....	3	309	.....	312	4,267	582	3,685	86·4
1892	1	19	185	.....	205	5,730	787	4,943	86·3
1893	.....	6	152	2	160	7,415	947	6,468	87·2
1894	.....	.....	147	.....	147	8,880	1,094	7,786	87·7
1895	.....	12	142	.....	154	10,099	1,248	8,851	87·6
1896	1	21	95	1	118	11,139	1,366	9,773	87·8
1897	1	25	66	1	93	11,965	1,459	10,506	87·8
1898	.....	23	58	.....	81	12,719	1,543	11,176	87·8
Total under 1887 Act ..	3	127	1,363	15	1,508	12,719	1,543	11,176	87·8

(*a*) **Sequestration Orders Annulled.**—The Judge annuls sequestration orders in cases where he is of opinion that a sequestration order ought not to have been made, or where it is shown that the debts of the bankrupt have been paid in full.

(*b*) **Release of Estate.**—A bankrupt may have his estate released from sequestration after the acceptance and approval of a composition or scheme of arrangement, or if all the creditors are paid in full, or have given him a legal quittance of the debts due.

(*c*) **Certificate of Discharge.**—Three months from the date of sequestration a bankrupt may give notice by advertisement of his intention to apply for a Certificate of Discharge. The application is heard within thirty days of the date of the first publication of the advertisement, and the Judge receives a report from the Official Assignee, and may either grant or refuse an absolute order of discharge.

(*d*) **Composition and Arrangement.**—The creditors have power to accept, and the Judge to approve, of a proposal for a composition, or for a scheme of arrangement, provided that it has been confirmed by a majority in number representing three-fourths in value of all proved creditors.

CERTIFICATES SUSPENDED AND REFUSED UNDER EXISTING ACT TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1898.

Year.	Certificates Suspended.							Certificates Refused.
	Under 6 months.	6 and under 9 months.	9 and under 12 months.	12 months and under 2 years.	2 to 4 years.	Subject to Conditions.	Total.	
1888	12	13	8	.....	.....	....	33	17
1889	13	13	12	4	.....	....	42	28
1890	34	44	34	18	.....	....	130	10
1891	41	49	17	18	.....	....	125	4
1892	30	43	27	40	2	....	142	12
1893	44	47	33	15	1	....	140	10
1894	25	24	32	24	8	....	113	11
1895	34	38	21	23	2	....	118	3
1896	29	36	15	41	2	....	123	9
1897	18	20	2	43	13	12	108	7
1898	16	10	.....	50	17	9	102	11

Suspension or Refusal of Certificates.—The Judge may either grant or refuse an absolute order of discharge, or suspend the operation of the order for a specified time, or grant an order of discharge subject to any conditions with respect to future earnings or income.

No. 90.—Supreme Court: Bankruptcy Jurisdiction—*continued.*

SEQUESTRATIONS, ASSETS, LIABILITIES, &c., 1889–98.

Year.	Gross Number of Petitions.			Petitions withdrawn, refused, &c.	Sequestrations during year.				Assignees and Trustees elected by Creditors to act with the Official Assignee.	Court Fees paid into the Treasury.
	Voluntary.	Compulsory.	Total.		Net Number of Petitions.	According to Bankrupts' Schedules.				
						Liabilities.	Assets.	Deficiency.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	No.	£
1889	935	166	1,101	39	1,062	794,603	396,723	397,880	6	4,594
1890	1,079	164	1,243	50	1,193	1,203,685	540,726	662,959	5	4,846
1891	1,016	222	1,238	49	1,189	989,778	454,211	535,567	8	5,590
1892	1,267	239	1,506	43	1,463	2,035,316	793,045	1,242,271	3	6,298
1893	1,535	209	1,744	59	1,685	1,527,985	905,763	622,222	4	7,009
1894	1,364	148	1,512	47	1,465	1,852,235	995,935	856,300	6	6,125
1895	1,080	200	1,280	61	1,219	1,142,637	747,053	395,584	7	5,207
1896	937	149	1,086	46	1,040	627,314	409,928	217,386	1	5,065
1897	755	90	845	19	826	610,111	347,469	262,642	3	4,728
1898	677	108	785	31	754	605,563	263,500	342,063	1	4,848
Total	10,645	1,695	12,340	444	11,896	11,389,227	5,854,353	5,534,874	44	54,310

The Assets and Liabilities are "according to Bankrupts' Schedules." The assets vary in many instances considerably from the statements showing amounts realised; the original figures as to liabilities, however, represent fairly the actual indebtedness.

Petitions withdrawn and refused.—Petitions withdrawn apply wholly to Creditors' petitions withdrawn in consequence of payment of amount of claims, and the petitions refused represent those cases in which the Judge or Registrar is not satisfied that acts of Bankruptcy alleged have been committed.

No. 91.—Official Assignees—Transactions.

CHARGES, DIVIDENDS, &c., 1890–98.

Year.	Charges and Fees.							Dividends and Undivided Balances.			
	Peremptory Charges.		Legal Costs.	Paid into Consolidated Revenue.		Commission to Official Assignees	Total.	Dividends Paid.	Moneys in hands of Official Assignees.		Balance of *Bankruptcy Estates Account.
	Auction.	Rent Valuation, Labour, &c.		Court Fees.	Percentage.				Unpaid and Unclaimed Balances.	Unpaid Dividends.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1890	4,268	9,613	3,064	70	382	3,443	20,840	26,289	1,987	287	22,037
1891	3,019	18,439	6,202	1,508	726	5,386	35,280	52,304	1,449	432	21,651
1892	3,692	10,350	7,192	1,582	891	5,581	29,288	45,084	1,145	591	20,284
1893	3,952	13,743	7,133	1,473	652	5,691	32,644	40,433	9,532	132	27,287
1894	3,571	18,308	7,139	1,528	1,143	8,610	40,299	70,381	863	305	30,985
1895	2,780	16,752	8,519	1,414	718	6,182	36,365	50,640	314	530	16,738
1896	1,955	22,488	6,113	1,321	551	4,665	37,093	31,557	9,610	747	23,553
1897	1,617	13,929	8,100	1,293	691	5,129	30,759	37,900	1,474	1,065	13,208
1898	1,519	7,085	4,438	1,246	348	3,194	17,830	19,556	380	355	12,609

Official Assignees.—Official Assignees are appointed by the Executive Council when, in the opinion of the Judge, an addition to their number is required. On the 31st December, 1897, three held office. In each estate the Official Assignee receives 2½ per cent. commission on the amount realised, and 2½ per cent. on the amount of dividends declared. The Judge may also grant special remuneration. Each Official Assignee is obliged under the 94th section of the Act to furnish the Registrar with quarterly statements showing the transactions in each estate.

***Bankruptcy Estates Account.**—Each Official Assignee pays all moneys received by him to the Registrar in Bankruptcy who places the amount to the credit of the "Bankruptcy Estates Account," from which all charges (other than peremptory, such as auction charges, rent, &c.), fees, and dividends are met.

No. 92.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1894–98.

Calling.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Agent (Commission, General, &c.)	28	28	22	19	20
Baker	21	13	15	11	6
Blacksmith	21	16	14	8	6
Bootmaker	16	17	12	9	5
Builder	27	16	13	19	7
Butcher	27	14	14	16	8
Cabinet-maker, Carpenter and Joiner	23	15	24	14	13
Carrier, Carter, Teamster, &c.	13	31	15	14	6
Clerk	34	30	20	13	17
Contractor	48	31	23	19	18
Dealer (Furniture and General)	17	13	9	6	5
Engineer and Fitter	16	13	3	8	4
Farmer	116	105	50	38	32
Grazier	26	16	14	11	7
Labourer	177	158	138	135	127
Licensed Victualler	81	65	47	38	26
Miner	150	93	107	140	130
Shop and Storekeeper	41	32	23	20	17
Out of business or employment	40	54	.....	9	.....
*Other Callings	543	559	447	267	270
Occupations not stated	.....	.....	30	12	30
Total	1,465	1,219	1,040	826	754

* **Other Callings.**—Includes Callings in which the number of annual sequestrations averaged under 15.

No. 93.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1898.

Callings.—The trades and occupations of Bankrupts in several instances are very vaguely defined; the officers of the Court have therefore to use their discretion as to classification.

Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.
Accountant	4	Cabinetmaker	3	Doctor	5
Actor	1	Canvasser	1	Draper	4
Agent—General	5	Caretaker	2	Dressmaker	1
„ Commission	7	Carpenter	9	Driver	1
„ Export	1	Carrier	1	Drover	2
„ Financial	3	Carter	2	Editor	2
„ Forwarding	1	Caterer	2	Engine-driver	4
„ Insurance	1	Chemist	4	Engineer	3
„ Machinery	1	Civil Servant	18	Engine-fitter	1
„ Mining	1	Clerk	17	Esquire	1
Architect	1	Coach-builder	4	Farmer	32
Auctioneer	3	Coach-driver	5	Farm Labourer	3
Baker	6	Coach Painter	1	Financier	1
Blacksmith	6	Colliery Proprietor	1	Fireman	2
Boarding-house Keeper	6	Commercial Traveller	4	Fruiterer	6
Boilermaker	1	Compositor	4	Fuel Merchant	1
Boiling-down business	1	Confectioner	2	Furrier	1
Bootmaker	5	Conveyancer	1	Gaol Warder	4
Bottle Manufacturer	1	Contractor	18	Gardener	3
Brewer	1	Cook	1	Grazier	7
Bricklayer	8	Cordial Manufacturer	3	Greengrocer	1
Buyer	1	Currier	1	Grocer	6
Builder	7	Dairyman	5	Gunner	1
Butcher	8	Dealer	5	Hairdresser	5
Cab-driver	2	Dentist	1	Hawker	6

No. 93.—Trades and Occupations of Bankrupts, 1898—*continued.*

Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.	Calling.	No.
Hotel-keeper	26	Plasterer	1	Station Employee ...	1
Inspector of Nuisances ...	1	Plumber	2	Steward	1
Joiner	1	Poundkeeper	1	Stockman	1
Journalist	2	Poulterer	1	Stonemason	3
Journeyman Baker ...	1	Police Constable	5	Storekeeper	16
Labourer	127	Presbyterian Minister ...	1	Storekeeper's Assistant ...	1
Ladies' Nurse	1	Printer	1	Striker (blacksmith) ...	1
Lamplighter	1	Produce Merchant ...	8	Surveyor	3
Mail-contractor	1	Quarryman	1	Tailor	2
Mail Guard	1	Rabbiter	1	Tanner	1
Manager, Gas-works ...	1	Restaurant Keeper ...	1	Teamster	3
Manager, Coal Co. ...	1	Retired Army Captain ...	1	Timber Contractor ...	1
Manufacturer	3	Saddler	6	Timber-getter	2
Master Mariner	2	Sailmaker	1	Tobacconist	7
Midwife	1	Salesman	3	Traveller	1
Milk Vendor	1	Sawyer	1	Trucker	1
Miner	130	School-teacher	1	Upholsterer	1
Mining Engineer	1	Seaman	1	Vanman	1
Mining Expert	1	Seed Merchant	1	Wharf labourer	1
Mining Manager	1	Selector	2	Wheelwright	4
Musician	1	Servant	1	Wine and Spirit Merchant	1
No occupation	30	Sign-writer	1	Winegrower	1
Nurse	1	Smelter	1	Wine-seller	1
Nurseryman	1	Solicitor	4	Wood Carter	1
Operatic Artist	1	Shipwright	1	Woolscourer	1
Orchardist	4	Sharebroker	1		
Painter	1	Shearer	1	Total	754
Pensioner	1	Sinker	1		
Photographer	1	Stationer	1		

No. 94.—Vice-Admiralty Court: Transactions, 1890–98.

Year.	Causes of Action.							Verdict for—		Not proceeded with or settled.
	Wages and Disbursements.	Goods supplied and Repairs.	Towage Service.	Loss by Collision.	Salvage.	Damages to Cargo.	Total.	Plaintiff.	Defendant.	
1890	.....	1	.....	5	.....	.....	6	*3	*3	.....
1891	5	.....	2	.....	2	1	10	9	1	.....
1892	1	1	1	3	.....	.....	6	5	.....	1
1893	4	6	2	3	3	.....	18	10	3	5
1894	10	4	1	3	.....	.....	18	12	5	1
1895	6	1	.....	4	.....	1	12	2	2	8
1896	2	1	.....	6	1	.....	10	5	2	2
1897	2	3	.....	2	4	.....	11	4	1	6
1898	2	16	2	3	3	.....	†26	1	1	24

Judges of Vice-Admiralty Court.—The Chief Justice was appointed by the Admiralty as Judge Commissary of the Vice-Admiralty Court, and a Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court has been appointed Deputy Judge.

The Marine Board is in no way connected with the Vice-Admiralty Court, and appeal cannot be made from the Board's decision in connection with cancellations or suspensions of certificates.

* From these verdicts leave to appeal to the Privy Council was granted in two instances, one appeal was dismissed, and the other not proceeded with.

† Two cases still pending.

No. 95.—Appellate Jurisdiction: Appeals from Magistrates' Courts to Courts of Quarter Sessions, 1890–98.

Year.	Not proceeded with.	Conviction or Order—			Total.	Year.	Not proceeded with.	Conviction or Order—			Total.
		Confirmed.	Varied.	Quashed.				Confirmed.	Varied.	Quashed.	
1890	4	18	1	9	32	1895	9	43	6	13	71
1891	9	32	..	16	57	1896	2	29	2	7	40
1892	11	50	2	21	84	1897	17	24	2	8	51
1893	10	23	2	15	50	1898	4	25	4	13	46
1894	4	42	2	5	53						

Criminal and Quasi-Criminal Appeals.—Appeal from Magistrates' Courts to Quarter Sessions is a remedy for bringing the Orders and Convictions of Justices to the review of Quarter Sessions. When an appeal is allowed, the Court is Judge of law as well as fact. The right of appeal exists only when given by express enactments.

No. 96.—Appeals from Magistrates' Courts to Supreme Court, 1889–98.

PROHIBITION AND MANDAMUS APPLICATIONS.

Year.	Judge in Chambers.								Full Court.							
	Prohibition.				Mandamus.				Prohibition.				Mandamus.			
	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.
1889	..	11	5	16	1	2	2	5	2	8	5	15	2	..	..	2
1890	1	14*	4	19	1	1	..	2	1	12†	7	20	..	1	..	1
1891	1	17	6	24	..	1	..	1	..	6	7	13	..	4‡	2	6
1892	..	16	4	20	1	1	..	2	2	14	5	21	..	4§	5‖	9
1893	2	19	13	34	..	2†	..	2†	1	18	10	29	2	2	3*	7
1894	1	11	2	14	..	4	1	5	..	18	8	26	..	..	1	1
1895	5	13	8	26	..	2	2	4	9	18¶	11	38	..	1	1	2
1896	1	23	6	30	1	2	..	3	4	11	3	18	..	3	..	3
1897	4	8	8	20	2	1	2	5	2	14	20	36	3	3	4	10
1898	..	14	9	23	..	1	..	1	2	14	27	43	..	2	6	8

Appeals from Magistrates and Wardens' Courts.—Application for Prohibition or Mandamus is made either to a Judge in Chambers, or to the Full Court. Appeals from the decisions of District Court Judges sitting in the Mining Appeal Court, are made to the Supreme Court, under section 115 of Act 37 Vic. No. 13.

* Including 1 appeal from decision of Minister for Lands. † Warden's Court cases. ‡ Including 2 cases Minister for Lands, and 1 case Prothonotary. § Including 1 Collector of Customs case. ‖ Including 2 Collector of Customs cases. ¶ Including 5 Warden's Court and 2 Licensing Court cases.

SPECIAL CASES.

Year.	Judge in Chambers.			Full Court.					
	Magistrates' Courts.			Not proceeded with.		Decision Sustained.		Decision Reversed.	
	Not proceeded with.	Decision—		Magistrates' Courts.	Land Cases.	Magistrates' Courts.	Land Cases.	Magistrates' Courts.	Land Cases.
		Sustained.	Reversed.						
1889	1	3	1	....	1	1	....	2‡	2
1890	....	4	1	....	....	....	4	2†	....
1891	....	1	2	1	....	2†	4	4	8
1892	....	2*	....	....	1	1†	3	....	3
1893	....	6	6	....	1	....	4	3†‡	1
1894	1	5	2	1	2	2	8	1	4
1895	....	3*	1	....	1	2*‡	6	3	1
1896	2	1	2	....	1	....	4	....	3
1897	1	2	2	....	1	5§	3	2	7
1898	1	3	4	....	....	5	17‖	2	8¶

Special Cases from Magistrates' Courts may be brought before either a Judge in Chambers or the Full Court, and Land Cases before the Full Court only.

* Including 1 case from Licensing Court. † Including 1 case from Warden's Court. ‡ Including 1 case from Commissioner of Stamp Duties. § Including 2 cases under Land and Income Tax Acts of 1895, and 2 under the Stamp Duties Act. ‖ Including 9 cases under Land and Income Tax Acts of 1895. ¶ Including 2 cases under Land and Income Tax Acts of 1895

No. 97.—Appeals from District Courts to Supreme Court (Single Judge or Full Court), 1889-98.

Year.	Not proceeded with.	Appeal—		Total.	Year.	Not proceeded with.	Appeal—		Total.
		Allowed.	Refused.				Allowed.	Refused.	
1889	8	12	10	30	1894	1	6	2	9
1890	5	17*	20	42	1895	2	3	3	8
1891	5	9*	9	23	1896	2	3	9	14
1892	5	1	8	14	1897	1	1	2	4
1893	3	3	4	10	1898	1	3	1	5

District Court Appeals.—Appeals from the District Court to the Supreme Court are regulated by Section 94 of the District Court Act of 1858 (22 Vic. No. 18), and by Section 1 of the Amending Act (41 Vic. No. 30).

* Including 1 Mandamus.

No. 98.—Appeals against Decisions of Primary Judge to Full Court, 1889-98.

COMMON LAW.

Year.	Criminal Cases. (Quarter Sessions, Central Criminal and Circuit Courts.)			Civil Cases.							
	Conviction—		Total.	Motions *Nisi* for New Trial.				New Trial Motions.			
	Affirmed.	Reversed.		Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Rule made absolute.	Rule discharged.	Total.
1889	6	1	7	8	42	20	70	2	15	14	31
1890	7	...	7	16	28	9	53	3	11	18	32
1891	5	1	6	11	31	13	55	4	12	12	28
1892	8	1	9	15	31	10	56	3	8	9	20
1893	12	4	16	7	25	15	47	...	20	8	28
1894	12	2	14	11	31	11	53	2	7	7	16
1895	7	...	7	4	31	7	42	5	10	11	26
1896	6	4	10	20	33	10	63	4	16	14	34
1897	8	1	9	11	26	5	42	1	19	17	37
1898	8	5	13	9	27	12	48	4	11	14	29

EQUITY, PROBATE, BANKRUPTCY, AND DIVORCE.

Year.	Equity.				Probate.			Bankruptcy.				Divorce.			
	Not proceeded with.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Sustained.	Disallowed.	Total.
1889	1	11	11	23	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	1	1
1890	2	4	18	24	1	...	1	...	1	4	5	...	...	...	...
1891	1	3	11	15	...	1	1	...	...	2	2	...	1	1	2
1892	3	4	8	15	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	...
1893	4	1	8	13	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	2
1894	...	1	10	11	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
1895	...	1	7	8	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1
1896	7	3	7	18*	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	2	...	3
1897	3	2	2	8*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	...	7
1898	6	...	3	12†	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7	3	11

Appeals to Full Court.—Appeals against orders or decisions of Judges of the Supreme Court are made, with few exceptions, to the Full Court. Act 48 Vic. No. 13, passed August, 1884, provides that no Judge of the Supreme Court shall sit on the hearing of an appeal from, or on a matter to set aside, any judgment, order, decree, ruling, or decision made by him. This Act also provides that the Court on the hearing of such appeals or motions shall consist of three Judges.

* The appeal in one case stood over to the following year. †3 Appeals still pending.

No. 99.—Appeals to Privy Council, 1889–98.

Year.	Applications for leave to Appeal.				Appeals to Privy Council.		
	Not proceeded with.	Granted.	Refused.	Total.	Not proceeded with.	Upheld.	Dismissed.
Common Law.							
1889	1	4	2	7	.....	1	3
1890	.....	11	.....	11	7	1	3
1891	1	9	.....	10	2	4	3
1892	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1893	.....	4	.....	4	1	2	1
1894	.....	6	.....	6	3	*.....	2
1895	.....	4	.....	4	.....	*.....	3
1896	.....	8	1	9	1	1	4
1897	.....	15	1	16	2	1	2
1898	1	5	†3	9	**3	1	10
Equity.							
1889	.....	11	.....	11	1	1	9
1890	.....	2	.....	2	.....	.....	2
1891	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1892	.....	5	1	6	2	.....	3
1893	.....	3	.....	3	.....	1	2
1894	.....	3	†1	4	.....	3	1
1895	.....	1	†1	2	*.....	.....	1
1896	.....	5	.....	5	‡1	1	1
1897	.....	7	.....	7	§3	.....	.....
1898	.....	3	.....	3	.....	.....	.....
Bankruptcy.							
1890	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1891	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1892	.....	1	.....	1	.....	1	.....
1893	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
1894	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1897	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1898	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vice-Admiralty.							
1890	.....	1	.....	1	1	.....	.....
1891	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....	1
1892	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1893	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1894	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1897	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1898	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Judgment pending in 1 case. † Leave to appeal subsequently granted upon application to Privy Council direct.
‡ Judgment pending in 2 cases. § Judgment pending in 4 cases. ** Judgment pending in the 3 cases.

No. 100.—Criminal Cases.—Appeals direct to Privy Council, 1890–98.

Year.	Cause.	Appeal.	Date of Judgment.	Subject matter of Appeal.
1890	The Queen *v.* M'Leod...	Upheld ...	23 July, 1891 ...	Bigamy—Foreign marriage.
1893	The Queen *v.* Makin ...	Dismissed ...	12 December, 1893	Murder.
1894	The Queen *v.* Kops ...	,, ...	9 June, 1894 ..	Attempted Arson.
1895	.....	.....	.....	.....
1896	.....	.....	.....	.....
1897	.....	.....	.....	.....
1898	.....	.....	.....	.....

Note.—In the case of The Queen *v.* Prior (1898) leave to appeal was refused by the Privy Council.

No. 101.—Barristers practising in New South Wales, 1899.

Year when admitted.	Practising during 1899.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1899.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1899.	Year when admitted.	Practising during 1899.
1861	2	1874	1	1883	3	1892	10
1864	1	1875	2	1884	4	1893	7
1865	1	1876	2	1885	3	1894	9
1867	1	1877	2	1886	8	1895	11
1869	2	1878	1	1887	8	1896	6
1870	1	1879	2	1888	6	1897	8
1871	2	1880	2	1889	4	1898	8
1872	1	1881	4	1890	12		
1873	1	1882	5	1891	6	Total ...	146

Admission to the Bar.—The Board for approval of qualified persons to be admitted as Barristers of the Supreme Court of New South Wales, is formed under Act 11 Vic. No. 57 and 39 Vic. No. 32, and consists of the Judges of the Supreme Court and the Attorney-General and two elected members of the Bar.

Queen's Counsel.—A Queen's Counsel is appointed by Commission signed by the Governor, upon a recommendation made by the Attorney-General to the Executive Council. Nine barristers held this appointment during 1898.

Crown Prosecutors.—Seven barristers, who receive an annual salary, hold appointments as Crown Prosecutors at the Courts of Quarter Sessions, and one at the Central Criminal Court. Others, who are paid by fees, are specially appointed, on the recommendation of the Attorney-General, for each sitting of the Circuit Courts.

No. 102.—Crown Solicitor's Office: Transactions, 1898.

Department.	Actions in which Department was Plaintiff.					Actions in which Department was Defendant.					Cases under consideration.	Total transactions.
	Commenced.	Settled or not proceeded with.	Tried.			Commenced.	Settled or not proceeded with.	Tried.				
			No.	Verdict.				No.	Verdict.			
				Plaintiff.	Defendant.				Plaintiff.	Defendant.		
COMMON LAW.												
Chief Secretary	51	47	...	...	...	4	...	1	1	...	7	55
Colonial Treasurer... ...	65	37	2	2	...	50	16	24	8	16	36	115
Public Works	12	8	...	...	...	20	7	4	3	1	13	32
Lands	68	42	3	2	1	5	...	2	...	2	26	73
Justice	6	3	1	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	3	8
Public Instruction	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1
Mines	12	5	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	10	15
Post Office	45	23	...	...	...	5	3	2	1	1	22	50
Total	259	165	6	5	1	90	28	33	13	20	117	349
EQUITY.												
Chief Secretary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colonial Treasurer	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	2
Public Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lands	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	3	3
Justice	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Public Instruction	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mines	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Post Office	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	2	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	5	5

Section IV.—TRANSACTIONS IN REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGES, PATENTS, &c.

No. 103.—Area and Value of Land under Real Property (Torrens') Act on 31st December, 1898.

Period.	Crown Lands conveyed under Real Property Act.		Private Lands brought under Real Property Act.		Total.	
	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value.	Area.	Value.
	acres.	£	acres.	£	acres.	£
1863 to 1881	10,812,497	11,458,003	536,543	5,141,038	11,349,040	16,599,041
1882	1,257,449	1,402,721	54,937	837,883	1,312,386	2,240,604
1883	1,040,558	1,301,850	22,006	803,553	1,062,564	2,105,403
1884	397,927	498,481	31,420	607,928	429,347	1,106,409
1885	503,565	666,169	31,230	1,157,000	534,795	1,823,169
1886	399,287	562,960	14,065	723,641	413,352	1,286,601
1887	382,649	470,661	47,318	1,140,155	429,967	1,610,816
1888	318,875	421,058	62,085	1,840,008	380,960	2,261,066
1889	355,330	512,237	45,309	1,348,812	400,639	1,861,049
1890	194,953	336,369	79,675	1,068,348	274,628	1,404,717
1891	279,247	403,421	51,145	1,163,044	330,392	1,566,465
1892	189,990	301,165	83,627	1,243,890	273,617	1,545,055
1893	253,941	306,842	44,999	962,413	298,940	1,269,255
1894	267,730	485,006	45,756	808,234	313,486	1,293,240
1895	289,157	261,262	22,230	755,114	311,387	1,016,376
1896	320,474	226,440	53,717	861,811	374,191	1,088,251
1897	268,014	161,694	26,941	617,984	294,955	779,678
1898	434,692	236,090	25,169	662,888	459,861	898,978
Total to 31st December, 1898 ...	17,566,335	20,012,429	1,278,172	21,743,744	19,244,507	41,756,173

No. 104.—Land Titles granted under Real Property (Torrens') Act, 1898.

Particulars.	Crown Lands conveyed under Real Property (Torrens') Act.	Private Lands brought under Real Property (Torrens') Act.	Total.
Number of Applications	2,905	371*	3,276
Area—	a. r. p.	a. r. p.	a. r. p.
Town and Suburban	2,499 2 6½	851 0 0½	3,350 2 7
Country	432,192 0 14½	24,318 1 6¾	456,510 1 21¼
Total	434,691 2 21	25,169 1 7¼	459,860 3 28¼
Declared Value of Properties ... ... £	236,090	662,888	898,978
Fees received—			
Assurance ... ... £	496	1,398	1,894
Advertising ... ... £	.....	563	563
Certificates and other dealings ... £	.....	431	431
Total ... ... £	496	2,392	2,888
Stamp Duty ... ... £	†1,725	Not available.	Not available.

* Represents 440 properties.

† **Stamp Duty—Crown Lands.**—The amount of Stamp Duty is that which has been paid by applicants upon receipt of deeds from the Registrar-General, and does not represent the sum charged by the Commissioner of Stamp Duties during the year, on deeds forwarded to him by the Department of Lands. Although conveyances of land from the Crown are always registered under the Real Property Act, the payment of the Stamp Duty, which is collected by the Registrar-General, cannot be enforced until the application for deeds is made.

No. 105.—Mortgages under Deeds Registration Act of 1843 during years 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.	No.	Amount of Consideration.
				CONTRACTED.						
All classes of Lands	8,901	£ 5,824,797	8,467	£ 7,183,729	7,855	£ 5,428,148	3,898	£ 4,147,583	3,861	£ 4,698,034
				DISCHARGED.						
All classes of Lands	3,630	£ 2,060,696	3,769	£ 2,505,730	4,433	£ 3,106,361	2,654	£ 2,108,981	2,639	£ 2,591,525

Acts under which Registered.—Mortgages on Real Estate are registered either under the Deeds Registration Act of 1843 (7 Vic. No. 16), or the Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862 (26 Vic. No. 9.)

Amount of Consideration incomplete.—In many instances the amounts lent upon mortgage by banks are not stated, but simply the words "valuable consideration" or "cash credit" inserted in the deeds. As this occurs frequently when the properties mortgaged are evidently of great value, the absence of the amounts must materially affect the returns, and, as a consequence, the amounts under the head of "mortgages" are incomplete. It must be borne in mind, therefore, that the "Amount of Consideration" stated applies only to cases in which the specific amounts are stated in the deeds, whether the amounts be the sums actually advanced or not.

The Discharges do not include foreclosures, which, if not formally registered as discharges, are nevertheless mortgages cancelled. The returns of discharges are therefore incomplete, and the discrepancy between the mortgages contracted and discharged is largely due to this cause.

No. 106.—Mortgages under Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862 during years 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration. £	No.	Amount of Consideration. £	No.	Amount of Consideration. £	No.	Amount of Consideration. £	No.	Amount of Consideration £
				CONTRACTED.						
All classes of Lands	4,277	5,624,968	3,886	4,741,877	3,677	4,652,779	3,571	4,354,412	3,617	4,807,182
				DISCHARGED.						
All classes of Lands	2,329	2,083,092	2,525	2,715,443	2,772	2,798,795	2,659	2,689,520	2,770	2,774,495

No. 107.—Total number of Mortgages during years 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	No.	Amount of Consideration £	No.	Amount of Consideration. £	No.	Amount of Consideration £	No.	Amount of Consideration £	No.	Amount of Consideration. £
				CONTRACTED.						
Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843..	8,901	5,824,797	8,467	7,183,729	7,855	5,428,148	3,898	4,147,583	3,861	4,698,034
Under Real Property Act of 1862..	4,277	5,624,968	3,886	4,741,877	3,677	4,652,779	3,571	4,354,412	3,617	4,807,182
Total	13,178	11,449,765	12,353	11,925,606	11,532	10,080,927	7,469	8,501,995	7,478	9,505,216
				DISCHARGED.						
Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843..	3,630	2,060,696	3,769	2,505,730	4,433	3,106,361	2,654	2,108,981	2,639	2,591,525
Under Real Property Act of 1862..	2,329	2,083,092	2,525	2,715,443	2,772	2,798,795	2,659	2,689,520	2,770	2,774,495
Total	5,959	4,143,788	6,294	5,221,173	7,205	5,905,156	5,313	4,798,501	5,409	5,366,020

No. 108.—Conveyances and Transfers of Real Estate, 1880-98.

Year.	Amount of consideration.		
	Under Deeds Registration Act of 1843.	Under Real Property (Torrens') Act of 1862.	Total.
	£	£	£
1880	2,405,880	2,621,764	5,027,644
1881	4,974,437	3,024,959	7,999,396
1882	5,693,500	2,960,405	8,653,905
1883	4,022,470	2,604,774	6,627,244
1884	3,798,440	2,677,768	6,476,208
1885	5,245,422	3,164,734	8,410,156
1886	4,085,990	3,060,244	7,146,234
1887	3,598,034	2,784,853	6,382,887
1888	5,893,373	5,175,500	11,068,873
1889	4,169,822	3,333,411	7,503,233
1890	3,954,358	3,600,392	7,554,750
1891	4,564,285	3,602,082	8,166,367
1892	3,537,829	2,716,379	6,254,208
1893	2,317,777	2,532,211	4,849,988
1894	1,945,527	2,048,977	3,994,504
1895	1,812,199	1,862,638	3,674,837
1896	2,212,158	2,009,172	4,221,330
1897	1,149,989	2,101,390	3,251,379
1898	1,275,316	2,251,140	3,526,456

No. 109.—Assurance Fund under Real Property Act, 1891-98.

Year.	Collections on Applications, Transmissions, and Crown Grants.	Refunds of Fees paid on dealings withdrawn, &c.	Compensations and Costs of Legal Actions. (Amount paid independent of period of action.)	Total Refunds, Compensations, &c.	Net amount available for Fund.	Amount at Credit of Fund in Treasury on 31st December. (Including Interest added to Principal.)
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	5,681	336	Nil.	336	5,345	110,340
1892	4,796	126	1,053	1,179	3,617	117,629
1893	4,207	124	Nil.	124	4,083	125,611
1894	4,990	108	367	475	4,515	134,850
1895	4,349	73	1	74	4,275	143,550
1896	4,098	186	12	198	3,900	151,790
1897	4,795	74	35	109	4,686	161,576
1898	4,890	82	2	84	4,806	171,922

Assurance Fund.—To indemnify the Government for compensating persons, who, through error may have been deprived of their properties, an Assurance Fund has been created by a contribution of one half-penny in the pound being levied on the declared capital value of property brought under the Act.

Compensation paid in respect of Titles improperly granted.—The total amount paid from the Assurance Fund as compensation and costs of legal actions from 1st January, 1863, to 31st December, 1898, was £3,150.

No. 110.—Liens contracted on Wool, 1889–98.

Year.	Liens.			Year.	Liens.		
	Number.	Sheep involved.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Sheep involved.	Amount of Consideration.
			£				£
1889	1,169	7,861,223	1,282,065	1894	2,627	16,084,929	1,952,451
1890	1,461	9,005,582	1,562,270	1895	2,509	14,689,647	2,101,048
1891	1,701	10,201,412	1,320,823	1896	2,364	11,309,327	1,341,949
1892	2,051	12,094,876	1,688,661	1897	2,183	9,277,004	1,056,721
1893	2,257	13,204,407	1,935,660	1898	2,012	8,492,863	1,048,264

Sums Secured both by Lien on Wool and Mortgage of Sheep.—When any sum has been secured, both by a lien on the wool and by mortgage of the sheep, the amount is included under the head of mortgages only—thus in 1898, the gross amount lent on liens was £1,160,182; but from this has to be deducted the sum of £111,918, secured both by lien on the wool and mortgage on the sheep, so that the net amount lent on lien was £1,048,264.

No. 111.—Mortgages contracted on Live Stock, 1889–98.

Year.	Mortgages.					Year.	Mortgages.				
	Number.	Stock involved.			Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Stock involved.			Amount of Consideration.
		Sheep.	Horned Cattle.	Horses.				Sheep.	Horned Cattle.	Horses.	
					£						£
1889	2,018	4,572,477	100,026	11,824	2,432,704	1894	2,167	6,586,711	698,448	18,016	2,059,381
1890	2,230	4,962,300	93,298	12,543	3,159,636	1895	1,901	4,983,071	148,629	18,292	2,254,290
1891	2,328	6,896,947	111,432	16,728	2,632,758	1896	1,768	4,748,695	93,550	24,520	1,705,245
1892	2,326	5,966,971	142,695	16,904	2,814,637	1897	1,678	4,290,304	62,644	13,474	1,418,884
1893	2,270	8,357,014	227,531	24,241	3,176,725	1898	1,884	2,192,645	95,454	14,375	1,518,887

No. 112.—Liens on Growing Crops, 1889–98.

Year.	Liens.		Year.	Liens.		Year.	Liens.	
	Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.
		£			£			£
1889	1,227	83,748	1893	1,789	159,007	1896	2,567	202,605
1890	1,089	75,439	1894	2,291	181,432	1897	1,947	151,334
1891	1,171	78,448	1895	2,621	219,392	1898	1,779	161,216
1892	1,416	130,155						

No. 113.—Mortgages Discharged.

Wool and Growing Crops.

Liens on wool and growing crops mature at the end of each season, and terminate without being formally discharged. During 1898, 41 discharges of wool liens, amounting to £28,332, were registered.

Live Stock, 1889-98.

Year.	Discharges.		Year.	Discharges.		Year.	Discharges.	
	Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.		Number.	Amount of Consideration.
		£			£			£
1889	256	1,191,089	1893	286	1,062,827	1896	432	886,218
1890	368	2,512,551	1894	334	496,041	1897	385	549,064
1891	380	1,184,372	1895	372	1,053,863	1898	423	821,644
1892	317	985,048						

No. 114.—Bills of Sale Filed and Satisfied, 1891–98.

Year	Registrations.		Year.	Registrations.		Renewals under Bills of Sale Act of 1898.
	Filed.	*Satisfied, or Orders for discharge made.		Filed.	*Satisfied, or Orders for discharge made.	
	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1891	2,697	136	1895	2,512	140	...
1892	2,776	132	1896	2,375	158	...
1893	3,111	96	1897	3,368	156	...
1894	2,752	77	1898	3,725	220	1,375

*Discharges and Foreclosures.—It is not compulsory to register discharges; consequently no records exist of Bills of Sale terminated voluntarily, or by seizure with Judge's order to discharge. The large discrepancy between the number "Filed" and "Satisfied" is accounted for by this fact.

All Mortgages on personalty other than Wool, Live Stock, Growing Crops, Ships, and Shipping Appliances, are filed and entered at the Supreme Court under the "Bills of Sale Act of 1855."

For particulars of Mortgages on Ships and Shipping Appliances, see Part "Shipping."

No. 115.—Summary of Mortgages (Realty and Personalty), 1893–98.

Class.	1893	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
CONTRACTED.						
Realty—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Under Deeds Registration Act	7,434,029	5,824,797	7,183,729	5,428,148	4,147,583	4,698,034
Under Real Property Act...	6,034,324	5,624,968	4,741,877	4,652,779	4,354,412	4,807,182
Total	13,468,353	11,449,765	11,925,606	10,080,927	8,501,995	9,505,216
Personalty—						
Liens on Wool	1,935,660	1,952 451	2,101,048	1,341,949	1,056,721	1,048,264
Mortgages on Live Stock...	3,176,725	2,059,381	2,254,290	1,705,245	1,418,884	1,518,887
Liens on Growing Crops ...	159,007	181,432	219,392	202,605	151,334	161,216
Mortgages on Ships (only)	19,833	24,997	14,407	25,795	30,662	10,492
Mortgages on Shipping Appliances	Not known.	18,455	Not known.	Not known.	14,443	24,808
Bills of Sale	Amounts not available.					
DISCHARGED.						
Realty—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Under Deeds Registration Act	1,864,021	2,060,696	2,505,730	3,106,361	2,108,981	2,591,525
Under Real Property Act...	1,927,794	2,083,092	2,715,443	2,798,795	2,689,520	2,774,495
Total	3,791,815	4,143,788	5,221,173	5,905,156	4,798,501	5,366,020
Personalty—						
Liens on Wool	Mature at the end of each Season.					
Mortgages on Live Stock...	1,062,827	496,041	1,053,863	886,218	549,064	821,644
Liens on Growing Crops ...	Mature at the end of each Season.					
Mortgages on Ships (only)	26,988	16,273	19,760	18,783	19,836	16,661
Mortgages on Shipping Appliances	Not known.			651	5,640	1,514
Bills of Sale	Amounts not available.					

No. 116.—Patents.

APPLICATIONS FOR LETTERS PATENT, AND CERTIFICATES OF PROVISIONAL PROTECTION REGISTERED, 1889-98.

Country.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897	1898.	Total registered under "1887 Act."
British Empire—											
Australasia—											
New South Wales	344	315	330	276	253	300	305	295	266	267	3,273
Victoria	163	150	161	140	134	154	137	157	165	153	1,658
Queensland	16	16	16	20	14	20	14	20	19	15	184
South Australia	16	27	32	27	20	30	21	38	42	30	310
Western Australia	..	1	..	1	1	3	3	6	7	11	33
Tasmania	..	5	1	3	3	5	5	6	10	8	47
New Zealand	27	43	38	29	33	44	75	89	88	6	585
United Kingdom	137	145	131	112	76	101	106	142	150	151	1,358
Canada	1	1	6	4	2	3	7	2	12	2	47
Cape Colony	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	4
Fiji	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
India	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	2
Foreign Countries—											
Argentine Republic	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	3
Austria	4	1	5	1	..	2	1	..	2	2	19
Belgium	..	2	2	..	1	..	2	2	4	6	20
Denmark	..	..	1	1	1	..	1	2	2	3	11
France	5	6	6	3	4	2	12	8	12	21	87
New Caledonia	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3
Germany	9	6	6	15	10	7	10	15	13	10	113
Hawaiian Islands	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Italy	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	4	1	8
Japan	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1
Portugal	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2
Russia	2	..	..	..	1	1	1	1	..	..	9
South African Republic (Transvaal)	..	1	..	3	..	..	2	2	13	3	24
Spain	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
Cuba	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Sweden	3	2	1	1	3	1	..		4	3	28
Norway	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	2
Switzerland	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	1	4
United States	66	43	53	66	49	45	72	66	96	70	672
Total under "1887 Act"	796	768	792	704	606	720	779	859	913	834	8,513

Duration of Patents.—The period for which Letters Patent remain in force varies from seven to fourteen years, generally for the latter period; a Certificate of Provisional Protection can, however, only be granted for twelve months from date of issue. A patent granted in New South Wales only protects the holder or holders within the boundaries of the Colony.

ASSIGNMENTS, &c., 1889-98.

Year.	Applications for Letters Patent to supersede Certificates.	Assignments registered.	Licenses registered.	Year.	Applications for Letters Patent to supersede Certificates	Assignments registered.	Licenses registered.
1889	89	84	3	1895	88	104	17
1890	105	100	2	1896	111	91	12
1891	101	111	3	1897	103	112	18
1892	82	105	8	1898	110	104	10
1893	77	113	19				
1894	81	80	44	Total	947	1,004	136

Assignment of Patents and Licenses.—Letters Patent and Certificates may be assigned, and the grantee of Letters Patent may issue licenses for the manufacture or use of his invention. All assignments and licenses, unless registered by the Examiner, are null and void.

FEES PAID, 1889-98.

Year.	Applications— For Letters Patent.	Applications— To supersede Certificates of Provisional Protection.	Applications— For Certificates of Provisional Protection.	Caveats, Searches, Licenses, &c.	Total Fees received under "1887 Act."
	£	£	£	£	£
1889	2,590	267	556	77	3,490
1890	2,470	315	548	88	3,421
1891	2,700	303	504	87	3,594
1892	2,480	246	416	109	3,251
1893	1,830	231	480	102	2,643
1894	2,050	243	620	89	3,002
1895	2,390	264	602	99	3,355
1896	2,725	333	628	88	3,774
1897	2,845	309	688	107	3,949
1898	2,560	330	644	103	3,637
Total	24,640	2,841	5,686	949	34,116

Under the 1887 Act the fees for complete Letters Patent were reduced to £5, and provision was then made for the issue of Certificates of Provisional Protection on payment of a fee of £2, which may, if application be made within twelve months from granting, be converted into an application for a Patent on the payment of an additional £3.

No. 117.—Trade Mark Certificates.

Year.	Applications.		Transfers.	Fees received.	Year.	Applications.		Transfers.	Fees received.
	Received.	Granted.				Received.	Granted.		
				£					£
1881	122	*	Nil.	384	1890	414	379	34	1,241
1882	186	*	1	586	1891	425	370	34	1,233
1883	238	*	9	750	1892	365	327	19	1,103
1884	241	*	14	759	1893	394	304	63	1,071
1885	209	*	12	658	1894	546	381	94	1,430
1886	385	*	5	1,213	1895	516	397	52	1,450
1887	291	*	17	916	1896	475	355	26	1,389
1888	375	*	25	1,181	1897	467	361	64	1,542
1889	275	*	8	866	1898	453	311	50	1,304

Cost of Registration.—An application for Registration costs £3 3s., and a transfer of a Trade-mark, £1 1s. No charges, however, are made for applications withdrawn or refused, excepting in cases where gazetting is demanded by the applicant.

*Information not readily available.

No. 118.—Copyright.

Summary of Receipts and Expenditure, 1891–98.

Year.	Registrations.	Receipts.	Disbursements. (Salaries.)	Year.	Registrations.	Receipts.	Disbursements. (Salaries.)
	No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		No.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1891	88	34 15 0	420 0 0	1895	146	50 15 0	543 0 0
1892	156	45 15 0	550 13 0	1896	112	41 12 0	369 6 11
1893	87	31 11 0	543 0 0	1897	177	53 2 0	Nil.
1894	179	52 6 0	543 0 0	1898	209	59 4 0	Nil.

The Copyright Act (42 Vic., No. 20) was passed in May, 1879, and became law on the 1st July following. Under the International Copyright Act, 1886 (49 and 50 Vic., clause 33), and the Orders in Council thereunder, the greater part of the body of Imperial Copyright law applicable to literary and artistic works together with the Copyright Convention of Berne, became reciprocally applicable to Great Britain and the countries that are parties to the Convention, namely:—Great Britain with her Colonies and Possessions, France and her Colonies (including Algiers), Germany, Italy, Spain with her Colonies, Switzerland, Luxembourg, Monaco, Hayti, Belgium, Montenegro, and Tunis; consequently, it is now possible for Colonial Copyright works to receive International protection within the limitations prescribed by law. The same Act places Colonial Copyright in literary works upon the same footing as Imperial Copyright, that is to say, a work first published in a colony may by registration in such colony obtain protection throughout the British dominions. The registrations effected under the Act up to the end of 1898 amounted in number to 2,634, receipts to £822, and disbursements (salaries) to £5,900.

Duration of Copyright.—Books are protected for the natural life of the author and for 7 years after his death, or for 42 years from first publication, whichever may be the longer period; paintings, drawings, sculpture, and engravings, for 14 years; photographs, 3 years; articles composed wholly or chiefly of metal, wood, stone, cement, glass, earthenware, ivory, bone, and similar substances, 3 years; paperhangings, carpets, oilcloths, and all kinds of textile and woven articles, 2 years. To obtain the benefits of the Act in reference to designs, every article must bear the word "Registered," together with the name of the proprietor and the date of registration.

PART X.

HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES.

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	Government Labour Bureau—	
43.	Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment, 1893–99	815
44.	Relief, 1896–99	819
	State Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute—	
45.	Average Annual Cost per Inmate of each Asylum, year ended June, 1899	819
46.	Average Weekly Cost per Inmate of each Asylum, year ended June, 1899	819
	Charitable Institutions and Societies—	
47.	Indoor and Outdoor Relief, Revenue and Expenditure, &c., 1898...	820
48.	Expenditure, 1894–98	828
49.	Inmates and Deaths during years, 1894–98	831
50.	Revenue and Expenditure, 1894–98	831

PART X.—HOSPITALS AND CHARITIES.

No. 1.—Expenditure by the State on Hospitals and Charities, during the year ended 30th June, 1899.

Head of Service.		Amount.
Hospitals and Charities—		£
Medical Adviser to the Government ...		11,351
Medical Board		158
Board of Health ...	Loans ...	2,022
	Revenue	16,365
Government Analyst		1,164
Hospitals for Insane (including Master-in-Lunacy Department).	Loans ...	22,662
	Revenue	108,681
Sydney Hospital ...	Loans ...	40
	Revenue	4,700
Rent of Premises, Moorcliff and Victoria Lodge		350
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	Loans ...	4,833
	Revenue	14,662
Prince Alfred Hospital		4,000
Carrington Centennial Hospital ...		767
Hospital for Sick Children		1,125
Rent of Premises		250
Country and Suburban Hospitals—		
Special Grants		8,838
General Subsidy		31,995
In aid of Building Funds		1,415
Aborigines' Protection Board... ...		12,374
Department of Charitable Institutions—		
Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute.	Loans ...	3,974
	Revenue	58,347
State Children's Relief		54,422
Royal Commission on Charities ...		780
Report, &c., Old Age Pensions ...		39
*Labour and Industry Branch... ...		6,849
Painting Railings, Centennial Park, and other Public Parks... ...		11,658
Labour Settlements		92

Head of Service.	Amount.
In aid of Charitable Institutions, &c.—	£
Maintenance of Sick Paupers ...	15,030
Support of Women and Children in Benevolent Asylums, &c. ...	3,998
Maintenance of Deserted Children, Paupers, Relief, &c.	8,974
Benevolent Society, Sydney ...	2,426
,, ,, Newcastle ...	3,500
Sydney Rescue Work Society ...	800
Part purchase of land for Ragged School, Glebe	52
Salvation Army	300
Burial of Destitute Persons ...	698
Central Mission	200
Metropolitan Charities Association.	775
Infants' Home, Ashfield	500
City Night Refuge and Reformatory	50
Grant for services in providing shelter for poor people	25
Sailors' Home—	
Sydney	350
Newcastle	350
National Shipwreck Relief Society.	250
Relief and Conveyance of Distressed Seamen	52
Exchange on Remittances to Distressed Persons	26
Railway Claims for Transmission of Paupers	2,218
Eddy Orphanage	2,500
Relief to Sufferers by Floods ...	50
Dudley Colliery Relief	200
Ambulance Classes...	103
Unemployed Advisory Board ...	50
Seed to Distressed Farmers ...	2,926
Total Expenditure ... £	430,316

* Expenditure on account of Unemployed and Relief Work cannot be separated.

Section I.—

No. 2.—Hospital Staffs, Accommodation, Patients Admitted

Hospitals.	Nursing Staff.		Accommodation.				Indoor				
			Beds.				Admissions.				
	Matrons and Sub-Matrons	Sisters, Nurses, Probationers, and Wardsmen.	For Ordinary Cases.	For Infectious Cases.	Total.	Average Cubic Space per Bed.	Inmates on 1st Jan., 1898, from previous year.			Admitted during 1898.	Total.
							M.	F.	Total.		
METROPOLITAN.											
Government—											
Sydney (Coast, Little Bay) ..	1	47	227	59	286	cubic ft. 907	141	66	207	2,487	2,694
Subsidised—											
Balmain, Cottage	1	3	22	..	22	952	2	1	3	113	116
Camperdown (Prince Alfred) ..	1	67	230	6	236	1,490	138	97	235	3,471	3,706
Croydon (Western Suburbs Cottage)..	1	5	13	..	13	1,096	4	3	7	142	149
Glebe (for Sick Children) ..	1	24	52	12	64	650	26	23	49	552	601
Kogarah (St. George Cottage) ..	1	4	11	..	11	995	1	4	5	107	112
Manly, Cottage	1	3	10	2	12	1,099	1	6	7	132	139
North Sydney (North Shore) ..	1	6	17	6	23	1,036	4	6	10	365	375
Sydney	1	73	312	6	318	1,739	179	107	286	3,618	3,904
†† ,, Women's	1	12	27	..	27	709	....	4	4	147	151
Unsubsidised—											
Sydney (St. Vincent's)	1	38	160	..	160	1,787	64	44	108	1,557	1,665
§Lewisham (for Women and Children)..	2	4	34	..	34	840	....	11	11	286	297
‖Parramatta River (Thomas Walker, Convalescent) ..	1	6	76	1	77	1,271	32	39	71	860	931
Total, Metropolitan ..	14	292	1,191	92	1,283	....	592	411	1,003	13,837	14,840
COUNTRY.											
Subsidised—											
Albury	2	4	24	11	35	954	21	3	24	379	403
Armidale and New England ..	1	4	29	3	32	1,306	10	4	14	193	207
Ballina	1	1	12	..	12	984	6	..	6	68	74
Balranald	....	2	8	5	13	1,591	5	2	7	73	80
Barraba	2	....	8	2	10	984	5	..	5	84	89
Bathurst	2	8	32	3	35	1,513	13	6	19	417	436
Bega	1	3	11	4	15	981	1	1	2	84	86
Berrima, Cottage (Bowral) ..	1	3	7	4	11	1,217	6	..	6	120	126
Bingara	1	1	6	3	9	1,944	2	..	2	57	59
Bombala	1	1	7	2	9	1,255	2	..	2	17	19
Bourke	1	3	28	8	36	1,391	19	1	20	408	428
Braidwood	1	1	10	9	19	1,593	2	1	3	75	78
Brewarrina	1	1	10	2	12	1,301	4	..	4	117	121
Broken Hill	2	12	60	..	60	1,484	22	8	30	370	400
Bulli, Cottage	1	1	5	..	5	1,065	1	..	1	8	9
Camden (Carrington Centennial)	1	5	84	16	100	908	33	32	65	1,017	1,082
Carcoar	1	....	11	3	14	1,037	4	1	5	74	79
Casino	1	1	13	2	15	1,495	1	1	2	50	52
Cobar	1	1	7	2	9	767	6	..	6	116	122
Collarendebri	1	1	6	..	6	2,207	....	..	....	32	32
Condobolin	1	1	10	4	14	877	2	2	4	57	61
Cooma	1	1	11	..	11	1,210	7	..	7	39	46
Coonabarabran	1	....	7	1	8	983	4	..	4	38	42
Coonamble	1	3	8	6	14	1,048	6	2	8	128	136
Cootamundra	1	2	10	2	12	1,366	3	2	5	94	99
Corowa	1	3	10	2	12	1,366	9	..	9	183	192
Cowra	1	2	8	6	14	1,021	7	2	9	147	156
Deniliquin	1	1	25	2	27	857	4	1	5	130	135
Dubbo	1	4	13	12	25	948	12	3	15	245	260
Dungog, Cottage	1	2	7	2	9	1,768	1	..	1	50	51
Forbes	1	1	16	2	18	1,247	10	4	14	204	218
Glen Innes	1	3	12	4	16	1,134	3	1	4	87	91
Goodooga	1	1	6	..	6	1,538	1	..	1	41	42
Goulburn	....	8	30	16	46	1,234	13	7	20	319	339
Grafton	1	4	21	1	22	1,008	13	5	18	234	252
Grenfell	1	1	10	2	12	1,254	2	1	3	49	52
Gulgong	1	2	10	2	12	1,102	6	1	7	93	100
Gundagai, & Benevolent Society	1	2	7	3	10	1,061	7	2	9	83	92
Gunnedah	1	1	9	4	13	1,133	4	1	5	125	130

* No return received. † Attendances. ‡ Includes outdoor relief. § For year ended 30th June.
†† Information regarding patients

HOSPITALS.

and Discharged, &c., year ended 31st December, 1898.

Relief.												Outdoor Relief.		
Discharges and Deaths.					Patients remaining at end of 1898.			Average daily number resident.	Average residence of Discharged Patients	Total Cost—Maintenance and Treatment of Indoor Patients.	Rate of mortality on cases treated.	Number of Patients.		
Cured.	Relieved.	Unrelieved.	Died.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.					M.	F.	Total.
									days.	£	per cent.			
1,949	317	75	145	2,486	139	69	208	232	31	¶ 15,912	5·8	*	*	2,400
101	2	....	7	110	4	2	6	7	21	510	6·4	1,056	502	1,558
1,839	906	379	377	3,501	115	90	205	227	25	15,514	10·2	*	*	12,000
110	18	4	9	141	4	4	8	12	26	886	6·0	55	34	89
378	68	33	77	556	32	13	45	50	30	2,880	12·8	*	*	4,082
83	16	....	6	105	2	5	7	7	19	460	5·4	..	..	....
93	33	2	6	134	4	1	5	8	24	503	8·3	..	..	....
261	72	....	28	361	3	11	14	16	16	1,260	7·5	..	..	....
1,916	1,150	154	390	3,610	186	108	294	292	25	17,957	10·0	*	*	21,076
132	....	....	....	132	....	19	19	20	17	623	..	..	1,177	1,177
1,083	373	16	83	1,555	66	44	110	*	30	‡4,588	5·0	*	*	7,644
249	14	12	10	285	....	12	12	31	21	230	3·3	..	..	†1,616
652	200	8	1	861	32	38	70	71	31	*	0·1	..	..	....
8,846	3,169	683	1,139	13,837	587	416	1,003	....	....	61,323	7·7	..	..	51,642 **
225	109	7	35	376	26	1	27	25	19	1,517	8·7	163	81	244
145	39	....	13	197	6	4	10	16	30	1,187	6·3	38	18	56
61	7	....	3	71	3	....	3	4	22	431	4·1	1	..	1
50	12	1	11	74	6	....	6	5	21	‡693	13·8	67	54	121
62	9	5	9	85	4	....	4	4	14	450	10·0	6	4	10
295	66	....	48	409	17	10	27	28	26	‡1,408	11·0	50	17	67
67	10	1	4	82	2	2	4	5	24	477	4·7	..	..	....
82	28	1	9	120	6	....	6	5	15	569	6·6	..	..	....
39	8	2	6	55	1	3	4	2	17	362	9·5	..	..	....
14	1	....	3	18	1	....	1	1	19	263	15·8	18	26	44
298	60	....	40	398	21	9	30	31	28	2,138	9·3	*	*	*
47	20	....	8	75	3	....	3	4	19	308	10·3	..	..	....
98	8	4	7	117	4	....	4	4	13	597	5·8	64	11	75
263	33	15	61	372	21	7	28	34	37	4,243	15·3	..	..	....
5	3	....	1	9	....	....	....	1	18	178	11·1	..	..	....
955	50	14	4	1,023	31	28	59	76	26	2,703	0·4	..	..	....
59	9	1	8	77	1	1	2	3	16	369	10·1	26	9	35
39	5	....	5	49	1	2	3	2	13	317	9·6	..	..	....
79	20	....	13	112	9	1	10	7	25	633	10·7	..	..	....
22	6	....	3	31	1	....	1	1	13	325	9·7	..	..	.. .
34	23	....	2	59	1	1	2	4	30	‡461	3·3	24	8	32
33	6	....	2	41	5	....	5	3	24	302	4·3	7	10	17
23	7	....	10	40	2	....	2	2	27	228	23·8	..	..	....
80	44	....	8	132	2	2	4	9	25	‡793	5·9	89	31	120
82	5	....	8	95	4	....	4	4	18	549	8·1	..	..	....
135	23	4	21	183	7	2	9	12	18	976	10·9	202	31	233
119	20	....	8	147	6	3	9	7	15	486	5·1	..	..	....
100	13	....	14	127	8	....	8	9	28	‡1,137	10·3	149	36	185
165	55	1	23	244	14	2	16	14	20	‡830	8·8	96	58	154
38	5	1	4	48	2	1	3	1	21	399	7·9	..	..	....
148	37	....	21	206	8	4	12	13	20	763	9·6	52	26	78
66	6	....	14	86	5	....	5	4	17	425	15·4	..	..	....
25	10	....	1	36	5	1	6	2	21	439	2·4	..	..	....
223	67	....	31	321	14	4	18	23	25	1,258	9·2	15	32	47
164	59	3	13	239	10	3	13	13	21	‡899	5·2	*	*	397
23	19	1	5	48	3	1	4	3	25	‡312	9·6	10	2	12
63	11	....	16	90	8	2	10	8	34	‡441	16·0	32	19	51
58	14	1	12	85	7	....	7	7	27	‡613	13·0	55	16	71
102	6	....	12	120	4	6	10	7	21	‡537	9·2	66	24	90

‖ For year ended 30th September. ¶ Includes £1,418, cost of ambulance. ** Includes attendances.
is for previous year.

No. 2.—Hospital Staffs, Accommodation, Patients

Hospitals.	Nursing Staff.		Accommodation.				Indoor				
			Beds.				Admissions.				
	Matrons and Sub-Matrons	Sisters, Nurses, Probationers, and Wardsmen.	For Ordinary Cases.	For Infectious Cases.	Total.	Average Cubic Space per Bed.	Inmates on 1st Jan., 1898, from previous year.			Admitted during 1898.	Total.
							M.	F.	Total.		
COUNTRY—*continued.*											
Subsidised—*continued.*						cubic ft.					
Hay	1	3	26	6	32	1,249	8	7	15	247	262
Hill End and Tambaroora	1	....	7	4	11	3,020	2	..	2	22	24
Hillgrove, Cottage	1	1	10	7	17	730	4	1	5	51	56
Hillston	1	2	14	9	23	1,583	4	2	6	89	95
Inverell	1	1	16	6	22	1,152	10	3	13	130	143
§Jerilderie, Cottage	1	1	8	2	10	1,078	5	..	5	63	68
Junee, Cottage	1	2	8	3	11	943	2	..	2	113	115
Kiama, Cottage	1	2	8	2	10	1,302	1	1	2	60	62
Lismore	1	4	17	6	23	1,011	4	..	4	184	188
Lithgow, Cottage	1	1	6	1	7	1,148	4	2	6	66	72
Lower Clarence (Maclean)	1	2	11	2	13	1,704	2	..	2	113	115
Macleay (Kempsey)	1	2	14	10	24	951	9	..	9	151	160
Maitland	1	6	33	4	37	974	17	4	21	386	407
Manning River (Taree)	1	3	16	8	24	1,653	9	4	13	176	189
Merriwa	1	....	7	..	7	1,656	....	..	....	33	33
Molong	1	2	12	..	12	960	4	4	8	94	102
Moree	1	2	17	4	21	1,100	8	..	8	120	128
Moruya, Cottage	1	1	7	..	7	1,055	1	..	1	24	25
Mudgee	1	2	23	3	26	1,094	12	4	16	177	193
§Mungindi	1	1	6	..	6	1,248	....	..	....	36	36
Murrurundi	1	....	12	2	14	874	6	1	7	85	92
Muswellbrook	1	1	14	5	19	959	5	..	5	109	114
Narrabri and Benevolent Society	1	2	20	4	24	950	7	3	10	167	177
Narrandera	1	4	19	..	19	1,654	13	4	17	203	220
Nepean, Cottage (Penrith)	1	1	13	1	14	1,123	3	2	5	83	88
Newcastle	1	15	59	6	65	897	29	17	46	789	835
Nymagee	1	1	8	1	9	1,025	1	..	1	30	31
Nyngan, Cottage	1	....	8	..	8	1,095	5	..	5	93	98
Orange	1	4	21	8	29	1,231	9	6	15	317	332
Parkes	1	3	14	7	21	1,601	12	6	18	218	236
Parramatta	1	7	24	4	28	2,194	11	13	24	256	280
Peak Hill	1	....	8	1	9	1,215	1	1	2	56	58
Queanbeyan	1	....	9	4	13	989	5	..	5	50	55
Scone	1	1	12	..	12	1,464	7	5	12	187	199
§Silverton	....	1	15	..	15	2,105	4	..	4	30	34
Singleton Benevolent Society	1	3	24	..	24	1,674	9	5	14	94	108
Sofala	1	....	4	..	4	540	1	..	1	7	8
Tamworth	1	3	20	7	27	1,228	18	4	22	240	262
Temora	1	2	14	6	20	1,506	7	1	8	107	115
§Tenterfield	1	1	9	2	11	901	3	1	4	45	49
Tibooburra	1	1	7	..	7	1,153	3	1	4	37	41
Urana	1	....	9	7	16	1,779	8	..	8	135	143
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville)	1	1	10	..	10	1,188	1	..	1	35	36
Wagga Wagga	1	4	28	5	33	1,243	12	4	16	453	469
Walcha, Cottage	1	1	6	2	8	1,341	1	2	3	49	52
Walgett	1	2	13	..	13	1,067	7	1	8	135	143
Wallsend	1	4	22	..	22	1,592	9	5	14	170	184
Warialda	1	2	9	3	12	1,462	2	..	2	52	54
Warren	1	1	8	3	11	1,214	4	1	5	118	123
Wellington	1	1	10	3	13	882	5	..	5	84	89
Wentworth	1	....	15	6	21	1,152	4	1	5	102	107
Wilcannia	1	1	23	7	30	1,351	14	..	14	150	164
Windsor (Hawkesbury Ben. Soc.)	1	2	50	6	56	806	23	10	33	115	148
Wollongong	1	....	12	7	19	981	2	..	2	51	53
Wyalong	1	3	8	..	8	1,564	5	3	8	104	112
Yass	1	3	14	2	16	1,249	8	1	9	136	145
Young (Burrangong District)	1	3	12	4	16	1,246	6	2	8	129	137
Unsubsidised—											
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	1	7	18	2	20	1,240	11	8	19	205	224
Total, Country	98	218	1,475	342	1,817	....	664	234	898	13,866	14,764
SUMMARY.											
Metropolitan	14	292	1,191	92	1,283	....	592	411	1,003	13,837	14,840
Country	98	218	1,475	342	1,817	....	664	234	898	13,866	14,764
Total, New South Wales	112	510	2,666	434	3,100	....	1,256	645	1,901	27,703	29,604

* No return received. † Includes Outdoor Relief.

Admitted and Discharged, &c., 1898—*continued.*

Relief.												Outdoor Relief.		
Discharges and Deaths.					Patients remaining at end of 1898.			Average daily number resident.	Average residence of Discharged Patients	Total Cost—Maintenance and Treatment of Indoor Patients.	Rate of mortality on cases treated.	Number of Patients.		
Cured.	Relieved.	Unrelieved.	Died.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.					M.	F.	Total.
									days.	£	per cent.			
171	49	....	25	245	13	4	17	17	24	1,439	9·5	234	176	410
10	13	1	....	24	....	....	....	1	3	301	..	16	17	33
40	7	1	4	52	2	2	4	4	29	514	7·1	..	..	....
48	28	5	6	87	6	2	8	4	17	†636	6·8	105	95	200
119	11	....	4	134	8	1	9	8	22	636	2·7	16	8	24
41	17	....	8	66	2	....	2	4	24	442	11·8	..	..	12
78	12	....	10	100	10	5	15	6	22	507	8·7	..	..	....
47	9	....	1	57	4	1	5	4	29	361	1·6	..	..	....
112	53	.. .	12	177	9	2	11	8	29	†700	6·4	20	7	27
44	15	2	6	67	4	1	5	3	19	291	8·3	..	..	....
82	27	....	5	114	1	....	1	4	14	†469	4·4	22	11	33
96	48	7	5	156	4	....	4	9	27	†606	3·1	21	9	30
325	31	....	30	386	17	4	21	23	20	†1,627	7·4	120	52	172
154	13	7	8	182	5	2	7	13	26	860	4·2	..	..	....
29	....	....	4	33	....	....	....	3	19	222	12·1	..	..	....
61	19	1	12	93	6	3	9	9	18	†605	11·8	..	..	....
89	21	1	9	120	6	2	8	8	33	625	7·0	..	..	....
18	6	....	1	25	....	....	....	1	17	163	4·0	..	..	....
113	44	1	22	180	8	5	13	14	28	766	11·4	..	..	....
32	....	....	4	36	....	....	....	*	*	447	11·1	6	..	6
73	9	1	6	89	2	1	3	5	24	461	6·5	..	..	....
77	17	6	4	104	5	5	10	9	30	470	3·5	*	*	8
15	33	....	14	162	11	4	15	7	32	600	7·9	..	..	....
145	35	....	26	206	12	2	14	15	25	999	11·8	*	*	396
69	8	1	10	88	....	....	....	4	24	494	11·4	39	27	66
618	78	18	79	793	25	17	42	47	21	†2,810	9·4	551	329	880
14	12	....	5	31	....	....	....	1	15	239	16·1	..	..	....
52	25	9	8	94	4	....	4	7	24	572	8·2	34	8	42
233	50	3	22	308	17	7	24	15	18	881	6·6	..	..	....
163	41	....	14	218	12	6	18	14	26	859	5·9	..	..	....
214	26	2	25	267	8	5	13	20	21	†1,443	8·9	333	389	722
41	12	....	3	56	2	....	2	3	21	367	5·2	14	8	22
34	14	3	2	53	1	1	2	3	21	289	3·6	..	..	....
129	53	....	11	193	5	1	6	9	17	589	5·5	..	3	3
19	8	....	5	32	2	....	2	1	15	406	14·7	..	..	....
48	31	3	10	92	10	6	16	16	42	491	9·3	11	31	42
5	1	....	2	8	....	....	....	4	18	84	25·0	..	..	....
192	26	6	21	245	13	4	17	17	25	1,094	8·0	..	..	....
98	3	....	11	112	3	....	3	6	17	†642	9·6	25	18	43
23	13	2	7	45	4	....	4	*	16	357	14·3	..	..	....
24	12	1	2	39	2	....	2	3	24	689	4·9	42	8	50
83	41	4	7	135	6	2	8	9	19	†750	4·9	74	..	74
24	8	....	4	36	....	....	....	2	19	261	11·1	..	..	....
392	34	....	28	454	12	3	15	21	17	†1,235	5·9	..	..	....
28	11	....	6	45	4	3	7	1	7	339	11·5	..	..	....
103	20	3	15	141	2	....	2	6	17	882	10·5	21	9	30
130	5	12	17	164	15	5	20	14	25	110	9·2	..	..	....
42	5	....	5	52	1	1	2	2	15	311	9·3	22	8	30
82	27	....	8	117	4	2	6	6	17	501	6·5	69	3	72
49	25	....	9	83	6	....	6	3	14	401	10·2	..	..	....
84	11	2	5	102	5	....	5	5	17	†566	4·7	70	30	100
89	43	....	20	152	12	....	12	13	20	1,456	12·2	94	25	119
71	34	4	12	121	24	3	27	32	57	727	8·1	14	16	30
34	11	1	1	47	4	2	6	3	21	174	1·9	..	..	....
80	8	....	15	103	6	3	9	8	27	622	13·4	..	..	....
99	19	4	13	135	9	1	10	9	22	968	9·0	..	..	....
100	17	....	10	127	5	5	10	9	21	660	7·3	..	..	....
134	62	5	9	210	9	5	14	*	33	541	4·0	331	209	540
10,305	2,244	178	1,163	13,890	646	228	874	....	....	68,573	7·9	..	..	6,356
Summary.														
8,846	3,169	683	1,139	13,837	587	416	1,003	....	....	61,323	7·7	..	..	‡51,642
10,305	2,244	178	1,163	13,890	646	228	874	....	....	68,573	7·9	..	..	6,356
19,151	5,413	861	2,302	27,727	1,233	644	1,877	....	....	129,896	7·8	..	..	‡57,998

‡ Includes attendances. § The return is for the year 1897.

No. 3.—Number of Hospitals, Accommodation, Patients, and Deaths, 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
METROPOLITAN.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	11	11	12	13	13
Beds in Hospitals	1,191	1,195	1,214	1,232	1,283
Indoor Patients	12,340	13,536	14,025	14,447	14,840
Deaths in Hospitals	867	907	1,012	990	1,139
Outdoor Patients	38,316	*150,241	*105,284	*107,860	51,642
COUNTRY.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	92	94	95	95	97
Beds in Hospitals	1,664	1,727	1,761	1,786	1,817
Indoor Patients	11,242	12,061	12,672	13,196	14,764
Deaths in Hospitals	815	922	1,047	1,026	1,163
Outdoor Patients	5,971	6,516	5,809	7,732	6,356
NEW SOUTH WALES.					
Hospitals from which Returns were received	103	105	107	108	110
Beds in Hospitals	2,855	2,922	2,975	3,018	3,100
Indoor Patients	23,582	25,597	26,697	27,643	29,604
Deaths in Hospitals	1,682	1,829	2,059	2,016	2,302
Outdoor Patients	44,287	*156,757	*111,093	*115,592	57,998

* As the number of attendances of outdoor patients at the Sydney Hospital was furnished this year, and not the number of distinct patients, the figures cannot be compared with those of 1894 and 1898.

No. 4.—Number of Indoor Patients in Hospitals on the 31st December, 1889–98.

Year.	Metropolitan.			Country.			New South Wales.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1889	486	269	755	443	113	556	929	382	1,311
1890	475	270	745	451	98	549	926	368	1,294
1891	487	272	759	463	114	577	950	386	1,336
1892	550	289	839	452	111	563	1,002	400	1,402
1893	515	321	836	489	140	629	1,004	461	1,465
1894	520	350	870	597	174	771	1,117	524	1,641
1895	529	405	934	575	199	774	1,104	604	1,708
1896	534	405	939	578	206	784	1,112	611	1,723
1897	591	427	1,018	638	224	862	1,229	651	1,880
1898	587	416	1,003	646	228	874	1,233	644	1,877

No. 5.—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, 1894–98.

Year.	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Government.	Subscriptions, Donations, and Contributions.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN.								
1894	33,879	16,950	3,280	54,109	5,564	45,973	4,897	56,434
1895	35,621	20,428	2,809	58,858	6,428	48,545	5,337	60,310
1896	41,275	20,389	3,462	65,126	3,130	51,743	5,283	60,156
1897	41,985	21,382	3,733	67,100	5,523	53,868	5,740	65,131
1898	48,398	23,564	3,899	75,861	8,131	61,036	4,968	74,135
COUNTRY.								
1894	36,211	31,823	4,040	72,074	8,645	52,052	6,636	67,333
1895	36,591	28,748	5,408	70,747	9,552	51,438	6,186	67,176
1896	34,502	34,070	3,341	71,913	8,308	56,732	7,889	72,929
1897	31,233	35,143	5,051	71,427	7,786	58,780	7,022	73,588
1898	35,400	37,165	5,172	77,737	7,951	62,719	6,846	77,516
NEW SOUTH WALES.								
1894	70,090	48,773	7,320	126,183	14,209	98,025	11,533	123,767
1895	72,212	49,176	8,217	129,605	15,980	99,983	11,523	127,486
1896	75,777	54,459	6,803	137,039	11,438	108,475	13,172	133,085
1897	73,218	56,525	8,784	138,527	13,309	112,648	12,762	138,719
1898	83,798	60,729	9,071	153,598	16,082	123,755	11,814	151,651

No. 6.—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, year ended 31st December, 1898.

Hospitals	Revenue.							Expenditure.				
	Government.	Subscriptions.	Donations.	Contributions by Patients.	Interest on Invested Funds.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance.	Buildings and Repairs.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.												
Government :—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney—(Coast, Little Bay)	20,910	..	..	..	..	..	20,910	3,884	10,324	4,998	1,704	20,910
Subsidised :—												
Balmain, Cottage ..	566	501		71	16	13	1,167	357	415	27	60	859
Camperdown (P. Alfred)	10,825	2,403	3,501	2,414	631	371	20,145	7,964	7,442	1,088	786	17,280
Croydon (Western Suburbs, Cottage) ..	1,007	134	597	50	..	2	1,790	372	401	223	124	1,120
Glebe (Sick Children's)	1,480	1,818		408	27	..	3,733	1,463	1,417	207	428	3,515
Kogarah (St. George Cottage)	279	70	226	..	..	7	582	129	298	4	29	460
Manly Cottage	571	524		52	..	2	1,149	176	280	500	30	986
N. Sydney (N. Shore) ..	407	224	423	139	10	16	1,219	428	757	29	92	1,306
Sydney	11,777	2,485		2,296	1,053	309	17,920	7,338	11,564	866	1,562	21,330
,, Women's ..	576	86	57	184	..	584	1,487	209	1,045	36	31	1,321
Unsubsidised :—												
Sydney (St. Vincent's).	....	714	368	3,118	..	828	5,028	1,261	3,052	153	122	4,588
Lewisham (Women and Children)	....	146	184	371	..	30	731	..	460	..	..	460
Parramatta River (Thos. Walker Convalescent).	....	..	..	..	..	..	*....	..	....	..	..	*....
Total Metropolitan.	48,398	14,461		9,103	1,737	2,162	75,861	23,581	37,455	8,131	4,968	74,135
COUNTRY.												
Subsidised :—												
Albury	1,047	282	296	55	22	205	1,907	646	750	22	99	1,517
Armidale & New England	180	252	117	298	63	..	910	431	494	188	74	1,187
Ballina	258	61	121	43	..	3	486	225	150	92	40	507
Balranald	349	304	..	10	7	1	671	434	180	11	67	692
Barraba	80	62	27	22	123	34	348	239	192	..	29	460
Bathurst	459	523		182	230	14	1,408	683	572	58	96	1,409
Bega	235	130	88	45	9	..	507	245	179	9	44	477
Berrima Cottage, (Bowral)	408	99	224	101	9	..	841	273	231	131	66	701
Bingara	172	138	32	18	..	..	360	169	112	38	28	347
Bombala	184	21	142	6	6	..	359	163	72	..	43	278
Bourke	415	827		152	30	..	1,424	911	1,013	105	214	2,243
Braidwood	53	26	133	31	..	..	243	119	155	8	25	307
Brewarrina	486	255	177	50	25	1	994	304	282	54	71	711
Broken Hill	3,131	2,177		217	..	266	5,791	1,655	2,114	188	285	4,242
Bulli, Cottage	73	26	19	6	5	31	160	56	84	21	17	178
Camden (Carrington Centennial)	1,965	627	112	91	23	125	2,943	967	1,143	241	559	2,910
Carcoar	222	195	..	35	11	..	463	153	195	2	28	378
Casino	159	58	85	36	..	6	344	163	114	2	38	317
Cobar	237	94	275	37	5	..	648	269	331	6	85	691
Collarendebri	340	137		1	..	..	478	216	99	379	51	745
Condobolin	312	128	34	37	..	4	515	256	175	8	22	461
Cooma	129	40	112	..	..	..	281	158	114	..	35	307
Coonabarabran	131	59	..	12	..	45	247	155	95	4	20	274
Coonamble	536	151	228	75	2	17	1,009	332	406	105	56	899
Cootamundra	150	85	126	28	10	10	409	213	292	36	44	585
Corowa	494	303		13	9	115	934	367	477	90	75	1,009
Cowra	201	62	14	143	11	152	583	154	287	23	50	514
Deniliquin	417	437		49	..	208	1,111	415	402	300	132	1,249
Dubbo	407	226	..	43	7	145	828	261	449	48	138	896
Dungog, Cottage ..	278	44	75	51	6	30	484	228	129	..	42	399
Forbes	184	59	242	129	..	3	617	255	437	10	60	762
Glen Innes	132	55	125	113	..	2	427	193	191	26	40	450
Goodooga	261	135	..	..	..	1	397	258	150	119	31	558
Goulburn	757	340	282	193	..	57	1,629	462	680	17	125	1,284
Grafton	292	75	198	177	20	45	807	347	477	20	55	899
Grenfell	341	67	187	38	..	..	633	134	137	8	35	314
Gulgong	202	42	167	104		..	521	151	240	2	58	451
Gundagai, and Benevolent Society	266	52	327	76	..	..	721	215	331	5	62	613
Gunnedah	239	216	42	50	133	20	700	288	247	14	36	585
Hay	787	609	..	225	74	85	1,780	556	684	121	116	1,477
Hill End & Tambaroora	162	39	..	7	18	92	318	203	102	23	3	331
Hillgrove, Cottage ..	322	..	276	43	21	..	662	320	145	14	35	514
Hillston	356	322		42	..	..	720	336	236	10	54	636

* No return received.

No. 6.—Revenue and Expenditure of Hospitals, &c., 1898—*continued.*

Hospitals.	Revenue.							Expenditure.				
	Government.	Subscriptions.	Donations.	Contributions by Patients.	Interest on Invested Funds.	Other Sources.	Total.	Salaries.	Maintenance.	Buildings and Repairs.	Miscellaneous.	Total.
					COUNTRY—*continued.*							
Subsidised—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Inverell	294	157	77	43	5	..	576	279	289	41	33	642
*Jerilderie, Cottage ..	112	182	50	12	..	4	360	203	188	47	68	506
Junee, Cottage	213	128	126	42	..	..	509	161	288	..	58	507
Kiama, Cottage.. ..	121	80	48	26	47	4	326	218	112	11	20	361
Lismore	368	463		107	33	13	984	281	350	253	82	966
Lithgow, Cottage ..	209	33	247	55	65	..	609	132	142	47	18	339
L'r Clarence (Maclean)	173	83	125	43	6	..	430	251	172	12	35	470
Macleay (Kempsey) ..	....	120	71	110	23	22	346	250	288	19	50	607
Maitland	615	152	217	162	298	1	1,445	735	943	135	150	1,963
Manning River (Taree)..	412	131	306	219	15	9	1,092	344	403	19	94	860
Merriwa	55	127	..	17	..	..	199	92	85	14	31	222
Molong	351	439		60	10	..	860	224	284	442	97	1,047
Moree	257	83	197	30	18	..	585	348	223	23	61	655
Moruya, Cottage ..	59	20	81	37	..	2	199	108	31	8	16	163
†Mossgiel	656	271	..	..	..	..	927	64	99	711	37	911
Mudgee	90	174	190	107	..	..	561	334	312	27	93	766
*Mungindi	556	..	141	25	..	1	723	200	247	..	86	533
Murrurundi	175	237	..	12	11	..	435	223	184	26	27	460
Muswellbrook	304	124	81	71	9	..	589	174	247	8	43	472
Narrabri, and Benevolent Society	477	96	87	39	..	152	851	334	189	13	73	609
Narrandera	302	222	302	51	61	..	938	395	564	28	133	1,120
Nepean Cottage (Penrith)	292	105	90	12	..	47	546	246	286	19	56	607
Newcastle	1,332	919		1,180	8	5	3,444	1,090	1,322	566	211	3,189
Nymagee	204	3	94	8	..	..	309	92	99	19	26	236
Nyngan, Cottage ..	191	..	256	29	..	27	503	219	268	19	71	577
Orange	497	306	198	75	..	..	1,076	368	462	34	66	930
Parkes	413	202	102	138	9	10	874	310	397	95	140	942
Parramatta	792	239	289	144	24	27	1,515	459	833	95	55	1,442
Peak Hill	197	97	112	25	10	5	446	159	141	23	46	369
Queanbeyan	177	145		47	..	..	369	134	160	45	25	364
Scone	419	264	529	..	13	..	1,225	225	336	378	32	971
*Silverton	42	14	75	69	7	..	207	204	200	..	3	407
Singleton	273	41	74	125	..	165	678	174	373	12	61	620
Sofala	73	26	5	7	3	1	115	28	52	19	4	103
Tamworth	397	435		134	..	137	1,103	419	561	32	82	1,094
Temora	578	74	182	20	3	108	965	254	316	160	72	802
*Tenterfield	87	103	..	16	46	21	273	130	124	38	52	344
Tibooburra	630	236	..	22	..	29	917	405	253	..	41	699
Urana	308	193	..	13	31	11	556	325	341	28	56	750
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville)	130	132	..	4	..	..	266	107	101	2	50	260
Wagga Wagga	542	477		104	44	8	1,175	434	724	297	77	1,532
Walcha, Cottage ..	125	121	102	21	36	..	405	152	159	82	28	421
Walgett	379	318	20	64	..	4	785	540	292	14	114	960
Wallsend	689	382	149	45	..	..	1,265	302	626	238	172	1,338
Warialda	164	188	..	42	9	..	403	215	62	6	32	315
Warren	240	153	89	57	..	66	605	207	240	17	57	521
Wellington	168	16	138	25	..	..	347	154	158	64	30	406
Wentworth	312	248	..	4	..	..	564	363	149	39	54	605
Wilcannia	866	607		136	4	37	1,650	634	762	238	204	1,838
Windsor (Hawkesbury Benevolent Society)..	227	91	66	61	155	167	767	213	536	93	84	926
Wollongong	125	27	100	41	55	..	348	178	150	52	24	404
Wyalong	278	..	217	12	2	102	611	292	277	..	46	615
Yass	431	418		162	101	3	1,115	315	597	773	52	1,737
Young (Burrangong District)	214	117	169	40	53	..	593	267	285	12	105	669
Unsubsidised :—												
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	....	218		169	..	168	555	68	482	..	30	580
Total, Country ..	35,400	29,762		7,403	2,099	3,073	77,737	29,610	33,109	7,951	6,846	77,516
					SUMMARY.							
Metropolitan	48,398	14,461		9,103	1,737	2,162	75,861	23,581	37,455	8,131	4,968	74,135
Country	35,400	29,762		7,403	2,099	3,073	77,737	29,610	33,109	7,951	6,846	77,516
Total, New South Wales	83,798	44,223		16,506	3,836	5,235	153,598	53,191	70,564	16,082	11,814	151,651

* The return is for the year 1897. † Hospital opened, October, 1898.

No. 7.—Diseases of Patients Treated in Hospitals, year ended 31st December, 1898.

Hospitals.	Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases.	Parasitic Diseases.	Dietetic Diseases.	Constitutional. [Also Developmental Diseases as noted.]	Local Diseases.	Violence.	Ill-defined and not-specified causes.	Total.
METROPOLITAN.								
Government—								
Sydney (Coast, Little Bay)	1,517	....	45	207	718	76	131	2,694
Subsidised—								
Balmain, Cottage	2	....	....	....	45	69	.....	116
Camperdown (Prince Alfred)	386	54	19	§§367	2,280	404	196	3,706
Croydon (Western Suburbs, Cottage)..	30	1	....	14	65	32	7	149
Glebe (for Sick Children)	201	3	2	¶44	318	17	16	601
Kogarah (St. George Cottage) ..	14	....	....	*4	59	27	8	112
Manly, Cottage	12	1	....	*12	85	22	7	139
North Sydney (North Shore)	69	1	....	*23	200	53	29	375
Sydney	282	35	43	‖297	2,636	527	84	3,904
¶¶ ,, (Women's)	....	....	....	....	151	....	.....	151
Unsubsidised—								
Sydney (St. Vincent's)	139	17	....	112	1,206	191	.....	1,665
**Lewisham (for Women and Children)	3	....	2	‡8	240	16	28	297
††Parramatta River (Thomas Walker, Convalescent)	129	....	....	§62	536	44	†160	931
Total, Metropolitan	2,784	112	111	1,150	8,539	1,478	666	14,840
COUNTRY.								
Subsidised—								
Albury	100	2	3	*33	179	57	29	403
Armidale and New England	32	6	....	25	109	29	6	207
Ballina	16	....	1	5	32	19	1	74
Balranald	17	1	1	9	40	1	11	80
Barraba	25	1	1	4	40	16	2	89
Bathurst	104	8	8	28	197	59	32	436
Bega	27	....	....	8	33	15	3	86
Berrima, Cottage (Bowral)	23	....	....	13	64	20	6	126
Bingara	21	....	4	3	23	5	3	59
Bombala	1	....	....	2	8	5	3	19
Bourke	164	2	3	*26	155	51	27	428
Braidwood	19	....	2	6	33	10	8	78
Brewarrina	46	....	6	16	36	10	7	121
Broken Hill	138	1	11	13	115	79	43	400
Bulli, Cottage	....	....	....	.....	6	3	.....	9
Camden (Carrington Centennial) ..	152	9	1	142	616	55	107	1,082
Carcoar	12	1	1	5	42	13	5	79
Casino	5	....	1	3	34	8	1	52
Cobar	28	....	1	11	55	18	9	122
Collarendebri	6	....	....	3	16	5	2	32
Condobolin	2	....	....	2	36	13	8	61
Cooma	11	....	....	2	22	10	1	46
Coonabarabran	10	....	....	4	22	3	3	42
Coonamble	26	1	2	15	68	13	11	136
Cootamundra	30	....	1	8	36	18	6	99
Corowa	49	....	4	11	68	47	13	192
Cowra	64	5	1	8	49	20	9	156
Deniliquin	23	1	....	10	67	28	6	135
Dubbo	43	5	5	*28	125	43	11	260
Dungog, Cottage	30	....	....	7	9	5	.....	51
Forbes	67	4	4	*12	83	26	22	218
Glen Innes	16	3	....	14	27	20	11	91
Goodooga	8	....	....	*10	13	11	.....	42
Goulburn	113	1	1	34	120	47	23	339
Grafton	22	....	....	*28	147	29	26	252
Grenfell	7	....	....	5	24	10	6	52
Gulgong	14	4	...	4	58	14	6	100
Gundagai and Ben. Society	26	....	1	12	28	23	2	92
Gunnedah	17	....	1	4	90	17	1	130
Hay	85	2	2	20	123	21	9	262
Hill End and Tambaroora	2	....	....	4	15	3	.....	24

*Includes 1 developmental disease. †Includes 70 cases remaining from previous year. ‡Includes 3 developmental diseases. §Includes 4 developmental diseases. ‖Includes 12 developmental diseases. ¶Includes 15 developmental diseases. ** For year ended 30th June. †† For year ended 30th September. §§Includes 24 developmental diseases. ¶¶ Return for the previous year.

No. 7.—Diseases of Patients Treated in Hospitals, &c., 1898—*continued.*

Hospitals.	Specific, Febrile, or Zymotic Diseases.	Parasitic Diseases.	Dietetic Diseases.	Constitutional. [Also Developmental Diseases as noted.]	Local Diseases.	Violence.	Ill-defined and not-specified causes.	Total.
COUNTRY—*continued.*								
Subsidised—*continued.*								
Hillgrove, Cottage	13	....	....	8	13	8	14	56
Hillston	17	....	....	11	50	10	7	95
Inverell	50	1	....	11	51	24	6	143
‡Jerilderie, Cottage	8	....	....	7	32	14	7	68
Junee, Cottage	50	....	2	14	36	11	2	115
Kiama, Cottage	7	2	....	7	39	5	2	62
Lismore	24	2	....	13	103	33	13	188
Lithgow, Cottage	14	....	....	3	31	21	3	72
Lower Clarence (Maclean)	14	....	....	15	66	19	1	115
Macleay (Kempsey)	30	1	1	4	82	29	13	160
Maitland	165	2	1	27	142	60	10	407
Manning River (Taree)	28	....	1	*15	101	39	5	189
Merriwa	5	....	....	3	14	....	11	33
Molong	23	2	2	8	37	19	11	102
Moree	29	1	3	6	65	21	3	128
Moruya, Cottage	2	....	....	3	11	7	2	25
Mossgiel	....	....	....	.....	....	....	.....	....
Mudgee	31	3	1	17	86	27	28	193
‡Mungindi	7	....	....	14	13	2	.....	36
Murrurundi	22	1	3	15	29	12	10	92
Muswellbrook	30	....	1	10	47	13	13	114
Narrabri, and Ben. Society	41	2	7	14	88	16	9	177
Narrandera	38	4	5	20	101	39	13	220
Nepean, Cottage (Penrith)	7	....	....	8	49	18	6	88
Newcastle	136	5	8	48	440	148	50	835
Nymagee	6	....	1	1	9	8	6	31
Nyngan, Cottage	11	....	....	12	48	16	11	98
Orange	61	3	2	20	171	41	34	332
Parkes	65	....	1	14	105	31	20	236
Parramatta	70	2	3	16	108	53	28	280
Peak Hill	22	1	1	10	16	8	.....	58
Queanbeyan	3	....	1	10	32	4	5	55
Scone	55	....	1	8	90	23	22	199
‡Silverton	16	....	3	1	6	2	6	34
Singleton Ben. Society	19	....	....	6	36	27	20	108
Sofala	1	....	2	1	3	1	.....	8
Tamworth	60	5	....	†14	126	42	15	262
Temora	20	2	2	15	54	11	11	115
‡Tenterfield	5	....	....	11	27	3	3	49
Tibooburra	10	....	2	5	13	6	5	41
Urana	23	1	4	18	58	26	13	143
Vegetable Creek (Emmaville)	7	....	....	4	18	5	2	36
Wagga Wagga	117	....	2	38	210	66	36	469
Walcha, Cottage	9	2	....	4	26	9	2	52
Walgett	43	2	3	*11	58	15	11	143
Wallsend	10	1	2	11	110	34	16	184
Warialda	17	1	....	†4	23	8	1	54
Warren	28	....	....	6	67	18	4	123
Wellington	13	1	2	8	40	23	2	89
Wentworth	20	....	2	14	53	9	9	107
Wilcannia	45	3	3	11	51	21	30	164
Windsor (Hawkesbury Ben. Society)	46	....	....	23	26	16	37	148
Wollongong	14	1	....	5	14	14	5	53
Wyalong	37	1	....	9	45	18	2	112
Yass	20	9	....	12	73	23	8	145
Young (Burrangong District)	32	....	....	22	52	25	6	137
Unsubsidised—								
Auburn (St. Joseph's)	14	....	....	33	102	40	35	224
Total, Country	3,311	118	138	1,275	6,659	2,140	1,123	14,764
SUMMARY.								
Metropolitan	2,784	112	111	1,150	8,539	1,478	666	14,840
Country	3,311	118	138	1,275	6,659	2,140	1,123	14,764
Total, New South Wales	6,095	230	249	2,425	15,198	3,618	1,789	29,604

* Includes 2 developmental diseases. † Includes 1 developmental disease. ‡ The return is for the year 1897.

No. 8.—Applications for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1894–98.

How dealt with.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Orders given for—					
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	2,075	2,362	1,989	1,872	1,844
Prince Alfred Hospital, Camperdown ...	1,027	1,041	1,189	1,270	1,337
Sydney Hospital	873	952	1,066	1,023	1,176
Moorcliff Opthalmic Hospital	279	277	281	327	354
Carrington Convalescent Hospital, Camden ...	65	43	44	32	19
Asylums for Infirm and Destitute	2,308	2,337	2,706	3,091	3,057
Out-door Hospital treatment...	1,976	2,042	4,326	3,302	3,736
Trusses	132	156	166	162	151
Spectacles	.....	.....	54	62	71
Orders refused	399	537	430	362	428
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	11,503	12,173

No. 9.—Birthplaces of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1898.

Birthplaces.	Number of Applicants.	Birthplaces.	Number of Applicants.
New South Wales	4,516	Norway, Sweden, and Denmark ...	274
Victoria	369	Other European countries	108
Queensland	179	China and Japan	83
South Australia	58	India	107
Western Australia	8	Other Asiatic countries	10
Tasmania	12	Canada	22
New Zealand	178	United States of America	92
South Sea Islands	6	Other American countries	26
England and Wales...	3,047	Africa	31
Scotland	723	Born at Sea	37
Ireland	1,908	Unknown	36
France	57		
Germany	154	Total	12,173
Italy	32		

No. 10.—Birthplaces of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums for each year 1894–98; also Average Annual number of Applicants during the Quinquennial Period, and the Percentage of the Total Orders for each Birthplace.

Birthplaces of Applicants.	Total Number of Applicants each year.					Quinquennial Period, 1894–1898.	
	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.	Average Annual Number of Applicants.	Percentage of the Total Orders. *
New South Wales	2,697	3,082	4,233	4,053	4,516	3,716	33·9
Victoria	252	239	437	354	369	330	3·0
Queensland	130	132	165	147	179	150	1·4
South Australia	56	44	59	56	58	55	0·5
Western Australia	3	1	7	9	8	6	0·1
Tasmania	80	108	133	118	112	110	1·0
New Zealand	117	141	179	165	178	156	1·4
Total, Other Australasian Colonies	638	665	980	849	904	807	7·4
England and Wales	2,573	2,681	3,161	2,909	3,047	2,874	26·2
Scotland	567	627	722	752	723	678	6·2
Ireland	1,756	1,766	2,037	1,940	1,908	1,882	17·2
Total, United Kingdom	4,896	5,074	5,920	5,601	5,678	5,434	49·6
All other countries	903	926	1,118	1,000	1,075	1,005	9·1
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	11,503	12,173	10,962	100·0

* For the purpose of comparison the composition of the adult population of New South Wales is here given. Natives of New South Wales form 45 per cent.; other Australian natives 9 per cent.; natives of the United Kingdom 45 per cent.; and other countries 1 per cent.

No. 11.—Occupations of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1894–98.

Occupations.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Labourers, shepherds, shearers	2,250	2,488	3,076	2,989	3,107
Gardeners	144	157	200	207	161
Carpenters, cabinet-makers	253	230	248	253	244
Painters, plumbers, gasfitters	107	143	190	192	186
Bricklayers, plasterers, masons	103	121	149	120	135
Brickmakers, quarrymen	34	21	35	29	40
Miners	274	233	271	325	335
Engineers and fireman	185	168	263	265	297
Blacksmiths, ironworkers	120	138	199	176	161
Printers, compositors, bookbinders ...	54	63	84	73	63
Seamen, fishermen	518	536	573	598	635
Clerks, bookkeepers	197	225	243	265	236
Tailors, drapers	150	117	167	146	163
Butchers, slaughtermen	73	92	105	111	88
Grocers	20	27	43	45	45
Bootmakers, saddlers	157	162	201	183	194
Carters, grooms, cabmen	381	312	341	325	364
Dealers, shopkeepers	158	172	214	247	230
Cooks, bakers, stewards	489	490	573	562	652
Servants, barmaids	1,298	1,503	1,838	1,529	1,645
Dressmakers, machinists	147	176	253	164	198
Married women, housekeepers	739	863	1,185	1,150	1,057
Miscellaneous	343	317	308	222	227
No occupation, including children ...	939	991	1,492	1,327	1,710
Unknown	1	1	.....	.....	.....
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	11,503	12,173

No. 12.—Ages of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1894–98.

Ages.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Under 5 years	236	286	459	318	516
From 5 to 10 years	257	242	370	341	466
,, 10 to 15 ,, ...	204	233	397	436	418
,, 15 to 20 ,, ...	573	556	750	573	709
,, 20 to 25 ,, ...	944	930	1,097	935	1,048
,, 25 to 30 ,, ...	868	1,021	1,274	1,166	1,141
,, 30 to 40 ,, ...	1,828	1,924	2,287	2,176	2,209
,, 40 to 50 ,, ...	1,426	1,585	1,971	1,855	1,897
,, 50 to 60 ,, ...	1,207	1,237	1,476	1,539	1,500
Over 60 years	1,588	1,730	2,126	2,143	2,238
Unknown	3	3	4	21	31
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	11,503	12,173

No. 13.—Period of Residence in New South Wales of Applicants for Government Orders to Hospitals and Asylums, 1894–98.

Period of Residence in N.S.W.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Under 1 month	113	115	132	143	166
From 1 to 6 months	228	231	243	225	277
,, 6 to 12 ,, ...	163	188	157	133	175
,, 1 to 5 years	864	782	867	672	610
,, 5 to 10 ,, ...	1,054	968	1,035	902	880
,, 10 to 20 ,, ...	1,713	1,853	2,410	2,063	2,178
Over 20 years	2,268	2,513	3,144	3,293	3,293
Born in New South Wales ...	2,697	3,082	4,233	4,053	4,516
Unknown	34	15	30	19	78
Total	9,134	9,747	12,251	11,503	12,173

No. 14.—Number of Patients Admitted and Discharged, and Deaths in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, during the year 1898.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	Admissions and Re-admissions.				Discharges.				Died.	
	For First Time.		Re-admissions.		Recovered.		Relieved.			
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females	Males.	Females
Government Hospitals—										
Callan Park	141	123	23	28	75	74	9	18	34	31
Gladesville	86	54	21	20	53	42	2	3	27	10
Parramatta { Free	80	38	9	5	27	13	....	1	61	15
Parramatta { Criminal	14	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....
Newcastle	15	9	....	2	....	....	....	2	8	19
Rydalmere	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	26	6
Kenmore	34	20	....	....	11	14	2	....	3	5
Licensed Houses—										
Cook's River	2	1	1	....	2	3	1	1	....	1
Picton (2)	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ryde	....	3	....	1	....	2	....	....	....	....
Total	372	248	54	56	174	148	14	25	159	87

No. 15.—Number of Patients in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, for the year 1898.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	Total under treatment during the year.		Average number resident during the year.		Remaining on 31st December, 1898.		Percentage of Deaths on average number resident.	
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
Government Hospitals—								
Callan Park	615	556	426	362	458	413	7·98	8·56
Gladesville	626	408	506	312	523	344	5·33	3·20
Parramatta { Free	791	419	682	370	676	382	8·94	4·05
Parramatta { Criminal	60	8	47	8	45	8	....	....
Newcastle	163	165	153	152	155	144	5·23	12·50
Rydalmere	333	157	251	152	352	149	7·47	3·75
Kenmore	269	142	233	114	250	123	1·29	4·38
Licensed Houses—								
Cook's River	19	23	15	19	15	18	....	5·26
Picton (2)	....	1	....	1	....	1	....	....
Ryde	....	11	....	7	....	8	....	....
Total	2,926	1,890	2,413	1,497	2,474	1,590	6·58	5·81

No. 16.—Number of Patients in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, at the close of each year, 1894–98.

Hospitals and Licensed Houses.	1894.			1895.			1896.			1897.			1898.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Government Hospitals—															
Callan Park	458	379	837	444	392	836	469	411	880	448	399	847	458	413	871
Gladesville	549	358	907	514	334	848	522	346	868	514	324	838	523	344	867
Parramatta { Free	669	383	1,052	672	381	1,053	685	383	1,068	686	375	1,061	676	382	1,058
Parramatta { Criminal	38	10	48	39	13	52	44	14	58	46	8	54	45	8	53
Newcastle	158	148	306	156	151	307	153	153	306	145	152	297	155	144	299
Rydalmere	309	84	393	300	131	431	315	151	466	351	151	502	352	149	501
Kenmore	..	..	..	146	..	146	154	..	154	200	107	307	250	123	373
Licensed Houses—															
Cook's River	17	22	39	16	21	37	11	23	34	15	22	37	15	18	33
Picton (2)	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	1	1	..	1	1
Ryde	..	3	3	..	4	4	..	5	5	..	7	7	..	8	8
Total	2,198	1,389	3,587	2,287	1,429	3,716	2,353	1,488	3,841	2,405	1,546	3,951	2,474	1,590	4,064

No. 17.—Birthplaces, Ages, Religions, Conjugal Condition, and Occupations of Patients under treatment in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, during 1898.

Birthplaces.	Males.	Females	Total.
New South Wales	1,010	853	1,863
Other British Colonies ...	183	95	278
England	668	313	981
Scotland	137	84	221
Ireland	545	475	1,020
France	19	5	24
Germany	90	21	111
China	76	...	76
Other Countries	198	44	242
Total	2,926	1,890	4,816

Ages.	Males.	Females	Total.
1 and under 5 years ...	1	...	1
5 „ 10 „ ...	12	16	28
10 „ 15 „ ...	31	20	51
15 „ 20 „ ...	78	62	140
20 „ 30 „ ...	411	304	715
30 „ 40 „ ...	737	473	1,210
40 „ 50 „ ...	678	408	1,086
50 „ 60 „ ...	518	362	880
60 „ 70 „ ...	335	175	510
70 „ 80 „ ...	105	57	162
80 „ 90 „ ..	19	11	30
90 years and upwards ...	1	2	3
Total	2,926	1,890	4,816

Religions.	Males.	Females	Total.
Protestant—			
Church of England ...	1,279	778	2,057
Presbyterian	213	131	344
Wesleyan	120	74	194
Lutheran	75	12	87
Other	77	70	147
Roman Catholic	963	780	1,748
Pagan	67	...	67
Hebrew	23	8	31
Mahomedan	8	...	8
Unascertained	96	37	133
Total	2,926	1,890	4,816

Conjugal Condition.	Males.	Females	Total.
Single	1,988	813	2,801
Married	607	793	1,400
Widowed	120	202	322
Unascertained	211	82	293
Total	2,926	1,890	4,816

Occupations.	Males.	Females	Total.
Clergy, military and naval officers, members of the medical and legal professions, architects, artists, authors, civil engineers, surveyors, &c.	64	1	65
Bankers, merchants, accountants, clerks, shopkeepers, shopmen, &c.	198	...	198
Farmers, squatters, graziers, free selectors, &c.	169	2	171
Blacksmiths, carpenters, engine-fitters, firemen, sawyers, painters, police, &c. ...	321	...	321
Bootmakers, bookbinders, compositors, weavers, tailors, &c.	177	...	177
Waiters, cooks, servants, &c.	86	30	116
Miners, labourers, seamen, shepherds, &c.	1,530	...	1,530
Governesses, teachers, housekeepers, trained nurses, &c.	11	66	77
Servants, charwomen, laundresses, &c.	...	503	503
Shopkeepers, saleswomen, &c.	...	68	68
Tailoresses, needlewomen, machinists, bookbinders, factory workers, &c.	...	67	67
Wives of clergy, military and naval officers, members of the medical and legal professions, architects, artists, authors, civil engineers, surveyors, &c. ...	...	21	21
Wives of bankers, merchants, accountants, clerks, shopkeepers, shopmen, &c. ...	...	54	54
Wives of blacksmiths, carpenters, engine-fitters, firemen, sawyers, painters, police, bootmakers, bookbinders, compositors, weavers, tailors, &c.	...	105	105
Wives of farmers, squatters, graziers, free selectors, &c.	...	92	92
Wives of miners, labourers, seamen, shepherds, &c.	...	217	217
No occupation	234	389	623
Unknown	136	275	411
Total	2,926	1,890	4,816

No. 18.—Causes of Insanity of Patients Admitted to State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, 1897–98.

Causes of Insanity.—These "Causes" are taken from the statements in the papers received with the Patients on admission, and are verified or corrected as far as possible by the Medical Officers.

Number of Causes, &c.—Number of Patients.—The "predisposing" and "exciting" causes are both enumerated in all cases where the predominating causes could not be distinguished, so that the aggregate of the totals for each of these years exceeds the total number of patients yearly admitted. During 1897 the number of patients admitted and readmitted was 692, while the causes were 772; in 1898, the numbers were 730 and 789 respectively.

Causes of Insanity.	1897.			1898.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Moral—						
Domestic trouble (including loss of relatives and friends)	3	19	22	4	18	22
Adverse circumstances (including business anxiety and pecuniary difficulties)	20	7	27	18	8	26
Mental anxiety and "worry" (not included in above two heads) and overwork	6	9	15	17	13	30
Religious excitement	6	8	14	8	3	11
Love affairs (including seduction)	..	2	2	1	1	2
Fright and nervous shock	1	2	3	..	5	5
Isolation	4	..	4	1	3	4
Nostalgia	2	2	4	1	..	1
Physical—						
Intemperance in drink	53	12	65	66	11	77
Intemperance (sexual)	3	..	3	..	..	..
Venereal disease	2	2	4	1	..	1
Self-abuse	10	1	11	10	..	10
Sunstroke	5	1	6	8	1	9
Accident or injury	13	..	13	11	1	12
Pregnancy	..	4	4	..	..	..
Parturition and puerperal state	..	27	27	..	16	16
Lactation	..	2	2	..	3	3
Uterine and ovarian disorders	..	1	1	..	3	3
Puberty	3	5	8	9	4	13
Change of Life	..	1	1	..	5	5
Fevers	..	..	..	1	..	1
Privation and overwork	5	1	6	1	..	1
Phthisis	5	5	10	2	..	2
Epilepsy	22	26	48	17	17	34
Disease of skull and brain	14	..	14	19	3	22
Old age	20	17	37	23	14	37
Other bodily disorders, &c., and chronic ill-health	28	32	60	16	27	43
Excess of opium	..	..	..	3	2	5
Previous attacks	60	52	112	57	56	113
Hereditary influence ascertained	15	30	45	27	23	50
Congenital defect ascertained	21	9	30	19	17	36
Other ascertained causes	1	..	1	1	2	3
Unknown	115	58	173	118	74	192
Total Causes. (See note above.)	437	335	772	459	330	789

No. 19.—Number of Admissions, Patients under Treatment, and Deaths in State Hospitals for the Insane, and Licensed Houses, 1889–98.

Year.	Admissions and Readmissions.		Patients under treatment at the end of Year.		Average number Resident.	Recoveries.		Deaths. Exclusive of Deaths in the Reception House, Darlinghurst.	
	Total Number.	Proportion per Thousand of Mean Population	Total Number.	Proportion per Thousand of Mean Population.		Total Number.	Percentage on Admission and Re-admission.	Total Number.	Percentage on the average number of Inmates under care.
1889	550	0·52	2,974	2·79	2,889	244	44·36	209	7·23
1890	611	0·56	3,102	2·81	2,960	257	42·06	193	6·52
1891	596	0·52	3,134	2·74	3,149	297	49·83	233	7·40
1892	666	0·56	3,312	2·80	3,151	261	39·18	191	6·06
1893	688	0·56	3,425	2·82	3,312	286	41·63	246	7·42
1894	712	0·57	3,587	2·90	3,445	296	41·57	199	5·78
1895	715	0·57	3,716	2·94	3,574	308	43·08	223	6·24
1896	740	0·58	3,841	2·98	3,710	332	44·86	231	6·23
1897	692	0·53	3,951	3·01	3,822	287	41·47	249	6·51
1898	730	0·55	4,064	3·04	3,910	322	44·10	246	6·29

No. 20.—Patients dealt with at the Reception House for Insane, Darlinghurst, year 1898.

Classification.	Males.	Females.	Total.
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1897	2	1	3
Patients admitted during 1898	363	175	538
Total under care	365	176	541
Transferred to Hospitals for Insane or Licensed Houses	189	103	292
Deaths	.....	1	1
Number discharged	175	70	245
Total Transfers, Deaths, and Discharges	364	174	538
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1898	1	2	3

No. 21.—Patients dealt with at the Observation Wards at Darlinghurst and Parramatta Gaols, year 1898.

Classification.	Darlinghurst.			Parramatta.		
	Males.	Females	Total.	Males.	Females	Total.
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1897	19	....	19	14	....	14
Patients received during 1898	126	30	156	55	....	55
Total under care	145	30	175	69	....	69
Transferred to Hospitals for Insane	3	1	4	4	....	4
Transferred to Parramatta Observation Ward	....	....	....	....	....	....
Transferred to Darlinghurst Observation Ward	....	....	....	2	....	2
Deaths	1	....	1	....	....	....
Number discharged	126	29	155	51	....	51
Total Transfers, Deaths, and Discharges	130	30	160	57	....	57
Patients remaining on 31st December, 1898	15	....	15	12	....	12

No. 22.—Offences for which Patients are Confined at the Hospital for Criminal Insane, Parramatta, 1894–98.

Offence.	1894.			1895.			1896.			1897.			1898.		
	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.	M.	F.	T'l.
Murder	18	6	24	17	6	23	19	6	25	18	5	23	18	5	23
Attempt to murder	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	1	2
Cutting and wounding, shooting with intent, &c.	13	2	15	12	4	16	13	4	17	11	1	12	11	2	13
Rape	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Indecent assault	1	..	1	2	..	2	2	..	2	2	..	2	1	..	1
Unnatural offence	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	2	..	2	2	..	2
Sheep and horse stealing	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Larceny and petty thefts	1	..	1	..	..	..	.	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1
Arson and malicious burning	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1
Attempted suicide	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Forgery and uttering	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Assault and robbery	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1	1	..	1
Obtaining money under false pretences	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	2	1	..	1
Obscene language	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Vagrancy	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	1	1	1	..	1	2	..	2
Inflicting grievous bodily harm	..	..	..	2	..	2	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Breaking and entering with intent	..	..	..	1	..	1	2	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..
Burglary	..	..	..	1	.	1	1	..	1	4	..	4	3	..	3
Placing obstruction on railway line	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	1
Total on 31st December	38	10	48	39	13	52	44	14	58	46	8	54	45	8	53

No. 23.—Number of Patients and Cost of Maintenance in each State Hospital for the Insane, year 1898.

Government Hospitals.	Patients. Total Number under care.	Patients. Average Number resident.	Total Expenditure.	Collections.	Net Expenditure.	Annual Cost to State per Patient.
			£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Gladesville	1,034	818	25,529 3 9	4,656 18 11	20,872 4 10	25 10 3¾
Parramatta (free & criminal)	1,278	1,107	27,546 9 8	2,321 1 2	25,225 8 6	22 15 8¾
Callan Park	1,171	788	26,164 8 0	6,481 17 8	19,682 10 4	24 19 6½
Newcastle	328	305	7,244 6 9	953 2 11	6,291 3 10	20 12 6¼
Rydalmere	540	503	12,559 13 10	1,319 11 5	11,240 2 5	22 6 10½
Kenmore	411	347	12,040 10 4	571 11 8	11,468 18 8	33 1 0¼
Total	4,762	3,868	111,084 12 4	16,304 3 9	94,780 8 7	24 10 0¾

Other Payments.—£1,426 3s. 10d. was also paid during 1898 for the maintenance of patients in the Reception House; £447 6s. 6d. to the South Australian Government for patients from the district of Broken Hill; and £2,460 10s. 7d. for general expenses, including cost of Inspector-General's Office, payments to Official Visitors, &c.; making a total expenditure of £115,418 13s. 3d.

Master-in-Lunacy.—For transactions of the office of the Master-in-Lunacy see Part, "Law and Crime."

No. 24.—Average Annual Cost per Patient in State Hospitals for the Insane, 1889–98.

Year.	Average Number resident.	Annual Cost to State per Patient	Year.	Average Number resident.	Annual Cost to State per Patient.
		£ s. d.			£ s. d.
1889	2,785	29 6 3	1894	3,352	23 4 2
1890	2,857	27 5 2	1895	3,533	24 6 4
1891	3,050	25 19 5	1896	3,666	23 9 5
1892	3,050	26 9 0	1897	3,780	24 1 2¼
1893	3,210	24 15 5	1898	3,868	24 10 0¾

No. 25.—Average Weekly Cost per Patient in each State Hospital for the Insane, year 1898.

Classification.	Government Hospitals. Gladesville.	Parramatta.	Callan Park.	Newcastle.	Rydalmere.	Kenmore.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Weekly cost calculated on average number resident—						
Salaries	5 0	3 10¾	5 3¾	3 11¼	4 0¼	5 11¼
Provisions, extras, medical comforts, and forage	4 2¼	3 1¾	4 6	2 6½	3 0	3 6¼
Stimulants, wines, &c.	0 0½	0 0¼	0 0⅜	...	0 1	...
Medicines and surgical instruments	0 1¼	0 0½	0 1½	0 0¾	0 1	0 1¼
Stores, including clothing, bedding, and materials for manufacture	1 7	1 7½	1 6	1 5¾	1 6¼	2 5¾
Fuel, light, and water	0 8¼	0 6¼	0 9	0 7½	0 6¾	0 7¼
Incidental and miscellaneous expenses, including library, &c.	0 4¾	0 3½	0 6¼	0 5⅞	0 4	0 8¼
Total weekly cost for maintenance per patient...	12 0	9 6½	12 9¼	9 1½	9 7¼	13 4
Average weekly collections for maintenance per patient	2 2¼	0 9½	3 2	1 2¼	1 0	0 7½
Weekly cost per patient, deducting collections for maintenance, &c.	9 9¾	8 9	9 7¼	7 11¼	8 7¼	12 8½

Average Weekly Cost.—The average weekly cost for all Hospitals for e Insane, without deducting collections, is 11s. 0½d., or deducting collections, 9s. 5d.

Patients absent on Leave.—During 1898 leave was granted, for varying periods, to 209 patients, making, with those already on leave, 319. Of this number 110 were discharged recovered during the year, 82 returned to hospital, 4 died whilst away, and 123 remained on leave at the close of the year.

No. 26.—Number of Lepers in the Lazaret at Little Bay at the close of each year, 1889-98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
In Lazaret on 1st January...	11	13	13	21	30	36	40	37	16	13
Admitted during the year...	2	2	10	12	7	5	3	3	2	4
Died during the year ...	...	2	2	3	1	1	5	5	3	3
Discharged	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	*19	*2	...
Remaining in Lazaret on 31st December	13	13	21	30	36	40	37	16	13	14

Birthplaces of Lepers.—The inmates of the Lazaret at the close of the year 1898 were of the following nationalities:—New South Wales, 8; India, 1; Java, 1; Fiji, 1; Tanna, 1; United States, 1; China, 1; total, 14. The large decrease in the number of the inmates is due to the fact that on the 14th August, 1896, 19 Chinese were, in accordance with arrangements made by the Government of this Colony, returned to China, and the two remaining were repatriated on the 17th July, 1897.

* Chinese returned to China.

Working Expenses of Lazaret.—During the year 1898 the total cost of the management of this Institution was £1,837 0s. 6d. The average cost per inmate per annum was £135 1s. 6d.

No. 27.—Medical Practitioners registered by the New South Wales Medical Board, 1889-98.

Year.	Registrations.		Year.	Registrations.	
	Issued during the year.	In force at end of year.		Issued during the year.	In force at end of year.
1889	67	937	1894	60	1,143
1890	67	982	1895	64	1,190
1891	80	1,031	1896	68	1,216
1892	79	1,064	1897	50	1,240
1893	58	1,108	1898	41	1,271

No. 28.—Certificates issued by the Pharmacy Board of N.S.W. to Chemists and Druggists and Dealers in Poisons, 1889-98.

Year.	Certificates.			Year.	Certificates.		
	Issued during the year.		In force at end of year.		Issued during the year.		In force at end of year.
	To Chemists and Druggists.	To Dealers in Poisons.			To Chemists and Druggists.	To Dealers in Poisons.	
1889	26	22	546	1894	29	50	611
1890	27	34	529	1895	4	50	545
1891	18	41	550	1896	11	72	568
1892	18	61	619	1897	8	71	577
1893	27	48	615	1898	216	62	775

Pharmacy Act of 1897.—During the year 1897 the Pharmacy Board of N.S.W. issued 434 Pharmacists' certificates under the Pharmacy Act of 1897. During 1898 the number issued was 238, and the number in force at the end of the year was 668.

No. 29.—Number and Ages of Persons Vaccinated in each District, 1897–98.

District.	Ages of Persons vaccinated.									
	Under 1 year.		1 year and under 5.		5 years and under 10.		10 years and upwards.		Total.	
	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.	1897.	1898.
Metropolitan...	...	...	...	2	...	7	6	34	6	43
Country—										
Bega	...	...	4	...	6	...	7	...	17	...
Condoblin	...	...	...	9	...	66	...	36	...	111
Cooma	...	...	...	9	...	34	...	33	...	76
Cootamundra	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	5	...
Coonabarabran	...	...	...	28	...	52	...	37	...	117
Dubbo	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...
Emmaville	...	...	2	...	8	16	7	11	17	27
Newcastle	...	2	...	3	...	7	...	1	...	13
Lithgow	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Maitland, West	...	...	...	7	...	15	...	26	...	48
Orange	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	8	...
Parramatta	1	...	19	...	50	...	33	...	103	...
Quirindi	...	...	...	10	23	87	44	58	67	155
Rylstone	...	...	5	...	3	...	3	...	11	...
Wilcannia	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2
Warren	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	4	...
Total, Country ...	2	2	33	66	104	278	100	203	239	549
Total, New South Wales	2	2	33	68	104	285	106	237	245	592

No. 30.—Number and Ages of Persons Vaccinated, 1891–98.

Ages.	1891.		1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.	
	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.	Metropolitan.	Country.
Under 1 year ..	124	112	259	115	202	105	3	47	5	100	5	55	...	2	...	2
1 year and under 5 ..	163	369	308	858	203	430	5	395	19	514	18	148	...	33	2	66
5 years and under 10	110	405	411	1,260	194	738	7	905	36	972	34	402	...	104	7	278
10 years and upwards	134	150	348	455	239	436	...	595	12	774	21	262	6	100	34	203
Total, New South Wales ...	1,567		4,014		2,547		1,957		2,432		945		245		592	

No. 31.—Number of Births Registered, and the Number of Vaccinations performed by Government Vaccinators, 1861–98.

Year.	Births.	Vaccinations.	Proportion of Vaccinations to every 100 Births registered.	Year.	Births.	Vaccinations.	Proportion of Vaccinations to every 100 Births registered.
1861	14,681	2,349	16·00	1880	28,162	5,029	17·85
1862	15,434	3,155	20·44	1881	28,993	61,239	211·21
1863	15,679	12,970	82·72	1882	29,702	2,188	7·36
1864	16,881	10,696	63·36	1883	31,281	882	2·81
1865	17,283	8,367	48·41	1884	33,946	7,055	20·78
1866	16,950	7,606	44·87	1885	35,043	2,230	6·36
1867	18,317	6,931	37·83	1886	36,284	1,763	4·85
1868	18,485	11,237	60·79	1887	37,236	3,230	8·67
1869	19,243	21,507	111·76	1888	38,525	2,186	5·67
1870	19,648	7,084	36·54	1889	37,295	2,404	6·45
1871	20,143	6,482	32·16	1890	38,960	2,197	5·64
1872	20,250	17,565	86·74	1891	39,458	1,567	3·97
1873	21,444	3,152	14·69	1892	40,041	4,014	10·02
1874	22,178	4,832	21·78	1893	40,342	2,547	6·31
1875	22,528	3,111	13·80	1894	38,951	1,957	5·02
1876	23,298	4,361	18·71	1895	38,774	2,432	6·29
1877	23,851	16,881	70·77	1896	36,506	945	2·59
1878	25,328	3,512	13·86	1897	37,247	245	0·65
1879	26,933	5,569	20·67	1898	36,222	592	1·63

No. 32.—Cost of Vaccination, 1889–98.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1889	317	1894	273
1890	286	1895	357
1891	217	1896	129
1892	438	1897	37
1893	364	1898	84

Section II.—CHARITIES.

No. 33.—Children under the control of the State Children's Relief Board placed out and discharged during the year ended 5th April, 1899.

	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.
Under control on 5th April, 1898	2,083	1,626	3,709
Placed out during year	308	261	569
Total placed out	2,391	1,887	4,278
Discharged during the year	276	261	537
Deaths during the year...	11	8	19
Total discharges and deaths	287	269	556
Under control on 5th April, 1899	2,104	1,618	3,722

No. 34.—Number of Children received and discharged each year by the State Children's Relief Board, 1881–99.

Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net addition.	Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net addition.	Year ended 5th April—	Received.	Discharges and Deaths.	Net addition.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1881 }	119	16	103	1888	421	263	158	1895	1,053	688	365
1882 }				1889	413	200	213	1896	929	647	282
1883	223	19	204	1890	397	286	111	1897	785	570	215
1884	306	61	245	1891	494	409	85	1898	666	628	38
1885	527	53	474	1892	474	447	27	1899	569	556	13
1886	441	101	340	1893	541	400	141				
1887	569	133	436	1894	695	423	272	Total...	9,622	5,900	3,722

No. 35.—Number and Classification of Children under the control of the State Children's Relief Board on 5th April, 1899.

Classification.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Classification.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Boarders—	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
Nursing Children—							
Infants (10s. per week)	1	...	1	Apprentices	605	394	999
Under 2 years (8s. per week)	2	2	4	Adopted (without remuneration)	53	63	116
Under 3 years (7s. per week)	13	11	24	Boarded (without subsidy)...	10	12	22
Delicate Children (6s. per week) ...	14	15	29	Absconded	15	4	19
Others (5s. and under per week)	1,338	983	2,321	Unofficial (over age) ...	3	...	3
				In hospitals	6	2	8
				In cottage homes	29	114	143
				In depôt	15	18	33
Total Boarders ...	1,368	1,011	2,379	Total under control	2,104	1,618	3,722

No. 36.—Number of Children under the Control of the State Children's Relief Board on 5th April each year, 1881–99.

Under Control on 5th April—	Supported by Government.			Adopted without Payment.			Apprenticed (not paid for by Government).			Total under Control.		
	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1881	24	35	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	35	59
1882	40	60	100	...	3	3	...	...	...	40	63	103
1883	118	174	292	1	10	11	...	4	4	119	188	307
1884	221	289	510	6	15	21	5	16	21	232	320	552
1885	523	363	886	15	35	50	26	64	90	564	462	1,026
1886	614	411	1,025	28	65	93	137	111	248	779	587	1,366
1887	741	473	1,214	49	74	123	309	156	465	1,099	703	1,802
1888	793	485	1,278	52	84	136	357	189	546	1,202	758	1,960
1889	815	526	1,341	61	93	154	440	238	678	1,316	857	2,173
1890	805	543	1,348	62	96	158	513	265	778	1,380	904	2,284
1891	807	566	1,373	67	91	158	543	295	838	1,417	952	2,369
1892	776	613	1,389	69	94	163	545	299	844	1,390	1,006	2,396
1893	821	643	1,464	61	97	158	590	325	915	1,472	1,065	2,537
1894	955	786	1,741	59	106	165	592	311	903	1,606	1,203	2,809
1895	1,167	927	2,094	56	91	147	599	334	933	1,822	1,352	3,174
1896	1,356	1,085	2,441	50	76	*126	548	341	889	1,954	1,502	3,456
1897	1,533	1,152	2,685	55	71	*126	497	363	860	2,085	1,586	3,671
1898	1,442	1,179	2,621	69	80	*149	572	367	939	2,083	1,626	3,709
1899	1,418	1,145	2,563	66	75	*141	620	398	1,018	2,104	1,618	3,722

* These figures include 25, 24, 38, and 22 children respectively classed as "Boarders without subsidy"—that is, placed with guardians who, as in the case of adopted children, do not receive payment for maintenance.

No. 37.—Number, and Ages when placed out, of all Children dealt with by the State Children's Relief Board since its establishment.

Age.	Children.	Age.	Children.	Age.	Children.
	No.		No.		No.
Under 1 year	298	5 and under 6... ...	873	10 and under 11 ...	787
1 and under 2... ...	336	6 and under 7... ...	960	11 and under 12 ...	567
2 and under 3... ...	610	7 and under 8... ...	920	12 and over	740
3 and under 4... ...	787	8 and under 9... ...	1,005		
4 and under 5... ...	789	9 and under 10 ...	950	Total	9,622*

* Table No. 34 shows that 5,900 of this number are not now under the control of the Board.

No. 38.—Number and Religions of Children dealt with by the State Children's Relief Board since its establishment.

Religion.	Children.	Religion.	Children.	Religion.	Children.
	No.		No.		No.
Church of England ...	4,033	Primitive Methodist ...	47	Church of Christ ...	4
Roman Catholic ...	2,852	Baptist	35	Christadelphian ...	3
Presbyterian	298	Lutheran	2	Hebrew	22
Wesleyan	201	Greek	4	Salvation Army ...	4
Congregational ...	30	Protestants not specified	1,999	Unknown	88
				Total	*9,622

*See note to Table 37.

No. 39.—Number of Children, and Institutions from which they were received by the State Children's Relief Board since its establishment.

Institution.	Children.	Institution.	Children.
	No.		No.
Government—		School of Industry	3
Nautical School Ship "Sobraon" ...	388	Deaf, Dumb, and Blind Institution ...	28
Industrial School for Girls, Parramatta	177	Sydney Female Refuge	1
Shaftesbury Reformatory	404	St. Vincent de Paul Home (St. Aloysius)	77
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	30	Industrial School, Manly	2
Lunacy Department	1	Hospitals—	
Liverpool Asylum	1	Sydney	17
Parramatta (George-street) Asylum...	3	Moorcliff	7
Newington Asylum	29	Prince Alfred, Camperdown	20
Rydalmere Boys' Home	71	Children's Hospital, Glebe	24
Carpenterian Reformatory	41	Bowral	1
Depôt, State Children's Relief Department	1,649	Parramatta	1
Sydney Gaol	3	Goulburn	1
Wollongong Gaol	1	Carrington (Camden)	1
Benevolent Asylum—		Protestant Orphan School (disbanded)...	182
Sydney	5,844	Roman Catholic Orphan School (disbanded)	180
Newcastle	44	Department of Neglected Children, Victoria (supervision only)	2
Randwick Asylum	307		
Newcastle Insane Asylum	1		
Infants' Home, Ashfield	81	Total	*9,622

*See note to Table 37.

No. 40.—Expenditure by the State Children's Relief Board for the year ended 5th April, 1899.

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Maintenance	31,711	0	11	Travelling Advance	200	0	0
Clothing	1,862	6	9	Post and Telegraph Department...	29	17	6
Salaries	5,465	18	1	Furnishing Depôt.....	87	7	8
Medical	734	9	5				
Gas...	28	12	5	Total	45,167	6	4
Books	10	1	1	*Less*—			
Incidentals	558	16	10	Parents' Maintenance Account and over issue	904	10	10
Conveyance	454	17	2				
Travelling	1,258	8	5	Net Expenditure £	44,262	15	6
Cottage Homes	2,535	17	5				
Depôt	229	12	8				

No. 41.—Expenditure by the State Children's Relief Board, 1882-99.

Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.	Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.	Year ended 5th April—	Expenditure.
	£		£		£
1882	2,099	1888	22,571	1894	33,666
1883	4,124	1889	22,450	1895	36,437
1884	7,708	1890	23,938	1896	41,271
1885	12,189	1891	26,469	1897	42,763
1886	18,798	1892	28,596	1898	46,237
1887	19,774	1893	28,498	1899	44,263

No. 42.—Registrations, &c., by the Children's Protection Board, 1894-98.

Classification.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Registrations from Lying-in Homes	217	274	317	346	629
Foster homes registered	94	110	84	96	90
Children registered	911	1,049	1,086	1,267	1,268
Children returned to parents	264	302	265	277	302
,, placed under State Children's Relief Department	19	22	16	21	25
,, who have died	113	139	112	116	147
,, discharged from supervision (3 years old) ..	77	100	105	161	115
,, sent to Hospitals	4	3	2	2	7
,, ,, Ashfield Infants' Home	1	.....	.....	.....	.....
,, ,, Home of Hope	.....	.....	.....	3	.....
,, ,, Benevolent Asylum, Sydney... ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
,, ,, Kilburn Sisters	4	8	4	7	2
,, ,, Mission Home...	.....	1	.....	.....	4
,, ,, Babies' Home, Newtown	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
,, transferred	20	16	19	91	69
,, exempted from supervision (section 8 of Children's Protection Act)	2	6	1	.....	4
,, left Colony	.....	.....	.....	1	.....
,, registrations cancelled...	.....	.....	.....	37	34
Total number discharged, &c. ...	504	597	527	715	712
Total number children under supervision	407	452	559	552	556

No. 43.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by the Government Labour Bureau, 1893–99.

Occupations.	Year ended 17th February—				From 18th Feb., 1896, to 30th June, 1897.	Year ended 30th June—	
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		1898.	1899.
Accountants and Book-keepers	...	...	...	4	3	6	5
Actor	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Artist	1	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Artists' Models	3	5	3	2	.....	1	3
Asphalters	8	5	1	7	2	...	...
Assayers	...	...	...	...	.....	2	1
Axle-turner	1	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Bakers	113	65	42	56	59	31	43
Bandmaster	...	...	1	...	.....	...	...
Barbers	33	12	7	8	4	2	4
Barmen	32	...	...	2	.....	1	...
Basket-makers	...	3	2	...	.....	...	...
Batmakers	...	2	1	...	.....	...	...
Bee-farmer	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Bellmen	...	5	1	...	.....	...	...
Bellows-makers	...	...	2	...	.....	...	...
Billiard-markers	1	4	2	...	3	...	3
Bird-trappers	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Blacksmiths	110	63	42	58	57	25	19
Boatbuilders	...	3	...	...	1	...	...
Boilermakers, &c.	34	38	15	14	11	...	2
Bookbinders	...	1	1	...	.....	...	...
Bootmakers	46	21	17	24	14	10	7
Brass-finishers	1	7	1	2	5	1	2
Brassmoulders	...	12	...	1	.....	...	...
Brewers' Hands	...	4	1	...	4	...	...
Bricklayers	146	45	56	122	108	27	24
Brickmakers	16	16	23	14	5	13	8
Bridge Hands	...	57	9	13	8	4	1
Broom-makers	...	...	3	...	.....	...	...
Brush-board Cutter	1	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Brushmaker	...	...	...	1	.....	...	...
Brushwood-turner	...	...	1	...	.....	...	...
Bullock-driver	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Bushmen	153	186	147	84	106	85	140
Butchers	107	85	72	103	99	63	22
Cabinet-makers	...	...	8	7	1	1	1
Canvassers	129	197	42	67	18	2	4
Caretakers	7	10	5	7	2	3	1
Carpenters and Joiners	401	259	336	278	186	93	72
Carpenters (Bridge)	...	25	10	30	48	11	9
,, (Ship)	...	...	...	5	2	...	...
Carpet-layers	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Casemakers	5	2	1	2	2	...	...
Caulkers	...	16	...	...	.....	...	...
Chaff-cutters	...	...	3	...	.....	1	...
Charcoal-burners	33	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Chemists	...	...	1	1	.....	1	...
Circus Hand	...	...	...	...	.....	1	...
Clerks, &c.	55	31	7	19	13	16	8
Coach Trades	188	57	14	13	6	5	2
Coke-drawers	...	...	...	...	.....	...	2
Commercial Travellers	...	...	1	...	.....	2	1
Concrete Hands	...	...	...	...	5	1	...
Confectioner	...	...	...	1	.....	...	...
Cooks	313	186	102	152	88	79	72
Coopers	1	10	11	8	2	3	2

No. 43.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by the Government Labour Bureau, 1893-99—*continued.*

Occupations.	Year ended 17th February—				From 18th Feb., 1896, to 30th June, 1897.	Year ended 30th June—	
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		1898.	1899.
Coppersmiths	1	3	3	1	.....	...	...
Cordial-makers	1	4	1	...	.....	1	...
Curriers and Tanners	2	8	2	11	2	3	...
Dairy Hands	69	...	...	...	16	26	15
Dealers and Hawkers	11	...	...	3	.....	1	...
Divers	...	...	3	...	.....	...	...
Doctors	...	...	...	1	.....	...	1
Draftsmen	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Drapers	30	7	9	8	7	6	1
Drainers	...	...	2	...	5	3	1
Drivers and Carters	135	86	41	102	44	13	8
Drovers	...	...	...	1	7	6	5
Dyers	...	...	1	3	.....	...	...
Editors of Newspaper	...	...	...	...	.....	1	1
Engine-drivers	51	50	12	37	18	11	16
Engine-fitters	...	...	1	...	.....	5	2
Engineers	59	...	19	14	14	9	6
„ (Electric)	...	...	...	8	.....	1	3
„ (Mining)	...	...	...	3	... ..	...	...
„ (Refrigerating)	...	...	...	1	.....	...	...
Farm and Orchard Hands	484	479	211	186	122	92	92
Factory Hands	...	...	...	1	.....	1	...
Fellmongers	...	...	13	65	34	48	4
Fencers	125	...	...	7	9	7	8
Firemen	22	10	6	8	3	1	2
Fishermen	...	4	20	1	4	...	1
Flour-mill Hands	...	9	1	...	5	...	8
French-polishers	...	11	7	3	1	...	...
Furnacemen	12	...	3	...	13	...	1
Galvanized-iron Workers	...	...	...	7	.....	...	...
Gardeners	112	143	99	88	35	40	29
Gatekeepers	8	...	...	...	.....	...	...
General Usefuls	614	602	636	461	299	147	140
Glaziers	...	...	1	...	1	...	...
Governesses, Servants, &c.	...	185	285	237	94	12	16
Grocers	9	9	8	6	4	6	1
Grooms	110	79	24	49	59	26	37
Gumpicker	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Horsebreakers	...	...	2	...	1	...	1
Horseclippers	...	...	15	8	.....	...	1
Horsetrainers	...	...	...	...	.....	1	2
Hospital Attendants	7	9	4	7	5	3	1
Ironmoulders	...	5	...	5	2	4	...
Ironturners	8	...	1	16	6	3	2
Ironfitters	...	...	...	9	23	1	...
Ironworkers	9	...	15	3	2	...	...
Ironmongers	...	2	...	...	1	1	...
Jammakers	...	...	...	4	.....	...	...
Jewellers	...	...	2	3	.....	...	...
Jockeys	...	...	...	...	.....	...	2
Journalists	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Kitchenmen	37	22	24	25	10	12	3
Labourers (General)	1,406	507	1,470	1,430	424	104	222
„ Forest Department	...	...	...	1,367	27	69	...
„ Bogan Scrub	...	...	...	...	905	548	298

No. 43.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by the Government Labour Bureau, 1893-99.—*continued.*

Occupations.	Year ended 17th February—				From 18th Feb., 1896, to 30th June, 1897.	Year ended 30th June—	
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		1898.	1899.
Labourers, Botany Sewage Farm	...	...	...	...	2,920	1,317	183
„ Casual Labour Farm	...	...	...	...	.....	44	137
„ Centennial Park and Kensington Jubilee work	...	...	...	...	1,003	1,107	588*
„ Glebe Island	...	...	...	...	.....	127	99
„ Railway Department	...	...	...	...	49	299	826
„ Stock Routes	...	...	...	...	60	25	...
„ Randwick	...	...	...	1,282	1,243	246	...
„ Shea's Creek	...	...	...	2,415	2,442	1,218	...
„ Christmas work, painting ...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	2,760
„ Mittagong, road to the Caves...	...	...	...	...	.....	...	127
„ Homebush reclamation ...	...	...	..	...	.....	...	35
Laundry Hands	1	4	...	...	2	6	2
Leather-dresser	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1
Lecturers	2	...	..	...	.....	...	...
Locksmiths	...	...	...	2	.....	...	...
Machinists (Iron)	9	3	...	...	4	...	...
Marble Hands	1	3	3	...	.....	...	...
Married Couples	157	256	230	192	112	38	56
Masons (Stone)	47	18	...	35	31	16	9
„ (Rubble)	...	...	1	...	18	5	3
„ (Marble)	...	...	...	8	1	...	...
Master Mariners	...	2	...	...	.....	...	...
Mattress-maker	...	...	...	...	.....	1	...
Meat-preserver	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Millers	...	...	...	...	1	4	2
Millwrights	1	3	4	...	2	3	...
Miners	165	301	216	184	155	114	117
„ (Fossickers), from Sydney ...	...	2,989	7,573	3,917	1,326	937	360
„ „ other places... ...	...	1,527	2,561	2,749	208		
Miners' Rights only	...	...	584	427	113	...	...
Mine Managers	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Musicians	7	4	...	...	.....	1	1
Netmakers	...	3	...	...	.....	...	...
Oilmakers (Eucalyptus)	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Oven-maker	...	...	...	...	.....	1	...
Overseers	3	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Packers	...	...	7	...	.....	...	...
Painters and Paperhangers	305	85	60	138	87	33	20
Pattern-makers	8	4	4	11	3	...	...
Photographers	...	4	4	1	.....	1	...
Pipelayers	2	8	27	8	6	...	...
Pisè-builders	...	...	...	2	.....	...	...
Plasterers	119	31	14	15	21	14	15
Platelayers	1	4	...	15	14	8	1
Plumbers	49	30	27	18	21	7	4
Porters	...	...	...	...	.....	2	...
Printers and Compositors...	79	18	42	9	5	7	10
Quarrymen	...	38	12	56	25	10	6
Rabbit-trappers	...	...	...	...	.....	...	4
Reporters	...	2	1	...	.....	...	...
Riveters	...	...	...	16	.....	...	...

* Centennial Park only.

No. 43.—Number and Occupations of Persons assisted to Employment by the Government Labour Bureau, 1893–99—*continued.*

Occupations.	Year ended 17th February—				From 18th Feb., 1896, to 30th June, 1897.	Year ended 30th June—	
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.		1898.	1899.
Saddle and Harness Makers	11	13	15	7	9	5	3
Sailors	6	...	9	...	.....	...	...
Sandwich-men	...	...	...	22	.....	...	...
Sawyers	84	15	15	20	16	5	1
Scabblers	...	...	...	...	5	...	...
Shearers	517	210	134	310	103	79	72
Shipgrainers	3	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Shipwrights	35	23	6	6	5	2	...
Shorthand-writer	...	1	...	...	.....	...	...
Signwriters	1	5	2	2	3	...	...
Slaters	4	3	3	4	1	1	2
Slaughtermen	...	...	1	3	5	...	...
Sleeper-squarers	104	28	4	34	11	3	23
Smelters	...	6	7	3	6	3	1
Soapmakers	...	4	...	...	.....	...	...
Solicitors	9	...	...	...	.....	1	...
Special Work	...	...	...	2,662	.....	...	...
Station Hands	462	468	632	385	345	275	214
Station Overseers	...	...	...	...	3	2	...
Stonebreakers	181	...	25	74	66	29	17
Store Hands	41	30	13	6	3	13	25
Sugar-cane Hands	46	...	14	2	.....	...	...
Surveyors' Hands	19	9	18	15	9	9	5
Tailors	27	19	27	27	8	5	7
Tanksinkers	19	...	...	3	.....	...	...
Teamsters	...	11	...	...	.....	...	...
Tentmakers	...	...	...	...	.....	4	...
Tilelayer	...	...	1	...	.....	...	...
Tinsmiths	17	19	3	20	8	5	2
Tipcart-drivers	...	...	...	42	.....	...	...
Tutors	5	8	10	10	4	10	6
Upholsterers	4	4	6	2	1	...	1
Vignerons	3	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Village Settlers	...	322	31	1	.....	...	...
Waiters, Stewards, &c.	67	22	5	8	1	1	5
Warders	1	...	2	...	.....	...	2
Watchmakers	...	1	...	...	.....	1	1
Watchmen	...	...	1	1	1	2	...
Weavers	...	2	...	5	.....	...	...
Well-borers	55	16	6	2	.....	1	3
Wheelwrights	49	19	8	33	15	4	4
Whitesmiths	...	2	...	...	.....	...	...
Wireworkers	...	5	...	...	.....	...	...
Women to join husbands	...	...	...	...	.....	...	22*
Woodturners	...	4	...	...	1	...	...
Woolclassers	...	5	9	17	10	6	6
Wool Hands (Store)	111	72	71	32	124	...	...
Woolpressers	...	...	...	15	3	9	8
Woolsorters	...	...	...	9	4	...	5
Woolwashers	...	...	...	...	.....	10	38
Unspecified	57	...	...	...	.....	...	...
Total	8,154	10,349	16,381	20,576	13,718	7,781	7,228

* With 59 children.

No. 44.—Expenditure on Relief Works, &c., by the Government Labour Bureau, 1896-99.

Relief Works, &c.	From February to June, 1896.	Year ended 30th June—		
		1897.	1898.	1899.
Relief Works—	£	£	£	£
Centennial Park	1,490	1,401	2,000	Nil.
Special Wages Work—				
Church and School Lands (wages) ...	*	3,717	Nil.	Nil.
Free rations	.....	80	64	54
Fossickers' rations	9	8	141	30
Railway and steamer fares (less refunds) ...	3,576	5,530	1,265	1,199
Total Relief Works, &c.... ...	5,075	10,736	3,470	1,283

* Not available.

NOTE.—Further relief has been afforded by the Government to the labour market by the employment of men, on the books of the Labour Bureau, in connection with railway deviation works, Botany Sewage Farm, Glebe Island, Casual Labour Farm, Centennial Park, Mittagong Road, Homebush reclamation works, Christmas work (painting park railings, &c.), and Bogan Scrub.

No. 45.—Average Annual Cost per Inmate of each State Asylum for the Infirm and Destitute, Year ended June, 1899.

Asylum.	Average Number resident.	Annual Cost to Government per Inmate.	Asylum.	Average Number resident.	Annual Cost to Government per Inmate.
	No.	£ s. d.		No.	£ s. d.
Liverpool	916	15 6 5	Parramatta, George-street	1,028	14 13 11
			„ Macquarie-street	377	12 16 1
Newington	780	9 18 10	Rookwood...	701	12 11 4

No. 46.—Average Weekly Cost per Inmate of each State Asylum for the Infirm and Destitute, Year ended June, 1899.

Classification.	Liverpool.	Newington	Parramatta.		Rookwood.
			George-street.	Macquarie-street.	
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Weekly cost, calculated on average number of inmates—					
Salaries and money allowances	1 0	0 10½	0 7¼	0 8	0 10¾
Provisions, extras, medical comforts, and forage ...	3 2¾	2 2¼	3 5¼	2 8	3 8¼
All other expenses	1 10	1 5¼	1 8½	1 8½	1 8
Total weekly cost for maintenance per inmate ...	6 0¾	4 6	5 9	5 0½	6 3
Average weekly contribution towards Revenue per inmate	0 2	0 8½	0 1½	0 1½	1 5
Weekly cost per inmate, deducting contribution towards Revenue	5 10¾	3 9½	5 7½	4 11	4 10

Average Weekly Cost.—The Average Weekly Cost for all State Asylums for the Infirm and Destitute, without deducting contributions, is 5s. 7¼d., or, deducting contributions, 5s. 1¼d.

No. 47.—Operations and Transactions of Charitable

Institutions.	Indoor Relief.										
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.		
				Adults.		Children.		Total.			
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.	Beds.
METROPOLITAN.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Government—											
Labour Bureau—Relieving Branch	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
State Children's Relief Board—											
Central Home (Paddington)	600	514	1,114	..	3	5	16	24	..	..	50
Roman Catholic—											
Blind Asylum (Lewisham)	..	8	8	..	..	2	6	8	..	..	12
Female Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (William-street, Woolloomooloo)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20
Good Samaritan Industrial School (Manly)	38	..	38	..	..	112	..	112	..	..	82
Home of the Good Samaritan (Pitt-st., Sydney)	..	38	38	..	55	..	..	55	..	..	64
Magdalene Retreat (Tempe)	..	32	32	..	97	..	..	97	..	..	100
Mater Misericordiæ Home (Church Hill, Sydney)	..	280	280	..	29	..	..	29	..	..	40
Home for the Aged Poor (Randwick)	..	..	*	30	38	..	..	68	*	..	*
St. Joseph's Providence (Cumberland-st., Sydney)	..	14	14	..	15	..	57	72	..	..	74
St. Margaret's Maternity Home (Elizabeth-st., Sydney)	..	124	124	..	23	5	3	31	..	6	46
St. Martha's Industrial Home (Leichhardt)	..	20	20	..	..	..	54	54	..	2	56
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (27 Branches)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Church of England—											
Children's Home (Balmain)	4	16	20	..	..	6	19	25	..	..	26
Church Rescue Home for the Intemperate and Fallen (Paddington)	..	93	93	..	32	..	..	32	..	..	32
Labour Home (Ultimo)	370	..	370	41	..	..	..	41	..	..	36
Wesleyan—											
Central Mission Children's Home (Woolloomooloo)	2	8	10	..	..	7	13	20	..	..	24
Salvation Army—											
Rescued Sisters' Home (Newtown)	..	165	165	..	20	..	1	21	..	..	25
Maternity Home (Burwood)	..	53	53	..	18	..	1	19	..	..	26
Prison Gate Home (Enmore)	172	..	172	29	..	..	..	29	..	..	41
Industrial Colony (near Manly)	61	..	61	10	..	..	..	10	..	..	24
Hebrew—											
Ladies Dorcas Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sir Moses Montefiore Home (Moore Park, Sydney)	23	..	23	8	4	..	..	12	..	..	14
Public—											
Annandale Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Ashfield Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Asylum for Destitute Children (Randwick)	36	21	57	..	..	85	73	158	..	..	195
Balmain Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Benevolent Society of N.S.W. (Pitt-st., Sydney)	308	650	958	..	58	47	35	140	5	99	180
Botany Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Boys' Brigade (Kent-street, Sydney)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Charity Organization Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (Sydney)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	146
Erskineville Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

NOTE.—The information is given for the last financial year of the different

Institutions and Societies, for the year 1898.

Outdoor and other Relief (provisions, meals, clothing, cash, etc.).		Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
Cases.	Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
751	4,856	1,794	..	..	1,794	..	1,794	..	1,794	
..	....	41,727	904	..	42,631	..	40,032	2,599	*42,631	Receiving-house; children only remain until boarded out. * Expenditure by the State Children's Relief Board, excluding Cottage Homes, see Table No. 40.
..	....	..	214	65	279	..	104	59	163	Conducted by the Sisters of the Little Company of Mary.
..	....	..	121	115	236	3	228	5	236	19 women sheltered nightly, and 31,838 meals provided. Conducted by the Nursing Sisters of the Little Company of Mary.
..	....	..	1,299	928	2,227	350	1,152	725	2,227	Largely self-supporting.
*	*	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	Conducted by the Good Samaritan Sisters.
..	....	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	Mainly supported by laundry work. * Information not supplied.
..	....	..	21	485	506	..	495	..	495	Conducted by the Sisters of Mercy. Home and Training School for domestic servants. Mainly supported by laundry work.
*	*	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	Conducted by the Little Sisters of the Poor, and supported mainly by gifts in kind. * Information not supplied.
‡150	....	..	..	..	*	..	....	..	*	Conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph. * Information not supplied. ‡ 2,551 meals also given.
58	....	..	82	586	668	29	645	39	713	
..	234	..	1,021	996	2,017	33	911	126	1,070	
1,355	5,006	..	1,502	277	1,779	..	....	1,732	1,732	
..	....	..	236	4	240	..	252	2	254	Largely supported by gifts in kind.
..	....	..	191	719	910	21	716	74	811	Mainly supported by laundry work.
..	....	..	134	517	651	..	609	97	706	Inmates employed making fruit-cases and selling firewood. 40,573 meals provided, and 13,459 beds occupied during year.
..	....	100	266	..	336	2	294	13	309	Conducted on the Barnardo system.
..	....	..	121	323	444	..	444	..	444	
710	....	..	60	634	694	..	360	334	694	52 births also occurred in the Institution.
..	....	150	10	999	1,159	..	981	178	1,159	
..	....	150	35	1,351	1,536	600	936	..	1,536	
..	....	..	188	11	199	..	....	230	230	In addition to general relief a number of pensioners are supported.
..	200	..	587	18	605	..	669	36	705	In addition to general relief and shelter a number of pensioners are supported.
..	....	121	43	22	186	..	....	195	195	
26	123	..	36	..	36	..	....	34	34	
..	....	..	511	2,503	3,014	193	3,078	260	3,531	
202	853	241	38	30	309	..	....	275	275	
2,618	8,529	9,698	1,597	4,114	15,409	100	10,219	2,891	13,210	228 births occurred in the institution.
..	....	97	20	35	152	..	....	136	136	
..	....	..	298	80	378	..	15	281	296	Boys are taught to read and write, &c., and a gymnasium is provided.
2,102	3,180	..	604	48	652	..	296	451	747	
..	....	70	406	34	510	200	649	..	849	103,650 meals provided, and 47,732 persons sheltered.
215	1,040	66	8	19	93	..	....	90	90	

Institutions or Societies which does not always end on 31st December.

No. 47.—Operations and Transactions of Charitable

Institutions.	Indoor Relief.										
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.		
				Adults.		Children.		Total.			
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.	Beds.
METROPOLITAN—*continued.*											
Public—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Freemasons' Benevolent Institution	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Female School of Industry	..	9	9	..	3	..	36	39	..	..	40
Firemen's Widows and Orphans' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
French Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
German Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glebe Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Highland Society of N.S.W.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Home Visiting and Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hunter's Hill Relief Organization	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Industrial Blind Institution	10	..	10	41	5	..	..	46	2	..	..
*Industrial Home for Blind Women (Strathfield).	..	7	7	..	32	..	..	32	..	..	52
Infants' Home (Ashfield)	27	59	86	..	15	19	22	56	..	8	60
Kaiser Wilhelm Spende (Elizabeth-street, Sydney)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Leichhardt Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Newtown Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
North Sydney Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Leonards' Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
N.S.W. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, and Blind (Darlington)	6	2	8	..	..	61	53	114	..	..	140
Nurses' Home—District Nurses' Fund	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Paddington Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Petersham, Marrickville, and District Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queen's Jubilee Fund (for Women)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Randwick and Coogee Sick and Poor Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. George's Ladies' Benevolent Society (Kogarah)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Peter's Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sydney Female Refuge (Pitt-street, Sydney)	..	45	45	..	35	..	..	35	1	..	36
Sydney Female Mission Home (Glebe Point)	36	99	135	..	8	4	1	13	..	2	15
Sydney City Mission	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Sydney Night Refuge and Reformatory (Francis-street, Woolloomooloo)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	40
Sydney Rescue Work Society—											
Home of Hope (Newtown)	..	296	‡296	..	54	24		78	2	23	66
Open All Night Refuge	..	288	‡288	..	42	9		51	..	..	40
Babies' Home	7	8	15	..	..	11	15	26	..	6	24
Waterloo Ladies' Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Waverley Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Woollahra Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Animals Protection Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Women's Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Metropolitan	1,700	2,849	4,549	159	586	802		1,547	10	146	1,826

* The return is for

Institutions and Societies, &c.—*continued.*

Outdoor and other Relief (Provisions, Meals, Clothing, Cash, &c.)		Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
Cases.	Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
..	‡29	..	521	588	1,109	..	426	63	489	‡ Annuitants.
..	....	..	325	337	662	9	571	72	652	
1	5	..	..	17	17	..	....	65	65	
..	*80	..	142	..	142	..	....	137	137	*Persons assisted through funds, fares paid, and medical attendance.
93	....	..	58	70	128	..	....	121	121	
..	....	190	121	19	330	..	3	243	246	
‡21	....	..	142	..	142	..	249	..	249	This represents only the charitable work of the Society. ‡ Pensioners representing about 50 persons.
103	....	..	392	216	608	..	347	15	362	£285 granted as loans, and £108 repaid.
..	....	24	19	3	46	..	5	49	54	
..	....	1,024	819	3,280	5,123	3,124	4,382	680	8,186	Mainly self-supporting. No resident inmates.
..	....	500	443	343	1,286	..	464	415	879	297 persons were on the books of the Home Teaching Department. They were visited, and received 4,280 volumes on loan.
..	167	448	467	365	1,280	31	1,077	66	1,174	Mothers of the children are also sheltered.
442	....	..	55	18	73	..	15	54	69	
100	....	100	53	68	221	..	....	278	278	
47	....	250	755	517	1,522	..	2,370	141	2,511	For transactions of this society since its establishment see Table No. 50, Part "Shipping."
..	....	198	102	8	308	..	....	224	224	
92	420	117	117	1	235	..	....	248	248	
..	....	..	32	..	32	..	....	36	36	
..	....	450	10,956	2,795	14,201	47	4,047	..	4,094	
135	....	..	63	4	67	..	....	91	91	1,765 visits made to the poor.
..	....	11	41	85	137	..	....	268	268	
88	....	99	53	..	152	..	....	150	150	
..	211	..	12	1,058	1,070	..	73	892	965	Endowment Fund, £19,418.
..	....	113	43	72	228	..	3	346	349	
..	....	39	51	89	179	..	1	167	168	28 families assisted every fortnight.
..	....	140	59	52	251	..	....	247	247	
..	....	..	93	562	655	30	959	..	989	Largely self-supporting.
..	....	98	293	68	459	..	285	8	293	
1,560	8,413	150	801	..	951	..	....	893	893	This only represents relief given, not the transactions of the "Mission."
..	....	..	136	..	136	13	94	23	130	13,140 beds and breakfasts provided to 1,600 distinct persons during the year.
2,784	....	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	....	117 births occurred in the Institution.
19,902	....	731	1,615	1,082	3,428	161	2,374	900	3,435	‡60 children also admitted. ‡82 children also admitted.
..	....									
..	....	51	7	114	172	..	....	157	157	
..	....	12	35	28	75	..	....	211	211	
..	....	58	89	61	208	..	....	158	158	
..	....	144	158	131	433	..	325	63	388	
..	....	50	38	164	252	..	163	109	272	
33,555	33,346	59,211	29,659	27,128	115,998	4,946	83,112	18,452	106,510	Total Metropolitan.

the year 1897.

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Institutions.	Indoor Relief.										
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.		
				Adults.		Children.		Total.			Beds.
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.	
COUNTRY.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Government—											
Liverpool Asylum	1,263	..	1,263	910	..	..	..	910	259	..	654
*Newington Asylum	69	655	724	63	662	4	..	729	118	..	720
Parramatta Asylum (George-street)	1,050	..	1,050	1,186	..	..	..	1,186	165	..	869
,, (Macquarie-street)	454	..	454	380	..	..	..	380	70	..	350
Parramatta Cottage Homes (21)	8	10	18	20	24	..	..	44	7	..	44
Rookwood Asylum	1,207	1	1,208	665	1	..	..	666	112	..	610
State Children's Relief Board—Parramatta and Mittagong Cottage Homes (9)	57	91	148	11	11	41	119	182	..	1	164
Aborigines' Protection Board	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Roman Catholic—											
Albury Female Orphanage	..	20	20	..	..	..	48	48	..	..	70
Bathurst Female Orphanage	..	24	24	..	1	..	52	53	..	..	58
Goulburn Female Orphanage	..	8	8	..	..	..	32	32	..	..	66
Home for Mental Invalids (Ryde)	..	4	4	..	8	..	..	8	..	..	14
Orphanage of Our Lady of Mercy (Ryde)	..	29	29	..	..	..	26	26	..	..	39
St. Ann's Orphanage (Liverpool)	..	6	6	..	..	..	78	78	..	..	78
St. Joseph's Orphanage (Kincumber)	25	..	25	..	..	70	..	70	..	..	74
St. Vincent de Paul Home (Westmead)	41	..	41	..	..	76	..	76	..	..	67
Singleton Orphanage	..	7	7	..	..	..	11	11	..	..	19
Institute for Deaf and Dumb (Waratah)	1	3	4	..	3	7	19	29	..	..	70
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (Goulburn and Parramatta)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Salvation Army—											
Rescue Home for Women (Bathurst)	..	22	22	..	5	..	4	9	..	..	10
,, ,, ,, (Newcastle)	..	22	22	..	7	..	2	9	..	..	11
Public—											
N.S.W. Society for providing Homes for neglected Children—Children's Homes, Liverpool	8	7	15	..	..	15	33	48	..	..	36
N.S.W. Society for providing Homes for neglected Children—Boys' Home, Camden	11	..	11	..	..	16	..	16	..	..	16
Albury Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Armidale Relief Society	..	1	1	1	2	..	..	3	..	..	4
Bathurst Poor Relief Society	29	7	36	13	8	..	..	21	3	..	24
Bega Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bombala Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bourke and District Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Braidwood Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Broken Hill Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Casino Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cooma Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Forbes Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Glen Innes Ladies' Benevolent Society	4	8	12	1	3	..	..	4	..	..	8
Goulburn Ladies' City Mission and Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Grafton Benevolent Asylum	14	5	19	12	4	..	..	16	2	..	16
Gulgong Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Gunnedah Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..

* Includes the Boys'

Institutions and Societies, &c.—*continued.*

Outdoor and other Relief (Provisions, Meals, Clothing, Cash, &c.)		Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
Cases.	Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
..	....	14,336	118	178	14,632	47	14,585	..	14,632	For men only.
..	....	9,116	192	88	9,396	384	9,012	..	9,396	Principally for women.
..	....	15,526	106	261	15,893	301	15,592	..	15,893	
..	....	5,480	12	73	5,565	100	5,465	..	5,565	For men only.
..	....	785	..	..	785	..	785	..	785	For old married couples.
..	....	10,854	58	397	11,309	182	11,127	..	11,309	Principally for men
..	....	2,536	..	..	2,536	..	2,536	..	2,536	
..	....	16,591	..	..	16,591	..	16,591	..	16,591	The total population on 15th October, 1898, was 6,891 (3,230 full-bloods, and 3,661 half-castes). The average monthly number in receipt of aid from the Board was 2,634 (1,423 adults and 1,211 children). There are 118 reserves for the use of aborigines, the total area being 23,480 acres.
..	....	..	106	201	307	..	300	..	300	
..	....	..	449	240	689	39	650	..	689	Conducted by the Sisters of Mercy.
..	....	..	206	98	304	6	248	20	274	
..	....	..	..	..	....*	..	....	..	....*	* Information not supplied.
..	....	..	101	9	110	..	104	..	104	Conducted by the Sisters of Mercy.
..	....	..	550	20	570	1,760	550	60	2,370	Conducted by the Sisters of Charity.
..	....	..	..	..	....*	..	....	..	....*	Conducted by the Sisters of St. Joseph. * Information not supplied.
..	....	250	311	328	889	50	240	360	650	The St. Aloysius Home at Five Dock was closed during the year, and the inmates were transferred to this institution. The boys are being taught useful trades.
..†	....†	..	..	50	50	..	114	..	114	† No record.
..	....	..	219	246	465	19	272	23	314	
596	1,777	..	53	35	88	..	....	86	86	
..	....	..	70	125	195	..	195	..	195	Fifteen births occurred in the institution.
..	....	..	80	79	159	..	159	..	159	Fourteen births occurred in the institution.
..	....	100	158	223	481	40	407	64	511	
..	....	116	80	37	233	..	....	235	235	
162	344	113	67	69	249	..	139	33	172	Inmates reside in a Cottage Home.
..	200	355	232	63	650	..	274	437	711	
20	65	44	40	..	84	..	....	94	94	
..	....	34	35	13	82	..	....	46	46	
..	....	124	91	..	215	..	2	184	186	
..	....	38	31	..	69	..	6	81	87	
86	298	75	179	20	274	..	....	233	233	
..	....	20	7	..	27	..	....	26	26	
240	....	78	47	18	143	..	....	108	108	
..	....	59	91	..	150	..	....	123	123	
61	141	250	45	26	321	421	89	19	529	Four Cottage Homes opened in May, 1898.
‡306	‡654	138	119	31	288	..	45	225	270	‡ Includes 179 travellers.
179	454	213	197	43	453	7	442	84	533	
23	69	24	41	35	100	..	....	81	81	
..	63	61	52	23	136	..	....	183	183	

Home, Newington.

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Institutions.	Indoor Relief.										
	Admissions.			Inmates at end of Year.					Deaths during the Year.		
				Adults.		Children.		Total.			
	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.		Adults.	Children.	Beds.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Hawkesbury Benevolent Society (see Windsor Hospital, Tables Nos. 2 and 6).	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hay Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hillgrove Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Inverell Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Junee Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kempsey Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Kiama Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lismore Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Lithgow Benevolent and Poor Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Liverpool Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Maitland Benevolent Society	68	8	76	25	15	..	..	40	3	3	59
Milton and Ulladulla Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Moruya Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mudgee District Benevolent Society	2	4	6	..	4	2	..	6	..	..	6
Narrabri Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Narrandera Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Newcastle and Northumberland Benevolent Society	35	39	74	28	32	9	5	74	10	1	64
Newcastle Mutual Help Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Newcastle Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Orange Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Parramatta Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	4
Penrith Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Queanbeyan Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Singleton and Patrick's Plains Benevolent Society (see Tables Nos. 2 and 6).	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
St. Mary's Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tamworth Ladies' Benevolent Society	1	1	2	1	6	..	..	7	1	..	7
Thirlmere Home for Consumptives	54	35	89	26	11	..	..	37	19	..	40
Tumut Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Uralla Ladies' Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wagga Wagga Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Walcha Ladies' Relief Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wilcannia Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Wollongong Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Yass Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Young Ladies' Benevolent Society	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total, Country	4,401	1,017	5,418	3,342	807	669		4,818	769	5	4,271

SUMMARY.

METROPOLITAN	1,700	2,849	4,549	159	586	802	1,547	10	146	1,826
COUNTRY	4,401	1,017	5,418	3,342	807	669	4,818	769	5	4,271
TOTAL, NEW SOUTH WALES	6,101	3,866	9,967	3,501	1,393	1,571	6,365	779	151	6,097

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Outdoor and other Relief (provisions, meals, clothing, cash, etc.).		Revenue.				Expenditure.				Other Particulars.
Cases.	Distinct Persons.	Government Aid.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Building and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.	
No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£		£	£	
..	....	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	....	
342	....	112	214	5	331	..	....	130	130	
..	....	26	6	24	56	..	....	72	72	
26	....	118	53	..	171	..	....	105	105	
..	....	18	22	9	49	..	....	35	35	
..	....	..	44	..	44	..	....	11	11	
..	....	19	24	..	43	..	....	38	38	
274	429	81	33	11	125	..	....	153	153	
..	....	29	15	..	44	..	....	39	39	
..	....	61	51	19	131	..	....	118	118	
107	520	539	293	54	886	174	743	60	977	
..	....	36	30	..	66	..	....	121	121	
..	....	23	29	..	52	..	....	38	38	
28	46	102	84	30	216	37	136	20	193	Inmates reside in Cottage Homes which were opened in October, 1897.
..	....	7	9	71	87	..	....	157	157	
176	115	44	48	22	114	..	....	91	91	
2,811	8,966	4,387	956	36	5,379	419	1,066	2,139	3,624	Casual relief also afforded men in search of employment. Thirteen births occurred in the institution.
..	....	100	34	16	150	..	....	169	169	
..	....	50	42	..	92	..	1	145	146	
420	....	131	96	3	230	..	....	246	246	
..	216	44	39	30	113	9	145	..	154	At the Travellers' Rest 218 beds were provided and 258 meals given.
..	....	51	67	10	128	..	....	129	129	
30	....	22	31	27	80	..	....	62	62	
..	504	..	..	..	....	..	....	..	...	
..	....	35	32	..	67	..	....	85	85	
156	353	152	155	19	326	20	286	44	350	Four Cottage Homes.
..	....	300	1,190	349	1,839	..	1,084	121	1,205	This institution has since been taken over by the executive of the Queen Victoria Homes for Consumptives.
..	....	30	14	..	44	..	....	53	53	
307	349	..	11	42	53	..	....	101	101	
80	....	87	34	1	122	..	....	129	129	
..	....	34	24	17	75	..	4	50	54	
..	....	37	29	..	66	..	....	48	48	
33	112	104	32	..	136	..	....	112	112	
..	....	29	5	..	34	..	....	13	13	
..	....	33	33	28	94	..	....	88	88	
6,463	15,675	84,157	7,922	3,852	95,931	4,015	83,394	7,727	95,136	Total, Country.

Summary.

33,555	33,346	59,211	29,659	27,128	115,998	4,946	83,112	18,452	106,510	Metropolitan.
6,463	15,675	84,157	7,922	3,852	95,931	4,015	83,394	7,727	95,136	Country.
40,018	49,021	143,368	37,581	30,980	211,929	8,961	166,506	26,179	201,646	Total, New South Wales

No. 48.—Expenditure of Charitable Institutions, 1894–98.

Institutions.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
METROPOLITAN.	£	£	£	£	£
Government—					
Labour Bureau—Relieving Branch	3,097	3,720	1,863	1,942	1,794
State Children's Relief Board	33,219	38,920	40,442	44,143	42,631
†Shaftesbury Receiving Home	...	...	1,036	...	...
Roman Catholic—					
Blind Asylum (Lewisham)...	54	54	72	2,010	163
Female Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (William-street, Woolloomooloo)	220	247	222	222	236
Good Samaritan Industrial School (Manly)	595	1,003	1,263	*	2,227
Home of the Good Samaritan (Pitt-street, Sydney) ...	*	*	*	*	*
Magdalene Retreat (Tempe)	*	*	*	*	*
Mater Misericordiæ Home (Church Hill, Sydney) ...	548	691	749	749	495
Home for the Aged Poor (Randwick)	*	*	*	*	*
St. Margaret's Maternity Home	*	*	*	*	713
St. Aloysius' Industrial School for Boys (Five Dock) ...	704	*	163	236	‡
St. Joseph's Providence (Cumberland-street, Sydney) ...	*	*	*	*	*
St. Martha's Industrial Home (Leichhardt)	716	716	880	1,493	1,070
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (27 Branches)	2,079	1,915	1,684	1,887	1,732
Church of England—					
Children's Home (Balmain)	103	192	193	250	254
Church Rescue Home for the Intemperate and Fallen (Paddington)	919	852	852	960	811
Echo Home for Inebriates	468§	...	...	...	...
Labour Home (Ultimo)	539	234	608	689	706
Wesleyan—					
Central Mission Children's Home (Woolloomooloo) ...	234	273	273	345	309
Salvation Army—					
Rescued Sisters' Home (Newtown)	1,397	1,251	249	372	444
Maternity Home (Burwood)			340	341	694
Prison Gate Home (Enmore)			465	666	1,159
Industrial Colony (near Manly)			476	643	1,536
Hebrew—					
Ladies Dorcas Society	223	305	329	265	230
Sir Moses Montefiore Home (Moore Park, Sydney) ...	1,024	1,024	873	757	705
Public—					
Annandale Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	195
Ashfield Benevolent Society	41	36	36	36	34
Asylum for Destitute Children (Randwick)	3,672	3,249	4,349	4,418	3,531
Balmain Benevolent Society	276	171	201	308	275
Benevolent Society of N.S.W. (Pitt-street, Sydney) ...	11,023	9,705	18,156	14,019	13,210
Botany Relief Society	...	...	...	...	136
Boys' Brigade (Kent-street, Sydney)	540	556	346	308	296
Charity Organization Society	1,009	737	762	1,036	747
City Night Refuge and Soup Kitchen (Sydney)... ...	561	644	644	1,021	849
Erskineville Benevolent Society	...	...	...	125	90
Freemasons' Benevolent Institution	228	318	317	402	489
Female School of Industry...	624	599	620	627	652
Firemen's Widows and Orphans' Fund	32	7	26	59	65
French Benevolent Society	170	212	273	273	137
German Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	121
Glebe Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	246
Highland Society of N.S.W.	735	390	209	249	249
Home Visiting and Relief Society...	69	69	594	594	362
Hunter's Hill Relief Organization	...	...	...	...	54
Industrial Blind Institution	2,324	3,833	4,697	4,741	8,186
Industrial Home for Blind Women (Strathfield) ...	2,181	1,748	2,239	879	879
Infants' Home (Ashfield)	3,418	1,222	1,268	1,337	1,174
Kaiser Wilhelm Spende (Pitt-street, Sydney)	115	115	98	98	69
Ladies' Aid Society...	201	201§	...	...	...
Leichhardt Ladies' Benevolent Society	305	305	400	236	278
Newtown Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	224
North Sydney Benevolent Society...	93	266	393	311	248
St. Leonards' Relief Society	52	51	45	34	36

* Information not supplied. † Only used as a Receiving-home in 1896. ‡ Now incorporated with the Westmead Home.
§ Closed.

No. 48.—Expenditure of Charitable Institutions, 1894-98—*continued.*

Institutions.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
METROPOLITAN—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£
Public (*continued*)—					
National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.	1,545	1,483	1,481	886	2,511
N.S.W. Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, and Blind (Darlington)	3,793	4,336	3,912	4,152	4,094
Paddington Children's Relief and Benevolent Society ...	20	20†	...	...	...
Paddington Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	268
Nurses' Home—District Nurses' Fund	99	99	93	95	91
Petersham, Marrickville, and District Benevolent Society	260	146	125	125	150
Queen's Jubilee Fund (for Women)	1,006	905	1,027	1,014	965
Randwick and Coogee Sick and Poor Relief Society ...	...	...	...	...	349
St. George's Ladies' Benevolent Society (Kogarah) ...	234	234	235	253	168
St. Peters Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	247
Sydney Female Refuge (Pitt-street, Sydney)	1,204	947	1,058	980	989
Sydney Female Mission Home (Glebe Point)	277	234	243	294	293
Sydney City Mission	4,022	3,806	3,633	893	893
Sydney Night Refuge and Reformatory (Francis-street, Woolloomooloo)	200	222	209	186	130
Sussex-street Mission	394	394†	...	...	...
Sydney Rescue Work Society	...	...	3,365	1,735	3,435
Waterloo Ladies' Relief Society	...	...	...	...	157
Waverley Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	211
Woollahra Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	158
Animals Protection Society	...	...	95	375	388
Women's Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. .	...	...	...	178	272
Total, Metropolitan...	86,862	88,657	104,181	100,247	106,510
COUNTRY.					
Government—					
Liverpool Asylum	13,699	13,806	11,087	12,591	14,632
Newington Asylum	9,891	9,033	5,771	7,684	9,396
Parramatta Asylum (George-street)	15,455	13,856	9,768	14,826	15,893
,, ,, (Macquarie-street)	5,878	5,420	7,573	5,498	5,565
Parramatta Cottage Homes	999	925	625	863	785
Rookwood Asylum	8,601	10,041	7,386	8,358	11,309
State Children's Relief Board—Parramatta and Mittagong Cottage Homes	3,001	3,281	3,160	3,229	2,536
Glenfield Farm Home	2,408	3,027†	...	...	...
Rydalmere (Eastwood)	972	793†	...	...	...
Aborigines Protection Board	15,311	17,050	17,312	16,733	16,591
Roman Catholic—					
Albury Female Orphanage	435	172	286	513	300
Bathurst Female Orphanage	401	376	380	565	689
Goulburn Female Orphanage	303	232	120	823	274
St. Ann's Orphanage (Liverpool)	...	...	651	651	2,370
St. Joseph's Orphange (Kincumber)	*	*	*	*	*
St. Vincent de Paul Home (Westmead)	...	636	1,082	1,082	650
Singleton Orphanage	140	125	104	124	114
Institute for Deaf and Dumb (Waratah)...	...	525	503	399	314
Society of St. Vincent de Paul (Goulburn and Parramatta)	...	...	96	188	86
Home for Mental Invalids (Ryde)	*	*	*	*	*
‡Ryde Orphanage	...	...	...	...	104
Salvation Army—					
Wimbledon Farm (near Bathurst)	...	...	398	369†	...
Rescue Home for Women (Bathurst)	...	...	...	72	195
,, ,, (Newcastle)	...	...	...	69	159
Public—					
N.S.W. Society for providing Homes for neglected Children—Children's Homes, Liverpool, and Boys' Home, Camden	...	...	...	577	511
Albury Benevolent Society...	...	...	...	...	235

* Information not supplied. † Closed. ‡ Opened June, 1898.

No. 48.—Expenditure of Charitable Institutions, 1894-98—*continued.*

Institutions.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
COUNTRY—*continued.*	£	£	£	£	£
Public (*continued*)—					
Armidale Relief Society	235	180	523	162	172
Bathurst Poor Relief Society	358	403	624	480	711
Bega Benevolent Society	45	45	80	95	94
Bombala Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	46
Bourke and District Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	186
Braidwood Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	87
Broken Hill Benevolent Society	368	368	278	233	233
Casino Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	26
Cooma Ladies' Benevolent Society	4	133	133	188	108
Forbes Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	123
Glen Innes Ladies' Benevolent Society	95	103	97	163	529
Goulburn Ladies' City Mission and Benevolent Society	317	337	415	344	270
Grafton Benevolent Society	431	431	609	398	533
Granville Benevolent Society	87	78†	...	...	...
Gulgong Relief Society	81	94	78	75	81
Gunnedah Ladies' Benevolent Society	52	31	46	91	183
Hawkesbury Benevolent Society (see Windsor Hospital, Tables Nos. 2 and 6)	...	...	28	...	...
Hay Benevolent Society	81	107	107	130	130
Hillgrove Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	72
Inverell Benevolent Society	79	139	108	146	105
Junee Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	35
Kiama Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	38
Kempsey Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	11
Lismore Benevolent Society	110	113	166	157	153
Lithgow Benevolent and Poor Relief Society	...	...	...	...	39
Liverpool Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	118
Maitland Benevolent Society	1,022	1,073	1,051	1,220	977
Milton and Ulladulla Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	121
Moruya Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	38
Mudgee District Benevolent Society	172	180	194	193	193
Narrabri Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	157
Narrandera Benevolent Society	79	108	142	95	91
Newcastle and Northumberland Benevolent Society	3,763	3,587	8,009	5,886	3,624
Newcastle Mutual Help Society	...	...	...	...	169
Newcastle Relief Society	...	...	...	...	146
Orange Benevolent Society	103	100	107	223	246
Parramatta Benevolent Society	216	235	276	228	154
Penrith Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	129
Queanbeyan Benevolent Society	23	32	25	62	62
Singleton and Patrick's Plains Benevolent Society (see Tables Nos. 2 and 6)	85	155	171	...	...
St. Mary's Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	85
Tamworth Ladies' Benevolent Society	391	349	298	368	350
Thirlmere Home for Consumptives	1,184	1,184	1,394	1,389	1,205
Tumut Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	53
Uralla Ladies' Relief Society	14	14	82	122	101
Wagga Wagga Benevolent Society	30	30	72	114	129
Walcha Ladies' Relief Society	...	...	...	...	54
Wilcannia Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	48
Wollongong Benevolent Society	172	109	99	76	112
Yass Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	13
Young Ladies' Benevolent Society	...	...	...	...	88
Total, Country	87,091	89,016	81,514	87,852	95,136
SUMMARY.					
METROPOLITAN	86,862	88,657	104,181	100,247	106,510
COUNTRY	87,091	89,016	81,514	87,852	95,136
TOTAL, NEW SOUTH WALES	173,953	177,673	185,695	188,099	201,646

‡ Closed.

No. 49.—Charitable Institutions and Societies—Number of, Inmates, and Deaths, 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
METROPOLITAN.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	56	56	58	59	71
Inmates at end of year	1,650	1,921	1,481	1,645	1,547
Deaths in Institutions	131	158	142	127	156
COUNTRY.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	45	45	46	48	74
Inmates at end of year	4,011	4,210	4,061	4,621	4,818
Deaths in Institutions	665	769	746	747	774
NEW SOUTH WALES.					
Institutions and Societies furnishing returns*	101	101	104	107	145
Inmates at end of year	5,661	6,131	5,542	6,266	6,365
Deaths in Institutions	796	927	888	874	930

* Including Societies affording outdoor relief only.

No. 50.—Revenue and Expenditure of Charitable Institutions and Societies, 1894–98.

Year.	Revenue.				Expenditure.			
	Government.	Subscriptions and Donations.	Other Sources.	Total.	Buildings and Repairs.	Maintenance, including Salaries and Wages.	Other.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
METROPOLITAN.								
1894	47,190	19,366	27,966	94,522	3,871	67,719	15,272	86,862
1895	49,779	20,523	19,814	90,116	2,489	75,013	11,155	88,657
1896	62,249	21,096	27,740	111,085	2,877	91,011	10,293	104,181
1897	55,196	18,326	25,928	99,450	5,214	83,411	11,622	100,247
1898	59,211	29,659	27,128	115,998	4,946	83,112	18,452	106,510
COUNTRY.								
1894	81,834	4,700	1,310	87,844	5,352	79,709	2,030	87,091
1895	82,654	4,903	1,463	89,020	3,738	82,012	3,266	89,016
1896	71,514	5,973	2,880	80,367	6,945	67,758	6,811	81,514
1897	75,692	7,757	2,443	85,892	3,722	69,933	14,197	87,852
1898	84,157	7,922	3,852	95,931	4,015	83,394	7,727	95,136
NEW SOUTH WALES.								
1894	129,024	24,066	29,276	182,366	9,223	147,428	17,302	173,953
1895	132,433	25,426	21,277	179,136	6,227	157,025	14,421	177,673
1896	133,763	27,069	30,620	191,452	9,822	158,769	17,104	185,695
1897	130,888	26,083	28,371	185,342	8,936	153,344	25,819	188,099
1898	143,368	37,581	30,980	211,929	8,961	166,506	26,179	201,646

NOTE.—This table has been revised since last issue, and the five years put on a strictly parallel basis.

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PART XI.—FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

No. 1.—Currency.

Denomination of Coin. (Current.)	Standard Weight. Grains.	Least Current Weight. Grains.	Standard Fineness.	Legal Tender &c.
GOLD.				
Sovereign ...	123·27447	122·50000	Eleven-twelfths fine gold, or decimal fineness ·91666, and one-twelfth copper alloy.	Gold being the only standard metal, sovereigns and half-sovereigns are legal tender to any amount, provided that the pieces are not worn below 122·5 and 61·125 grains respectively. The Colonial Act (19 Vic. No. 3), applying to a metallic legal tender, was passed in 1855.
Half-sovereign	61·63723	61·12500		
SILVER.				
Crown ...	436·36363	.....	Thirty-seven fortieths fine silver, or decimal fineness ·925, and three-fortieths copper alloy.	Silver Coinage is legal tender to the amount of 40 shillings only. Under the Act above mentioned the legal tender of silver was limited to the amount named.
Double Florin	349·09090	.....		
Half-crown ...	218·18181	.....		
Florin ...	174·54545	.....		
Shilling ...	87·27272	.....		
Sixpence ...	43·63636	.....		
Threepence ...	21·81818	.....		
BRONZE.				
Penny ..	145·83333	.....	Mixed metal; 95 parts, copper; 4 parts, tin; and 1 part, zinc. The Coinage Act does not prescribe the proportions, but the alloy used is as stated.	Bronze Coin is legal tender to the amount of one shilling. One pound avoirdupois of Bronze is coined into 48 pence, or 80 half-pence, or 160 farthings.
Half-penny ..	87·50000	.....		
Farthing ...	43·75000	.....		

GOLD—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Standard or sovereign gold has a fineness of 22 carat, and is coined into 3·8937 sovereigns (£3 17s. 10½d. per ounce); pure gold, or 24 carat, is worth £4 4s. $11\frac{5}{11}$d. per ounce. The whole of the gold contained in deposits sent to the Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint for melting, assaying, and coining, is accounted for at the rate of £3 17s. 10½d. per ounce, standard or sovereign gold.

SILVER—VALUE PER OUNCE STANDARD.

Monthly average price in the London market during 1898:—

	d.		d.		d.		d.
January ...	$26\frac{3}{8}$	April ...	$25\frac{7}{8}$	July... ...	$27\frac{5}{16}$	October ...	$27\frac{15}{16}$
February ...	$25\frac{7}{8}$	May... ...	$26\frac{5}{16}$	August ...	$27\frac{1}{2}$	November	$27\frac{15}{16}$
March ...	$25\frac{1}{2}$	June ...	$27\frac{1}{16}$	September ...	$28\frac{1}{16}$	December	$27\frac{7}{16}$

Average for year, $26\frac{15}{16}$d.

BRONZE COIN.

The nominal value of one pound (avoirdupois) of bronze coined into pence is 4s., and into half-pence and farthings 3s. 4d.

No. 2.—Receipts of Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855-98.

Branches of Royal Mint.—The Sydney and Melbourne Branches of the Royal Mint were the only institutions of such a kind in existence during 1898 in the British Possessions, the Mints at Calcutta and Bombay being established on a different basis, but a branch at Perth, W.A., was opened on the 20th June, 1899. The Sydney Branch was opened on 14th May, 1855, and that of Melbourne on 12th June, 1872. Gold only is coined in the Branch Mints, the silver and bronze coin required for circulation in the Australasian Colonies being obtained from the London Mint. The expenditure of the Colonial establishments is borne by the respective Governments, the amount granted annually to the Sydney Mint by New South Wales being £15,000; this amount, however, is refunded to the Government under the head of Mint Receipts.

Year.	Mint Charges—		Profit on Sale of Silver.	Fees for Assays and Crushings, and Proceeds of Sweep.	Total Mint Receipts paid into Consolidated Revenue.
	On New South Wales Gold.	On Gold of other Colonies or Countries.			
	£	£	£	£	£
1855 to 1888	264,801	134,809	51,076	57,403	508,089
1889	2,299	4,613	3,434	1,738	12,084
1890	2,432	4,152	4,772	1,852	13,208
1891	2,881	3,854	5,319	1,875	13,929
1892	2,938	3,893	3,164	1,657	11,652
1893	3,624	3,713	4,290	1,571	13,198
1894	4,439	3,759	5,402	3,105	16,705
1895	3,832	3,125	5,058	2,495	14,510
1896	3,487	2,956	5,058	3,346	14,847
1897	3,317	3,259	2,962	2,164	11,702
1898	3,627	3,184	3,896	2,726	13,433
Total ...	297,677	171,317	94,431	79,932	643,357

Mint Charges.

Gold deposited at the Sydney Mint for melting, assaying, and coining is subject to a charge per ounce, and the charges are deducted from the gross value of the deposit. The charges are—

	On Gold raised in New South Wales.	On Gold certified to be the produce of any other Colony or Country.
(1) In deposits of less than 500 ounces, standard.	6d. per ounce, six shillings being charged for a deposit under 12 ounces.	5d. per ounce, five shillings being charged for a deposit under 12 ounces.
(2) In deposits of 500 ounces and over, but less than 5,000 ounces, standard.	4d. per ounce	3d. per ounce.
(3) In deposits of 5,000 ounces, standard, and over.	2d. per ounce	1d. per ounce.

Silver retained.—In addition to the above, the Mint authorities retain all silver contained in deposits, but payment is made for the silver in excess of 2 per cent. at a rate from time to time notified in the *Gazette*. The rate paid from the 1st January to the 30th September, 1896, was 1s. 9d. per oz. fine; from the 1st October, 1896, to the 23rd August, 1897, the rate was 2s. per oz. fine, while on the last-mentioned date it was reduced to 1s. 6d. per oz. fine.

No. 3.—Cost of Administration of Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1889-98.

Year.	Actual Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue.			Mint Receipts (paid into Consolidated Revenue).	Net Annual Charge to Colony for working of Mint.
	On Ordinary Administration (including Pensions, Stores, and Stationery).	On Construction, Repairs, and Furniture.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£
1889	13,622	1,922	15,544	12,084	3,460
1890	14,955	120	15,075	13,208	1,867
1891	14,357	417	14,774	13,929	845
1892	13,344	283	13,627	11,652	1,975
1893	14,293	555	14,848	13,198	1,650
1894	14,028	5,823	19,851	16,705	3,146
1895	13,937	348	14,285	14,510	*225
1896	14,277	493	14,770	14,847	*77
1897	13,866	7,668	21,534	11,702	9,832
1898	14,185	3,771	17,956	13,433	4,523

* Excess Receipts.

No. 4.—Gold Received by Escort at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1889–98.

District.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
Western	19,128	17,397	18,044	17,040	14,820	6,988	7,787	7,224	6,222	4,595
Southern	11,365	12,529	11,068	9,800	14,504	12,038	11,359	13,662	32,533	44,189
Northern	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Total	30,493	29,926	29,112	26,840	29,324	19,026	19,146	20,886	38,755	48,784
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Escort Fees paid into Consolidated Revenue ...	528	505	479	466	476	353	345	412	937	813

Escort Fees.—The Fees for escort and conveyance of gold are collected by the Mint authorities and paid into the Treasury. A uniform rate of 4d. per oz. of the gross weight is charged for escort.

No. 5.—Gold received for Coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855–98.

Year.	From— New South Wales.	Queensland.	New Zealand.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Tasmania.	Other Countries.	Coin.	Total.
				QUANTITY.					
1855 to 1888	oz. 7,182,296	oz. 5,212,784	oz. 2,116,708	oz. 1,438,151	oz. 49,696	oz. 11,804	oz. 15,119	oz. 186,878	oz. 16,213,436
1889	114,486	732,447	4,653	2,820	4,365	.....	1,607	40,097	900,475
1890	119,564	619,367	44,230	681	7,851	.....	807	11,623	804,123
1891	142,470	541,533	84,349	654	12,933	.....	865	4,421	787,225
1892	144,259	578,757	56,964	12	3,593	.....	1,506	117	785,208
1893	171,097	585,042	85,219	101	183	106	1,724	110	843,582
1894	222,989	579,300	44,855	253	113	238	4,894	17,140	869,782
1895	202,317	470,794	83,851	18	.....	39	*3,076	26	760,121
1896	203,336	467,884	36,797	.....	1,488	106	*3,152	46	712,809
1897	203,415	526,430	24,462	.....	.....	72	*2,438	147	756,964
1898	208,916	444,682	46,361	.....	1,127	16,513	*2,292	74	719,965
Total	8,915,145	10,759,020	2,628,449	1,442,690	81,349	28,878	37,480	260,679	24,153,690
				VALUE.					
1855 to 1888	£ 27,391,822	£ 18,574,657	£ 8,362,445	£ 5,906,188	£ 180,289	£ 44,817	£ 51,620	£ 723,841	£ 61,235,679
1889	414,027	2,722,026	17,650	10,769	13,868	.....	6,043	156,090	3,340,473
1890	435,983	2,253,363	176,470	2,477	27,132	.. ...	3,018	45,232	2,943,675
1891	518,249	1,908,799	323,522	2,525	44,508	.....	3,200	17,199	2,818,002
1892	522,866	2,015,549	223,936	47	12,549	.....	5,426	456	2,780,829
1893	619,071	2,036,511	337,066	417	619	369	6,218	425	3,000,696
1894	785,952	2,031,420	181,291	1,018	331	686	17,374	66,706	3,084,778
1895	746,703	1,665,985	344,182	70	.....	133	*11,273	101	2,768,447
1896	759,853	1,681,890	151,566	.....	5,296	369	*11,305	180	2,610,459
1897	755,306	1,802,457	100,235	.....	.....	231	*8,696	570	2,667,495
1898	705,793	1,594,218	188,861	.....	2,491	61,849	*8,181	286	2,621,679
Total	33,715,625	38,286,875	10,407,224	5,923,511	287,083	108,454	132,354	1,011,086	89,872,212

* Including 2,801 oz., valued at £10,461, 1,866 oz., valued at £6,983, 1,997 oz., valued at £7,189, and 1,784 oz., valued at £6,376, received from Western Australia in 1895, 1896, 1897, and 1898 respectively. The corresponding particulars for previous years are not available.

Weight and Value of Deposits.—The weight shown represents the quantity of the rough or unrefined gold, but the value given is that ascertained by the assays.

No. 6.—Gold Coin and Bullion issued by Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1855–98.

Year.	Gold Coin.			Gold Bullion.		Total Value of Gold Coin and Gold Bullion issued.
	Sovereigns.	Half-sovereigns.	Total.	Weight.	Value.	
	£	£	£	oz.	£	£
1855 to 1888	56,035,500	2,388,500	58,424,000	676,991·89	2,704,818	61,128,818
1889	3,262,000	32,000	3,294,000	6,803·62	28,750	3,322,750
1890	2,808,000	.....	2,808,000	27,320·30	115,476	2,923,476
1891	2,596,000	77,000	2,673,000	23,128·25	93,424	2,766,424
1892	2,837,000	.....	2,837,000	216·40	872	2,837,872
1893	2,844,000	125,000	2,969,000	4,150·36	17,509	2,986,509
1894	3,067,000	.....	3,067,000	247·22	998	3,067,998
1895	2,758,000	.....	2,758,000	4,811·55	20,300	2,778,300
1896	2,544,000	.....	2,544,000	15,982·94	67,649	2,611,649
1897	2,532,000	.....	2,532,000	30,821·27	130,448	2,662,448
1898	2,548,000	50,000	2,598,000	4,773·99	20,205	2,618,205
Total ...	83,831,500	2,672,500	86,504,000	795,247·79	3,200,449	89,704,449

Gold Bullion.—The gold bullion issued is generally fine gold, in the form of 10-oz. ingots, which are exported principally to India by the French Bank; but pure gold in smaller quantities is issued to jewellers, chemists, and others.

No. 7.—Silver and Bronze Coin issued at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1868–98.

Year.	Silver Coin.							Bronze Coin.		
	Crowns and Double Florins.	Half-crowns.	Florins.	Shillings.	Six-pences.	Three-pences.	Total.	Pence.	Half-pence.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1868 to 1888	800	98,300	74,000	97,050	28,100	40,550	338,800	24,700	6,300	31,000
1889	200	7,700	3,900	3,900	2,700	3,975	22,375	1,160	400	1,560
1890	200	7,400	8,500	9,200	4,500	5,375	35,175	1,100	360	1,460
1891	...	2,000	1,800	4,100	5,100	4,200	17,200	1,540	440	1,980
1892	...	1,500	4,000	4,300	2,500	1,625	13,925	1,475	590	2,065
1893	...	2,800	2,300	3,500	1,000	425	10,025	390	450	840
1894	...	1,900	1,100	900	1,500	900	6,300	295	*210	505
1895	100	900	700	250	300	2,500	4,750	890	370	1,260
1896	...	2,100	2,300	4,200	1,300	900	10,800	2,000	880	2,880
1897	...	2,000	2,000	4,600	800	7,850	17,250	1,500	†390	1,890
1898	...	21,800	7,000	5,000	1,000	5,000	39,800	3,300	640	3,940
Total ...	1,300	148,400	107,600	137,000	48,800	73,300	516,400	38,350	11,030	49,380

* Including £50 in farthings. † Including £10 in farthings.

NOTE.—Silver and Bronze are coined in London.

No. 8.—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1889–98.

District.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Quantity.										
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
Western	38,517	38,625	41,883	46,316	53,473	87,590	86,609	45,551	44,039	49,243
Southern ...	13,343	14,670	19,182	18,618	23,828	31,919	31,879	25,107	21,947	27,459
Northern ...	34,368	27,872	39,652	43,791	44,893	45,780	16,753	25,215	28,906	22,046
*Locality unknown	28,258	38,397	41,753	35,534	48,903	57,699	67,076	107,463	108,523	110,168
Total ...	114,486	119,564	142,470	144,259	171,097	222,988	202,317	203,336	203,415	208,916
Value.										
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Western... ...	143,800	145,609	156,594	171,445	195,695	302,841	316,982	169,234	162,091	165,520
Southern ...	50,278	53,428	71,239	68,305	89,580	118,717	117,614	93,828	80,315	99,166
Northern ...	117,770	97,311	140,885	155,782	159,656	163,624	60,988	89,943	102,890	77,073
*Locality unknown	102,179	139,635	149,531	127,334	174,140	200,770	251,119	406,848	410,010	424,034
Total ...	414,027	435,983	518,249	522,866	619,071	785,952	746,703	759,853	755,306	765,793

*This represents gold received by escort at the Mint for the Sydney banks, which, after being assayed by the latter institutions, is returned for coinage; the Mint authorities are, therefore, unable to state the place of origin.

No. 9.—Gold received for coinage at Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, from each District in New South Wales, 1898.

Locality.	Weight.	Value.		Locality.	Weight.	Value.	
		Total.	Per oz.			Total.	Per oz.
	oz.	£	£ s. d.		oz.	£	£ s. d.
Western District.							
Bathurst	1,343	5,136	3 16 6	Wellington ...	1,810	6,994	3 17 3
Carcoar	368	1,301	3 10 9	Parkes	11,836	35,357	2 19 9
Orange	3,400	12,371	3 12 9	Forbes	859	3,148	3 13 4
Tuena	65	250	3 16 8	Grenfell	1,457	3,840	2 12 8
Mount M'Donald...	395	1,355	3 8 8	Young	623	2,314	3 14 3
Hill End	1,219	4,698	3 17 1	Wilcannia ...	63	256	4 0 11
Sofala	3,586	13,708	3 16 6	Localities undefined	17,396	55,880	3 4 3
Mudgee	3,479	13,708	3 18 10				
Gulgong	1,344	5,204	3 17 5	Total ...	49,243	165,520	3 7 3
Southern District.							
Cootamundra ...	63	247	3 18 1	Tumbarumba ...	1,227	4,648	3 15 9
Temora	650	2,490	3 16 8	Wagga Wagga ...	33	127	3 16 0
Goulburn ...	538	2,092	3 17 9	Gundagai	3,268	12,426	3 16 0
Braidwood ...	3,862	14,936	3 17 4	Cooma	419	1,486	3 11 0
Araluen	22	85	3 18 2	Kiandra	82	305	3 14 0
Nerrigundah ...	527	2,162	4 2 1	Localities undefined	16,476	57,200	3 9 5
Adelong	101	226	2 4 9				
Tumut	191	736	3 17 3	Total ...	27,459	99,166	3 12 3
Northern District.							
Armidale ...	14,990	52,077	3 9 6	Tenterfield ...	1,169	4,043	3 9 2
Tamworth ...	948	3,668	3 17 5	Localities undefined	2,077	7,419	3 11 5
Bingara	539	1,905	3 10 9				
Copeland	109	380	3 9 9	Total ...	22,046	77,073	3 9 11
Grafton	2,214	7,581	3 8 6				
*Locality unknown					110,168	424,034	3 17 0
Total N.S.W. Gold received for Coinage during 1898 ...					208,916	765,793	3 13 4

* See note to Table No. 8.

Value per ounce.—The value per ounce of pure gold (24 carat), at the mint rate of £3 17s. 10½d. per ounce for gold of standard or 22 carat fineness, is £4 4s. 11$\frac{1}{11}$d. The average value per ounce given in the foregoing table represents the value of rough or unrefined gold—that is, gold containing alloys.

No. 10.—Coin Withdrawn from Circulation, Sydney Branch, Royal Mint, 1876-98.

Year.	Gold Coin.			Silver Coin (From 1873).			
	Nominal Value.	Net Loss by Recoinage.		Nominal Amount.		Net Loss after melting.	
		Amount.	Per cent.	Value.	Weight.	Weight.	Per cent.
	£	£		£	oz.	oz.	
1876 to 1888	561,562	1,712	0·305	111,924	406,997·11	52,990·71	13·02
1889	135,413	378	0·279	3,200	11,636·28	1,381·83	11·87
1890	44,601	403	0·902	2,855	10,381·72	1,190·22	11·46
1891	16,498	46	0·280	3,100	11,272·65	1,314·55	11·66
1892	361	7	1·870	7,582	27,570·80	2,752·00	9·98
1893	216	4	2·070	2,817	10,240·42	1,086·77	10·61
1894	65,557	151	0·231	4,078	14,829·27	1,522·07	10·26
1895	104	3	2·468	3,030	11,019·79	1,161·29	10·54
1896	183	3	1·890	5,331	19,384·33	2,176·78	11·23
1897	500	12	2·457	16,073	58,448·10	5,895·82	10·09
1898	293	8	2·641	10,700	38,907·45	4,365·75	11·22
Total ...	825,288	2,727	0·330	170,690	620,687·92	75,837·79	12·22

Light Gold and Silver Coins.—Light gold coins in parcels of not less than £50 nominal value are received at the Sydney Mint and recoined free of charge, but depositors are required to bear the loss by abrasion. The worn silver withdrawn from circulation is forwarded to England for recoinage.

Seignorage.—The difference between the nominal value of silver and the average price per standard ounce paid by the London Mint represents the seignorage or gross profit. The coinage or nominal value of silver per standard ounce is 5s. 6d., and the price per ounce paid by the London Mint during 1898 averaged 26$\frac{1}{16}$d. The difference, 39$\frac{7}{16}$d., represents the seignorage accrued; against this, however, must be placed the loss to the Imperial Government by purchase of worn silver at its nominal value.

No. 11.—Gold Produced in New South Wales, 1851-98.

Year.	Received at the Sydney Mint for Coinage.		Exported without passing through the Sydney Mint.		Total Production.	
	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.	Weight.	Value.
	oz.	£	oz.	£	oz.	£
1851 to 1888	7,182,296	27,391,822	2,821,014	9,802,991	10,003,310	37,194,813
1889	114,486	414,027	5,463	20,757	119,949	434,784
1890	119,564	435,983	8,196	24,302	127,760	460,285
1891	142,470	518,249	11,113	40,982	153,583	559,231
1892	144,259	522,866	14,243	52,433	158,502	575,299
1893	171,097	619,071	8,191	32,215	179,288	651,286
1894	222,989	785,952	101,798	370,765	324,787	1,156,717
1895	202,317	746,703	157,848	569,226	360,165	1,315,929
1896	203,336	759,853	92,736	313,507	296,072	1,073,360
1897	203,415	755,306	99,402	372,858	302,817	1,128,164
1898	208,916	765,793	131,577	478,537	340,493	1,244,330
Total ...	8,915,145	33,715,625	3,451,581	12,078,573	12,366,726	45,794,198

NOTE.—The Sydney Branch of the Royal Mint was opened on the 14th May, 1855.

No. 12.—Dates of Establishment and Acts of Incorporation of Banks of Issue operating in New South Wales.

Bank.	Head Office.	First Established.		Present Incorporation.	
		Place.	Year.	Act.	Year.
Bank of New South Wales	Sydney	New South Wales	1817	Special Act	1850
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited).	,,	,, ,,	1834	N.S.W. Companies Act, 1874	1893
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited).	,,	,, ,,	1853	,, ,,	1893
City Bank of Sydney	,,	,, ,,	1863	Special Act	1864
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited).	Melbourne	Victoria	1866	Victorian Companies Act, 1890	1893
		New South Wales	1884		
National Bank of Australasia (Limited).	,,	Victoria	1858	,, ,,	1893
		New South Wales	1885		
Queensland National Bank (Limited).	Brisbane	Queensland	1872	Queensland Companies Act, 1863	1872
		New South Wales	1881		
Bank of North Queensland (Limited).	,,	Queensland	1888	,, ,,	1888
		New South Wales	1888		
Bank of New Zealand	Wellington	New Zealand	1861	Special Act	1861
		New South Wales	1875		
Bank of Australasia	London	London	1835	Royal Charter	1835
		New South Wales	1835		
Union Bank of Australia (Limited).	,,	London	1837	English Companies Acts, 1862-79	1880
		New South Wales	1839		
London Bank of Australia (Limited).	,,	London	1853	,, ,, 1862-90	1893
		New South Wales	1853		
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited).	,,	London	1852	,, ,, ,,	1893
		New South Wales	1853		

No. 13.—Number of Offices of Banks of Issue, March, 1899.

Bank.	Head Office.	Number of Offices, including Head Office.			
		In New South Wales.	In other Australasian Colonies.	In United Kingdom.	Total.
Bank of New South Wales	Sydney	93	98	1	192
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited)	,,	118	18	1	137
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited)	,,	78	17	1	96
City Bank of Sydney	,,	20	Nil.	Nil.	20
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited)	Melbourne	5	83	1	89
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	,,	2	115	1	118
Queensland National Bank (Limited)	Brisbane	1	46	1	48
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)	,,	1	11	Nil.	12
Bank of New Zealand	Wellington	1	123	1	125
Bank of Australasia	London	31	116	1	148
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)	,,	23	79	1	103
London Bank of Australia (Limited)	,,	12	35	1	48
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited)	,,	34	46	1	81
Total	.....	419	787	11	1,217

NOTE.—The sub-branches and local agencies of the Banks have been included in the figures shown, and in the case of the Bank of New Zealand, the number given includes two branches in Fiji.

No. 14.—Paid-up Capital of Banks of Issue, 1875-99.

Year.	Number of Banks.	Paid-up Capital.	Year.	Number of Banks.	Paid-up Capital.	Year.	Number of Banks.	Paid-up Capital.
		£			£			£
31 Dec., 1875	10	7,930,000	31 Dec., 1884	14	10,274,300	31 Dec., 1893	13	15,129,749
,, 1876	10	7,970,000	,, 1885	14	10,512,300	,, 1894	13	16,743,737
,, 1877	10	7,990,000	,, 1886	14	11,503,917	30 June, 1895	13	19,306,350
,, 1878	10	8,423,428	,, 1887	16	13,150,320	,, 1896	13	19,531,430
,, 1879	11	9,461,422	,, 1888	17	13,392,084	,, 1897	13	18,356,268
,, 1880	11	9,531,212	,, 1889	17	13,951,788	,, 1898	13	18,519,497
,, 1881	13	10,030,672	,, 1890	17	13,929,326	,, 1899	13	18,092,428
,, 1882	13	10,191,000	,, 1891	16	13,526,136			
,, 1883	13	10,256,500	,, 1892	14	12,384,637			

NOTE.—The decrease since 1896 is caused by the writing-off of portions of the capital of some of the banks.

No. 15.—Shares of Banks of Issue, 1898-99.

Bank.	Shares issued.	Amount of Share.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Amount paid.	Liability per Share.	Remarks.
	No.	£		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Bank of New South Wales..	62,500	20	Mar.,	20 0 0	20 0 0	All calls made. Value of new shares not taken up, £50,000.
do do (New)	35,000	20	1899.	20 0 0	20 0 0	
Commercial Bkg. Co. of Sydney (Ld.)	80,000	25	June, 1899.	12 10 0	12 10 0	All calls met.
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)	155,790	10	do	7 10 0	2 10 0	812 shares of 156,602 unallotted; all calls made; outstanding:—on allotted shares £4,037; on unallotted shares, £2,436.
City Bank of Sydney ..	30,000	8	do	8 0 0	10 0 0	All calls met.
do (New)	20,000	10		8 0 0	12 0 0	
Commerc'l Bank of Australia (Ld.)	281,645	6	do	Capital actually paid up in money, £1,022,399, of which £87,157 represents calls paid in advance, and £12,872 calls paid on forfeited shares. Total amount uncalled and outstanding, £730,189; £1,200,000 written off capital in 1897.		
do do (Pref.)	211,707	10		10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
National Bank of Australasia (Ld.)	239,469	10	Mar., 1899	7 0 0	3 0 0	All calls made; arrears of instalments, £5,183.
do do (Pref.)	30,578	10		10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)..	138,416	5	June, 1899.	3 0 0	2 0 0	All calls made. Arrears and calls due in London, £2,604; uncalled on forfeited shares, £43,168.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	50,000	7	do	2 0 0	5 0 0	All calls met. £100,000 written off in 1898.
Bank of New Zealand	....	....	Mar., 1899	4% Guaranteed Stock—£2,000,000, Fully paid. Preference Shares subscribed for by Govt. of N.Z.—£500,000, Fully paid. Payable by Shareholders—£500,000, in four equal instalments, from June, 1896, to December, 1897; arrears of instalments, £87,646; Reserve Liability, £500,000.		
Bank of Australasia	40,000	40	Oct., 1898.	40 0 0	40 0 0	All calls met.
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	60,000	75	Feb., 1899.	25 0 0	50 0 0	All calls met.
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	49,103	40	Dec., 1898.	25 0 0	15 0 0	897 of 50,000 shares unallotted; all calls made; outstanding on unallotted shares, £8,970. Calls in arrear, £1,805; calls paid in advance, £1,365. Amount prepaid in respect of Reserve Liability, £6,825.
do do (Pref.)	17,193	10		10 0 0	Nil.	Fully paid.
Eng., Scot., & Australian Bank (Ld.)	43,15	25	June, 1898.	12 10 0	12 10 0	All calls met. £431,550 written off in 1898.

No. 16.—Working Capital, Capital Liability, and Reserves of Banks of Issue, 1898-99.

Bank.	Working Capital.						Reserve or Capital Liability on ordinary shares when calls have been met.	Reserve Fund.
	Paid-up Capital.				Amount of calls to be paid on ordinary shares.	Total Working Capital.		
	Date of Balance-sheet.	Ordinary	Preferential.	Total.				
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales ..	Mar., 1899	1,950,000	Nil.	1,950,000	Nil.	1,950,000	1,950,000	1,200,000
Commer'l Bkg. Co. of Sydney (Ld.)	June, 1899	1,000,000	Nil.	1,000,000	Nil.	1,000,000	1,000,000	1,010,000
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ld.)	do	1,168,042	Nil.	1,168,042	6,473	1,174,514	391,505	52,000
City Bank of Sydney	do	400,000	Nil.	400,000	Nil.	400,000	540,000	100,244
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	do	996,655	2,117,070	3,113,725	675,449	3,789,174	Nil.	*Nil.
National Bank of Australasia (Ld.)	Mar., 1899	1,671,100	305,780	1,976,880	5,183	1,982,063	718,407	50,000
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1899	412,644	Nil.	412,644	2,604	415,248	276,832	6,500
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	do	100,000	Nil.	100,000	Nil.	100,000	250,000	4,000
Bank of New Zealand	Mar., 1899	412,355	2,500,000	2,912,355	87,646	3,000,000	500,000	23,474
Bank of Australasia	Oct., 1898	1,600,000	Nil.	1,600,000	Nil.	1,600,000	1,600,000	800,000
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Feb., 1899	1,500,000	Nil.	1,500,000	Nil.	1,500,000	3,000,000	†1,000,000
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	Dec., 1898	‡1,247,415	171,930	1,419,345	1,805	1,421,150	729,720	Nil.
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1898	539,437	Nil.	539,437	Nil.	§539,437	539,437	31,229

* The Assets Special Trust Reserve Account amounts to £143,000.
† Includes £250,000 at Contingency Account.
‡ Includes £6,825 prepaid in respect of Reserve Liability.
§ £431,500 written off during 1898.

No. 17.—Liabilities and Assets of Banks of Issue, according to Balance-sheets, 1890–99.

LIABILITIES.

Year.	Number of Banks.	To Shareholders. (Paid-up Capital, Reserved Profits, and Dividends.)	To Public—			Total.
			Notes in Circulation.	Deposits. (Approximate.)	Other Liabilities.	
		£	£	£	£	£
1890-1	16	21,707,248	4,857,037	124,992,495	14,678,062	166,234,842
1891-2	*15	21,506,567	4,689,147	129,719,199	14,501,803	170,416,716
1892-3	†14	18,443,175	4,228,811	128,127,985	12,895,687	163,695,658
1893-4	‡13	20,740,510	3,826,728	113,760,114	12,445,887	150,773,239
1894-5	13	24,361,560	3,167,699	107,840,764	12,776,013	148,146,036
1895-6	13	24,339,915	3,516,438	105,937,586	12,214,939	146,008,878
1896-7	13	22,976,734	3,407,381	105,308,791	12,832,663	144,525,569
1897-8	13	23,231,681	3,428,471	98,634,933	11,476,020	136,771,105
1898-9	13	22,851,289	3,616,994	98,417,659	11,992,547	136,878,489

ASSETS.

Year.	Number of Banks.	Coin and Bullion.	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
1890-1	16	20,279,010	133,065,215	12,890,617	166,234,842
1891-2	*15	19,562,434	138,533,983	12,320,299	170,416,716
1892-3	†14	20,387,837	131,027,818	12,280,003	163,695,658
1893-4	‡13	22,482,726	112,172,398	16,118,115	150,773,239
1894-5	13	23,601,179	108,372,318	16,172,539	148,146,036
1895-6	13	24,074,136	104,112,471	17,822,271	146,008,878
1896-7	13	22,955,225	101,748,521	19,821,823	144,525,569
1897-8	13	21,618,344	93,825,688	21,327,073	136,771,105
1898-9	13	19,941,825	93,645,990	23,290,674	136,878,489

* Exclusive of Mercantile Bank—incorporated with Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)
† ,, Bank of South Australia—incorporated with Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.)
‡ ,, Federal Bank in liquidation.

No. 18.—Liabilities and Assets of each Bank of Issue, according to Balance-sheets, 1898–99.

Liabilities in New South Wales and Elsewhere.

Bank.	Date of Balance-sheet.	To Shareholders.		To Public—			Total.
		Capital Paid-up and Reserves.	Dividend paid. (Ordinary and Preferential).	Notes in Circulation.	Deposits (approximate). *	Other Liabilities.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£
Head Office in New South Wales—							
Bank of New South Wales	Mar., 1899	3,168,223	87,750	857,042	18,687,657	3,096,422	25,897,094
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	June, 1899	2,029,021	40,000	398,041	10,267,446	781,747	13,516,255
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.) ..	June, 1899	1,227,137	Nil.	117,935	6,800,086	251,248	8,396,406
City Bank of Sydney	June, 1899	509,342	8,000	62,565	1,010,715	555	1,591,177
Head Office in Victoria—							
†Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	June, 1899	3,123,973	21,171	140,910	3,776,918	181,535	7,244,507
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.)..	Mar., 1899	2,078,997	7,644	296,061	6,397,529	751,645	9,531,876
Head Office in Queensland—							
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.) ..	June, 1899	426,644	2,500	Nil.	‡6,522,164	190,616	7,141,924
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.) ..	June, 1899	104,622	Nil.	Nil.	263,714	39,673	408,009
Head Office in New Zealand—							
Bank of New Zealand	Mar., 1899	2,985,829	§	666,223	7,834,481	867,750	12,354,283
Head Office in London—							
Bank of Australasia	Oct., 1898	2,409,970	48,000	444,564	12,456,004	2,369,539	17,728,077
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Feb., 1899	2,526,849	45,000	451,519	14,837,784	2,644,164	20,505,316
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.) ..	Dec., 1898	1,423,917	Nil.	159,212	4,869,734	534,472	6,987,335
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1893	576,700	Nil.	22,922	4,693,427	283,181	5,576,230
Total (13 Banks)	.....	22,591,224	260,065	3,616,994	98,417,659	11,992,547	136,878,489

Assets in New South Wales and Elsewhere.

Bank.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Coin and Bullion.	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£
Head Office in New South Wales—					
Bank of New South Wales	Mar., 1899	4,731,684	18,383,686	2,781,724	25,897,094
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Limited)..	June, 1899	1,975,779	8,747,826	2,792,650	13,516,255
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited).. ..	June, 1899	555,826	6,848,928	991,652	8,396,406
City Bank of Sydney	June, 1899	273,758	1,153,583	163,836	1,591,177
Head Office in Victoria—					
†Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited) ..	June, 1899	798,782	4,011,945	2,433,780	7,244,507
National Bank of Australasia (Limited) ..	Mar., 1899	1,365,982	5,759,980	2,405,914	9,531,876
Head Office in Queensland—					
Queensland National Bank (Limited)	June, 1899	831,419	5,445,168	865,337	7,141,924
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)	June, 1899	44,158	305,509	58,342	408,009
Head Office in New Zealand—					
Bank of New Zealand	Mar., 1899	1,284,921	5,639,147	‖5,430,215	12,354,283
Head Office in London—					
Bank of Australasia	Oct., 1898	3,506,458	12,477,820	1,743,799	17,728,077
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)	Feb., 1899	3,000,269	15,110,259	2,394,788	20,505,316
London Bank of Australia (Limited)	Dec., 1898	862,289	5,483,229	641,817	6,987,335
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited)	June, 1898	710,500	4,278,910	586,820	5,576,230
Total (13 Banks)	.....	19,941,825	93,645,990	23,290,674	136,878,489

NOTE.—The Bank of New Zealand, the London Bank of Australia (Limited), and the English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited) issue a balance-sheet annually; all the others, half-yearly.

*Includes "other liabilities" in some cases. † The deferred deposits of the old Bank, together with specially assigned assets for their redemption, have been transferred to The Special Assets Trust Company (Ltd.); the figures, therefore, embrace only the current business of the Bank. ‡ Includes Inscribed Stock Deposits and Deferred Payments to Queensland Government. § Dividends amounting to £17,500 paid on preference shares not included in balance-sheet. ‖ Includes Assets Realisation Board Debentures.

No. 19.—Net Profits of Banks of Issue.

NOTE—The Profit and Loss Accounts of the Banks whose head offices are in Sydney include "Rebate on Bills Current," but this has been struck out from the accounts as presented below. The figures are also exclusive of interest accrued on deposits, expenses of management, and taxes.

Bank.	Head Office.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Balance brought forward.	Net Profits for half-year.	Total.	Half-yearly Dividend.		Amount transferred to Reserve Fund, &c.	Amount carried forward.
						Rate per cent. per annum.	Amount		
			£	£	£		£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales..	Sydney ..	Mar., 1899	17,235	88,738	105,973	9	87,750	nil.	18,223
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	,, ..	June, 1899	16,681	42,340	59,021	8	40,000	nil.	19,021
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)	,, ..	,, 1899	5,737	1,358	7,095	.....	nil.	nil.	7,095
City Bank of Sydney ..	,, ..	,, 1899	9,029	8,069	17,098	4	8,000	nil.	9,098
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	Melbourne	,, 1899	9,172	*22,247	31,419	{ Pref., 2, Ord., nil. }	21,171	nil.	10,248
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.)	,, ..	Mar., 1899	47,437	12,324	59,761	{ Pref., 5, Ord , nil. }	7,644	nil.	52,117
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)	Brisbane ..	June, 1899	nil.	†10,000	10,000	.....	‡2,500	§7,500	nil.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)	,, ..	,, 1899	66	2,556	2,622	.....	nil.	2,000	622
Bank of New Zealand¶ ..	Wellington	Mar., 1899	74,900	93,920	168,820	.....	¶	¶	¶50,000
Bank of Australasia.. ..	London ..	Oct., 1898	8,822	‖49,148	57,970	6	48,000	nil.	9,970
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	,, ..	Feb., 1899	29,778	42,071	71,849	6	45,000	nil.	26,849
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)**	,, ..	Dec., 1898	1,839	154,791	156,630	.....	nil.	nil.	§§4,572
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)**	,, ..	June, 1898	10,870	††6,034	16,904	... ..	nil.	10,870	6,034

* After allotting £30,000 to Assets Special Reserve Account; not included in balance-sheet.

† ,, £13,879 to Contingency Account; not included in balance-sheet.

‡ Repayment to Government.

§ Including £5,000 to private depositors repayment fund.

¶ The figures for the Bank of New Zealand are for twelve months. The net profit shown (£168,820) is exclusive of the dividend paid on preference shares (£17,500), and interest (£80,000) on Government stock, neither of which appears in the balance-sheet. An amount of £30,617 was appropriated in reduction of the book value of the Assets in Liquidation, £8,303 in reduction of Debenture Conversion Account, and £5,000 in reduction of Colonial Bank Purchase Goodwill Account. The amount shown as brought forward (£74,900) was paid to the Assets Realisation Board, and the amount carried forward (£50,000) will also be paid to the same Board.

‖ After allowing £5,000 for extension of London premises.

** Twelve months operations.

§§ After paying interest on Transferable Deposit Receipts.

†† After paying interest on Inscribed and Perpetual Stocks, and Terminable Deposit Receipts.

No. 20.—Deposits in Banks of Issue, 31st March, 1899.

Preferential Capital represents Fixed Deposits capitalised on and after the dates of reconstruction of the institutions. The holders of these deposits after a certain number of years become ordinary shareholders, but with one exception, the preference either as regards capital or dividends, ceases. (See Supplementary statement).

Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.—Formerly the practice of issuing stocks was confined to one institution—the Union Bank of Australia (Limited); but, since 1893, the English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited), the Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited), the Queensland National Bank (Limited), and the Bank of North Queensland (Limited), have issued Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.

Extended or Deferred Deposits.—Under the terms of reconstruction, the eight reconstructed banks operating in New South Wales were empowered to gradually liquidate the Fixed Deposits by payments in instalments extending over a series of years. The Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited) and the Bank of North Queensland (Limited) have released the whole of the extended fixed deposits long before the dates agreed upon, and some of the other institutions have prepaid part of their deposits.

Bank.	Capitalised (Preferential Capital).	Inscribed or Perpetual Stocks.	Deposits.			Total.
			Extended Deposits.	Fixed at Ordinary Rates.	At Current Account.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Bank of New South Wales	Nil	Nil	Nil	10,860,768	7,826,889	18,687,657
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited)	Nil	Nil	Nil	6,230,208	3,865,012	10,095,220
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited)	Nil	787,664	4,933,333	135,189	891,718	6,747,904
City Bank of Sydney	Nil	Nil	Nil	549,448	533,054	1,082,502
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)	2,117,070	Nil	*1,366,066	465,196	1,713,418	5,661,750
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	305,780	Nil	1,602,341	2,210,634	2,584,554	6,703,309
Queensland National Bank (Limited)	Nil	3,116,621	1,826,826	348,196	1,012,641	6,304,284
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)	Nil	50,000	Nil	92,611	114,086	256,697
Bank of New Zealand...	†Nil	†Nil	Nil	§	§	7,834,481
Bank of Australasia	Nil	Nil	Nil	6,950,585	5,972,827	12,923,412
Union Bank of Australia (Limited)...	Nil	750,000	Nil	7,572,272	6,232,511	14,554,783
London Bank of Australia (Limited)	171,930	Nil	2,876,789	867,321	1,125,037	5,041,077
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.)	Nil	‡2,763,972	476,033	331,100	1,162,685	4,733,790

* Exclusive of "Special Assets Trusts Company, Limited." † The Bank of New Zealand also has 4 per cent. Guaranteed Stock to the amount of £2,000,000, and £500,000 in Preference Shares, subscribed by the Government. ‡ Includes Debenture Stocks. § Information not available.

SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT.

Bank.	Particulars.
	PREFERENTIAL CAPITAL.
Commercial Bank of Australia (Limited)	The preferential shares have priority over ordinary shares, both as to dividends and capital, the preference being continuous in each case.
National Bank of Australasia (Limited)	The preference as regards dividends is continuous, but as regards capital it ceases after the preference shareholders have received ten half-yearly dividends of at least 7 per cent. per annum.
London Bank of Australia (Limited) ...	The preference as regards capital is continuous, but as regards dividends it ceases after the preference shareholders have received five yearly dividends of 7 per cent. per annum.
	INSCRIBED OR PERPETUAL STOCKS.
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Limited)...	Interest 3½ per cent. per annum, to be increased to 4½ per cent. if profits allow. Repayable at option of Bank after 1907, on six months' notice being given.
Queensland National Bank (Limited) ...	Interest 3½ per cent. per annum. Redeemable out of surplus profits on six months' notice being given. Principal immediately repayable if interest not paid, or Bank wound up.
Bank of North Queensland (Limited)...	Interminable Debenture Deposits — These are on the same footing as the ordinary fixed deposits.
Union Bank of Australia (Limited) ...	Inscribed Stock Deposits ... — These are on the same footing as the ordinary fixed deposits.
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Limited).	Two classes of perpetual stocks are in existence, viz., 4 per cent. Debentures and 4½ per cent. Inscribed Stocks. The 4½ per cent. Inscribed Stock is divided into preferred and deferred, the former bearing a fixed rate of 3 per cent., and the latter a dividend of 3 per cent. from the profits (if any), and, if earnings allow, 4½ per cent. after placing £15,000 annually to Reserve Fund. The Deferred Inscribed Stock ranks after the Preferred Inscribed Stock, and both of these after the Debenture Stock, Terminable Deposits, and New Fixed Deposits.

No. 21.—Bank Note Composition paid by Banks of Issue, 1898–99.

(New South Wales business only.)

Bank.	Quarter ended June, 1898.		Quarter ended September, 1898.		Quarter ended December, 1898.		Quarter ended March, 1899.		Quarter ended June, 1899.	
	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.	Average value of Notes.	Composition.
	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.	£	£ s.
Bank of New South Wales ..	462,857	2,314 10	451,281	2,256 10	476,027	2,380 10	487,594	2,438 0	479,389	2,397 0
Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney (Ltd.)	366,051	1,830 10	363,976	1,820 0	399,254	1,996 10	393,022	1,965 10	380,239	1,901 10
Australian Joint Stock Bank (Ltd.)..	113,984	570 0	112,133	561 0	124,513	623 0	123,248	616 10	113,412	567 10
City Bank of Sydney ..	52,942	265 0	52,114	261 0	53,271	266 10	51,395	257 0	52,417	262 10
Commercial Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	8,653	43 10	8,694	43 10	9,250	46 10	10,372	52 0	10,179	51 0
National Bank of Australasia (Ltd.)..	3,860	19 10	4,246	21 10	4,442	22 10	4,261	21 10	5,204	26 10
Queensland National Bank (Ltd.)..	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.
Bank of North Queensland (Ltd.)..	44	0 10	44	0 10	44	0 10	44	0 10	43	0 10
Bank of New Zealand ..	5,926	30 0	5,697	28 10	5,419	27 10	4,403	22 10	4,800	24 0
Bank of Australasia	100,640	503 10	98,558	493 0	106,104	531 0	103,362	517 0	100,888	504 10
Union Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	68,191	341 0	69,393	347 0	68,328	342 0	66,541	333 0	64,931	325 0
London Bank of Australia (Ltd.)..	21,684	108 10	22,946	115 0	24,992	125 0	22,051	110 10	22,524	113 0
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank (Ltd.) ..	8,445	42 10	8,681	43 10	7,340	37 0	6,983	35 0	7,447	37 10
Total	1,213,277	6,069 0	1,197,763	5,991 0	1,278,984	6,398 10	1,273,276	6,369 0	1,241,473	6,210 10

Bank Note Composition.—Prior to the passing of the Bank Notes Act of 1893, the composition payable by the Banks of Issue under the Stamp Duties Act of 1880 was at the rate of 2 per cent. on the average value of notes in circulation, but under the provisions of the Act mentioned, the rate was increased to 2½ per cent. As the Bank Notes Act lapsed in November, 1895, the composition paid since that date was charged at the old rate of 2 per cent. The Queensland National Bank (Limited) and the Bank of North Queensland (Limited) have no note circulation in New South Wales, the notes shown above for the latter bank being old notes not yet presented.

No. 22.—Discount, Overdraft, Exchange, and Deposit Rates of Banks of Issue, 1890–98.

1890–98.

Date.	Discount Rates.		Overdraft Rates.	Sydney Bank Exchange Rate on London at 60 days sight.		Interest on Fixed Deposits—Rate per cent. per annum.		
	Bills at 3 months.	Bills over 3 months.		Buying.	Selling.	* 3 months.	6 months.	12 months.
	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.	per cent.
1890..	7	8	9	99⅜ to 100	100⅜ to 101¼	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
1891..	7	8	9	99½ to 100	100⅛ to 100¼	2 to 3½	3 to 4½	4 to 5½
1892..	7	8	9	99⅜ to 99¾	100⅛ to 100⅝	2½ to 3½	3½ to 4½	4½ to 5½
1893..	7	8	8½ to 9	97 to 99¾	100⅛ to 100¾	2 to 3	3 to 4	4 to 5
1894..	6½ to 7	7 to 8	7 to 9	99½ to 99¾	100½ to 100¾	....*	2 to 4	3½ to 5
1895..	6 to 6½	7	7 to 8	99½ to 99¾	100⅝ to 100¾	....*	2	3½
1896..	6 to 6½	7 to 8	6 to 7½	99½ to 99½	100½ to 100¾	....*	1½ to 2	3 to 3½
1897..	5 to 5½	5½ to 6½	6 to 7	99½ to 100⅛	100½ to 100⅜	....*	1½	3
1898..	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	99⅝ to 100 7/16	100½ to 100¾	....*	1½	3
1893.								
1898.								
January	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100 to 100 7/16	100½ to 100¾	....	1½	3
February	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100 to 100⅛	100½ to 100¾	....	1½	3
March	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100 to 100⅛	100½ to 100¾	....	1½	3
April	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100 to 100⅛	100½ to 100¾	....	1½	3
May	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100	100½ to 100¾	....	1½	3
June	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100	100⅜	....	1½	3
July	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100	100¾	....	1½	3
August	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100	100¾	....	1½	3
September ..	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	100	100¾	....	1½	3
October	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	99⅞ to 100	100⅜ to 100⅛	....	1½	3
November.. ..	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	99¾ to 99⅞	100⅜	....	1½	3
December.. ..	5 to 5½	5⅝ to 6½	6 to 7	99⅝ to 99¾	100½ to 100⅝	....	1½	3

* From 12th May, 1894, deposits for 3 months were discontinued.

The Bills of Exchange Act (51 Vic. No. 2) was passed in 1887. Under this measure the law relating to bills of exchange, cheques, and promissory notes was codified. The form and interpretation of these instruments are specified, and the Act comprehensively defines the legal position of the bank, the drawee or payee, the drawer or payer, and the transferee and the transferrer, &c.

Deposit Rate Reduced.—From the 4th March, 1896, the rate of interest was reduced to 1½ and 3 per cent. per annum for deposits for 6 and 12 months respectively.

No. 23.—Quarterly Returns of Business within New South Wales, of Banks of Issue, 1890-99.

AVERAGE LIABILITIES WITHIN NEW SOUTH WALES.
(Exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders.)

Quarter ended—	Number of Banks.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
31 Dec., 1890	16	1,557,805	127,442	10,064,518	25,395,600	35,460,118	103,572	37,248,937
31 „ 1891	15	1,674,049	146,202	9,188,873	26,470,817	35,659,690	109,823	37,589,764
31 „ 1892	14	1,439,871	104,223	9,207,109	26,357,083	35,564,192	63,093	37,171,379
31 „ 1893	13	1,804,531	75,086	8,557,840	23,584,119	32,141,959	80,596	34,102,172
31 „ 1894	13	1,235,989	146,911	9,412,761	20,380,032	29,792,793	87,427	31,263,120
31 „ 1895	13	1,223,864	117,327	10,222,437	20,406,822	30,629,259	66,602	32,037,052
31 „ 1896	13	1,237,971	111,889	10,707,611	19,128,305	29,835,916	69,000	31,254,776
31 „ 1897	13	1,227,964	112,113	10,582,621	19,024,114	29,606,735	79,711	31,026,523
31 „ 1898	13	1,278,940	125,414	10,812,215	19,040,496	29,852,711	54,228	31,311,293
30 June, 1899	13	1,241,426	130,735	11,265,420	19,381,420	30,646,840	83,670	32,102,671

AVERAGE ASSETS WITHIN NEW SOUTH WALES.

Quarter ended—	Number of Banks.	Coin.	Bullion.	Legal tender notes and Treasury notes.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets. *
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
31 Dec., 1890	16	5,619,111	87,659	.....	1,644,179	43,009,559	287,568	1,788,901	52,436,977
31 „ 1891	15	4,717,659	79,768	.....	1,692,940	45,068,914	265,268	1,771,710	53,596,259
31 „ 1892	14	5,217,371	95,894	.....	1,801,590	44,135,729	227,795	1,839,513	53,317,892
31 „ 1893	13	5,877,891	95,386	148,467	1,918,196	40,024,354	429,620	300,122	48,794,036
31 „ 1894	13	7,330,005	100,525	.....	1,938,321	37,378,947	214,503	232,913	47,195,214
31 „ 1895	13	7,364,659	151,619	.....	1,919,017	35,707,153	†222,731	257,150	45,622,329
31 „ 1896	13	6,760,851	187,845	.....	1,914,483	35,116,696	†223,487	324,466	44,527,828
31 „ 1897	13	5,766,554	175,037	.....	1,816,691	35,697,494	†227,427	297,519	43,980,722
31 „ 1898	13	5,564,870	200,310	.....	1,812,804	34,403,700	†256,997	399,543	42,638,224
30 June, 1899	13	5,847,088	194,356	.....	1,821,382	33,415,708	†227,283	323,758	41,829,575

* **Total Assets.**—Some banks include balances due from branches outside the Colony in the assets, but the figures for 1893 and subsequent years are exclusive of such branch balances; while from 1890 to 1892 they are included, as it is impossible to distinguish them. † Including Queensland Government Treasury Notes.

NOTE.—Under the provisions of the Banks and Bank Holidays Act, 1893, the Banks of Issue are obliged to furnish quarterly sworn returns of transactions within New South Wales only according to the sub-headings given in the above Table. The figures are established on the weekly accounts and represent the average liabilities and assets for the quarter.

No. 24.—Banks' Exchange Settlement: Exchanges, 1894-98.

Period.	Total Amount of Exchanges.	Period.	Total Amount of Exchanges.
	£		£
18th Jan. to 31st Dec, 1894 ...	101,242,905	31st Dec., 1895, to 31st Dec., 1896...	117,718,862
1st Jan. to 30th Dec., 1895 ...	108,509,860	1st Jan. to 31st Dec., 1897	121,645,873
		1st Jan. to 31st Dec., 1898... ...	126,978,018

NOTE—The Banks' Exchange Settlement, or Bankers' Pool, was established on the 18th January, 1894, in order to facilitate the settlement of exchange of notes, cheques, &c., between the 13 banks of issue transacting business in New South Wales. The "Pool" consists of £700,000 in gold, the contribution to which by each bank is regulated by the volume of the business transacted. The gold, which is placed in the hands of three Trustees, is deposited in safes in the vaults of three of the banks, and cannot be circulated or disturbed. No bank is permitted to allow its daily credit balance to fall below 25 per cent. of its fixed contribution to the £700,000.

No. 25.—Liabilities and Assets of Registered Companies receiving Money on Deposit, June quarter, 1899.

Companies furnishing Quarterly Returns of Local Assets and Liabilities.—Since 1841 the Banks of Issue have been obliged to furnish quarterly returns of local Assets and Liabilities; but it was not till 1879, under an Act passed in that year, that other registered Companies receiving money on deposit in New South Wales were required to furnish quarterly statements similar to those of Banks of Issue.

The seventeen Companies which furnished quarterly statements, and which, with the exception of Goldsbrough, Mort, & Co. (Limited), are included with the 570 Companies shown in Table No. 26, practically represent all the institutions which are dependent on outside capital, exclusive of the few established prior to 1879.

Companies not furnishing Quarterly Returns of Local Assets and Liabilities.—Companies formed prior to 1879, and receiving money on deposit, are not required to furnish quarterly statements of local Assets and Liabilities. The number of such, however, is very small. Registered Companies which do not receive money on deposit are not subject to the provisions of the Act which requires the publication of the Quarterly Returns.

Companies.	Date of Registration.	Liabilities. (Exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders.)			Assets.			Paid-up Capital.
		Deposits.	Other Liabilities.	Total.	Landed Property.	Other Assets.	Total.	
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
INVESTMENT COMPANIES.								
Bathurst Investment, Land, and Building Company (Ltd.) ..	June, 1887	8	7,380	7,388	13,810	3,291	17,101	9,713
Civil Service Mutual Building and Investment Society (Ltd.) ..	Oct., 1892	1,217	1,834	3,051	4,214	15,402	19,616	15,171
Colonial Finance, Mortgage, Investment, and Guarantee Corporation (Ltd.)	July, 1888	23,255	89,116	112,371	51,546	96,392	147,938	134,324
Commercial Building and Investment Company (Ltd.)	April, 1881	13,548	137,836	151,384	285,696	11,644	297,340	142,421
Excelsior Land, Investment, and Building Co. and Bank (Ltd.)..	August, 1880	75,703	22,489	98,192	132,141	40,082	172,223	105,888
Haymarket Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Co. (Ltd.)	August, 1880	57,662	40,908	98,570	164,440	47,342	211,782	72,104
Intercolonial Investment, Land, and Building Company (Ltd.)..	Nov., 1885	9,517	7,458	16,975	24,122	37,870	61,992	33,308
Metropolitan Mutual Permanent Building and Investment Association (Ltd.)	Feb., 1880	62,612	72,846	135,458	220,731	56,690	277,421	142,647*
Mortgage, Guarantee, and Mercantile Finance Corporation of New South Wales (Ltd.) ..	March, 1888	8,080	14,381	22,461	23,853	4,982	28,835	34,031
Newcastle and County Mutual Building, Land, and Investment Company (Ltd.)	July, 1886	3,247	6,741	9,988	17,279	17,501	34,780	25,623
New South Wales Mont de Piété Deposit and Investment Company (Ltd.)	April, 1882	7,820	476	8,296	31,220	69,841	101,061	74,082
Sydney and Suburban Mutual Permanent Building and Land Investment Association (Ltd.)..	Feb., 1882	59,896	50,552	110,448	117,738	22,989	140,727	98,581
Sydney Permanent Freehold Land and Building Society (Ltd.)	Oct., 1891	92,605	12,563	105,168	159,210	26,898	186,108	102,756
Universal Land and Deposit Bank (Ltd.)	June, 1891	10,022	6,356	16,378	7,074	18,568	25,642	6,825
TRADING COMPANIES.								
Colonial Sugar Refining Co. (Ltd.)..	July, 1887	68,413	*393,553	461,966	414,896	2,463,119	2,878,015	1,702,000
†Goldsbrough, Mort, & Co. (Ltd.)..	Aug., 1893	37,042	....	37,042	307,520	784,717	1,092,257	963,771
Harrison, Jones, & Devlin (Ltd.) ..	Sept., 1882	25,348	132,678	158,026	157,500	187,746	345,246	100,000

* Includes Debentures, £352,450. † Registered under Victorian Companies' Act; not registered under N.S.W. Act.

No. 26.—Registered Companies under the Companies' Act, on 30th June, 1899.

Returns furnished to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.—Each incorporated Company, registered under the Act, is required to furnish to the Registrar, at least once a year, particulars as to the number of shares, amount of calls, &c.

Membership.—Companies having less than 7 members cannot be incorporated under the Companies' Act, but 7 or more persons may associate for any lawful purpose, and form themselves into an incorporated company **with or without limited liability.**

Compulsory registration of Companies.—No Company or Association exceeding 20, except a Banking Company, in which case the limit is 10, having for its object the acquisition of gain, can be formed without being registered under the Companies' Act, or some Special Act.

Limited Companies.—The liability of the members of a Company is limited to the amount of unpaid shares (issued) respectively held by them, or to such amount as the members may respectively undertake by the memorandum of association to contribute to the assets of the Company in the event of its being wound-up. In the event of a Company winding-up, no past member who had ceased to be a member for a year or upwards prior to the commencement of the winding-up, is liable to contribute to the assets of the Company.

Classification.	Number of Companies.	Nominal Capital.	Value of Shares issued.		Calls Made.		
			Non-contributing (promoters' shares, &c.)	Contributing.	Amount received, including promoters' and non-contributing shares.	Amount Unpaid.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£
Banking	2	5,000,000	Nil.	2,174,515	2,168,041	6,474	2,174,515
Brewing and Aërated Waters	14	1,994,500	1,370,283	31,408	1,400,140	1,551	1,401,691
Dairying	125	678,267	327,346	54,233	376,188	5,391	381,579
Financial, Land, Mortgage, & Building	50	8,595,110	1,041,168	1,196,113	2,040,470	196,811	2,237,281
Trustee	2	2,000,000	Nil.	50,000	50,000	Nil.	50,000
Gas and Electric Lighting	22	964,600	300,203	32,428	332,115	516	332,631
Grain and Milling	10	89,504	55,236	2,707	56,798	1,145	57,943
Hotel	6	389,950	45,945	17,500	63,445	Nil.	63,445
Insurance—							
Fire, Marine, &c.	4	1,400,000	Nil.	162,914	162,914	Nil.	162,914
Life	2	450,000	Nil.	26,956	26,874	82	26,956
Plate Glass	2	7,000	Nil.	511	511	Nil.	511
Manufactures and Works—							
Baking and Confectionery	5	47,100	40,292	155	40,369	78	40,447
Boot	2	276,000	96,007	7,800	103,807	Nil.	103,807
Bricks	5	231,200	227,950	Nil.	227,950	Nil.	227,950
Condiment	2	31,000	Nil.	40	29	11	40
Engineering	11	341,500	64,817	1,557	66,320	54	66,374
Furniture	2	28,000	6,500	Nil.	6,500	Nil.	6,500
Glass Works	3	25,000	1,307	780	2,042	45	2,087
Paint	4	31,000	6,860	8,000	14,710	150	14,860
Printing Works	3	26,210	17,210	90	17,278	22	17,300
Refrigerating, Preserving, & Boiling-down	20	646,700	233,391	171,747	402,175	2,963	405,138
Shearing-machines	2	9,000	2,000	2,009	3,045	964	4,009
Soap Works	3	105,600	71,210	254	71,419	45	71,464
Tobacco	3	275,000	275,000	Nil.	275,000	Nil.	275,000
Miscellaneous (one each)	16	2,505,600	1,890,797	9,490	1,900,285	2	1,900,287
Mining—							
Bismuth	1	10,000	*	*	*	*	*
Cinnabar	1	2,200	1,600	285	1,874	11	1,885
Coal	24	1,252,415	668,359	262,285	924,830	5,814	930,644
Copper	5	171,000	112,195	463	112,529	129	112,658
Gold	37	680,780	155,302	130,544	279,956	5,890	285,846
Kerosene	2	350,000	150,000	175,000	316,841	8,159	325,000
Silver	2	145,000	*	*	*	*	*
Tin	1	12,000	Nil.	3,328	3,234	94	3,328
Newspaper and Publishing	22	235,390	143,739	7,307	149,555	1,491	151,046
Pastoral and Forwarding	17	1,283,924	464,338	103,997	565,046	3,289	568,335
Public Hall, Theatre, and Aquarium	18	149,500	83,503	1,424	83,909	1,018	84,927
Racing and Recreation	7	151,500	12,859	86,102	98,447	514	98,961
Railway and Tramway	2	255,000	*	*	*	*	*
Steamship and Ferry	16	1,300,500	488,562	175,275	657,894	5,943	663,837
Miscellaneous and Trading—							
Druggists	3	361,400	126,351	24,825	151,176	Nil.	151,176
Fruit Merchants	4	85,000	27,810	2,578	30,388	Nil.	30,388
Gravel and Road Metal	2	41,500	34,000	Nil.	34,000	Nil.	34,000
Grocers	2	70,000	55,301	Nil.	55,301	Nil.	55,301
Jewellers	2	31,095	10,378	314	10,654	38	10,692
Land and Estate Agents	2	70,000	61,000	884	61,884	Nil.	61,884
Pearl-shell Fishery	2	13,550	4,000	5,197	8,872	325	9,197
Tailors	4	134,000	107,310	35	107,310	35	107,345
Tanners	2	60,000	30,009	Nil.	30,009	Nil.	30,009
Tea Merchants	3	145,000	50,127	73	50,164	36	50,200
Timber Merchants	4	280,000	Nil.	117,627	117,627	Nil.	117,627
Trading (General), Machinery Merchants, Agents, &c.	38	1,109,283	645,032	22,267	663,151	4,148	667,299
Wine and Spirit Merchants	2	18,000	14,000	1,787	15,312	475	15,787
Other	25	793,660	426,428	113,686	537,676	2,438	540,114

* Information not available.

NOTE.—Many Companies fail to furnish the particulars required by the Companies' Act, and the foregoing table is in several respects incomplete.

No. 27.—Registered Companies, on 30th June, 1899.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTION 8.

Liability of Members limited by Guarantee.—Companies formed under these conditions are registered under section 8 of the Companies' Act.

Merchants' Association of New South Wales, Ltd.
Boolong Dairy Co., Ltd.
Co-operative Mining Exploration and Investment Association of Australasia.
Sydney Marine Underwriters and Salvage Association.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTIONS 9 AND 224.

Unlimited Companies are registered under sections 9 and 224 of the Companies' Act.

City Mutual Life Assurance Society—Return not available.
New South Wales Land, Mortgage, and Investment Association—400 shares issued—No further particulars.

COMPANIES REGISTERED UNDER SECTION 54.

Associations not for Profit, &c.—Associations formed for purposes other than for gain, such as those established for promoting commerce, art, science, religion, charity, or any other useful object, are not required to furnish returns similar to the other Companies; and, although enjoying all the privileges of the Act, these Associations are not compelled to attach "Limited" to their names. No returns of these Companies are required to be furnished to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Animals' Protection Society.
Art Society of New South Wales.
Commercial Travellers' Association of New South Wales.
Coogee Bay Club.
Hospital Saturday Fund of New South Wales.
Incorporated Law Institute.
Institution of Surveyors of New South Wales.
New South Wales Branch of British Medical Association.
New South Wales Chamber of Mines.
Pharmaceutical Society of New South Wales.
Registered Pharmacists' Society of New South Wales.
Stock Exchange of New South Wales.
Sydney Institute of Public Accountants.
Sydney Society of the New Church.
The Institute of Architects of New South Wales.
Union Recreation Club.

No. 28.—Number of Companies Registered under Companies' Act, Number Wound-up, and Amount of Fees Received, 1889–98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
New Companies registered ..No.	139	121	109	74	73	90	77	71	62	88
Companies wound-up .. ..No.	53	50	68	80	78	57	71	55	39	49
Fees received .. .. .. £	2,083	1,604	1,678	1,317	1,123	1,038	1,034	899	867	1,079

The Registration Fees payable under the Act are stated in Tables B and C of the 1st Schedule of the Act. The fees contained in the former Table apply to Companies having a capital divided into shares, and Table C prescribes those fees payable by Companies not having the capital divided into shares. The minimum and maximum charges in Table B are respectively 5s. and £50, and under Table C 5s. and £20.

Companies registered outside New South Wales.—The provisions of the Companies' Act do not apply to companies registered outside New South Wales but operating in the Colony; such Companies may, however, be registered under the Act for the purpose of winding-up and adjusting financial operations within the Colony.

No. 29.—No-Liability Mining Companies, 1889–98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
New Companies registered.. No.	43	73	76	43	15	25	37	44	36	33
Fees received	£ s. 2 12	£ s. 3 13	£ s. 3 16	£ s. 2 4	£ s. 1 3	£ s. 1 10	£ s. 2 0	£ s. 21 9	£ s. 98 10	£ s. 104 19

No-Liability Mining Companies.—The first Act for the regulation of these Companies (44 Vic. No. 23) was passed in March, 1881, and continued in force till the 2nd October, 1896, on which date the "No-Liability Mining Companies Act" (60 Vic. No. 15) was passed, and all subsequent transactions were subject to the new provisions. Under clause 26, a copy of the balance-sheet of each Company must be filed at least once a year at the office of the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies. Clause 52 provides that not less than seven persons can continue to carry on the business of any Company registered under the Act.

Companies operating outside New South Wales.—Under the old Act Companies whose places of operation (or mines) were outside New South Wales, could not register in the Colony. Under the new Act this has been altered, and Western Australian and other mining Companies are now being registered in New South Wales.

Fees.—The maximum fee for registration under the previous Act was 1s.; but under the present measure the fees range from 4d. to £1.

No. 30.—Savings Bank of New South Wales: Balance-sheet on 31st December, 1898.

The Savings Bank of New South Wales was established in 1832 under Act 2 William IV No. 13. The Act provided that the Governor should be President, and the management be vested in nine trustees appointed by the Government, one of whom was to be vice-president.—Under an amending Act, passed in 1853, the number of trustees was not allowed to exceed eighteen, but the trustees were to nominate a managing trustee, who, if not already a trustee, became one by virtue of his office. A further Act was passed in 1862 termed the Savings Bank Consolidation Act.

Ratio of Assets to Liabilities.—The ratio of Assets to Liabilities on the 31st December, 1898, was £1 0s. 11¾d. for every £1 liability.

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	£	£
Sydney—Amount at the credit of 67,946 depositors		3,782,325
Country ,, ,, 10,867 ,,		672,550
Total .. .. .. 78,813 ,,		4,454,875
Reserves—		
Amount at the credit of Reserved Fund	210,406	
Depreciation Account	3,400	
Profit and Loss Account	3,801	
		217,607
Drafts drawn by the Branch Accountants upon Head Office, and included in their Returns, but not paid on the 31st December		49
Total £		4,672,531

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	£	£
Mortgages (including interest due and owing)—		
Lent on 1,265 Mortgages	.....	883,879
Investments (including interest due)—		
New South Wales Funded Stock	5,059	
City of Sydney Corporation Debentures	9,579	
,, ,, ,, Market Loan Fund	152,625	
		167,263
Deposits (including interest due)—		
Colonial Treasurer	2,314,258	
Bank of New South Wales	328,857	
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited	201,039	
Australian Joint Stock Bank, Limited	177,822	
City Bank of Sydney	109,607	
Commercial Bank of Australia, Limited	47,998	
National Bank of Australasia, Limited	36,681	
London Bank of Australia, Limited	45,236	
English, Scottish, and Australian Bank, Limited	72,782	
Union Bank of Australia, Limited	176,218	
		3,510,498
Deposit with Bank of New South Wales ("Working Account")		62,029
Permanent Investment—Land and Banking House		41,400
Cash received from Branch Accountants after 31st December, but included in their returns of that date		4,426
Cash received from depositors, Sydney, on 31st December, 1898, but not paid into working account till 2nd January, 1899		3,036
Total £		4,672,531

Penny Banks—Deposits at Credit in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 31st Dec., 1898.

(Included in deposits shown above.)

	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
St. Vincent de Paul—St. Patrick's Branch	1,148 6 1	Surry Hills	32 9 0
Tempe Park	591 1 1	Sussex-street Mission	25 7 9
Chippendale	490 0 11	Mount Lachlan	23 19 0
Sydney Jewish Sabbath School	192 0 5		
Balmain	130 2 9	Total £	2,762 8 1
Glebe and Parramatta-street	129 1 1		

No. 31.—Depositors and Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1890-99.

Date.	Deposits.		Depositors on 1st January.	Accounts during the Year.		
	On 1st January.	Increase on previous Year.		Opened.	Closed.	Increase.
	£	£	No.	No.	No.	No.
1890	2,550,192	250,221	58,626	12,850	10,962	1,888
1891	2,854,564	304,372	60,514	13,901	10,509	3,392
1892	3,188,672	334,108	63,906	14,304	12,152	2,152
1893	3,351,995	163,323	66,058	12,921	13,322	*401
1894	3,302,469	*49,526	65,657	12,111	10,256	1,855
1895	3,583,075	280,606	67,512	13,017	9,430	3,587
1896	3,951,875	368,800	71,099	12,129	10,006	2,123
1897	4,149,658	197,783	73,222	12,836	9,772	3,064
1898	4,444,960	295,302	76,286	12,540	10,013	2,527
1899	4,454,875	9,915	78,813	.....	.....	.....

* Decrease.

No. 32.—Depositors and Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1898.

Branch.	Deposits.		Increase.	Depositors.		Accounts during the Year.		
	1st January, 1898.	1st January, 1899.		1st January, 1898.	1st January, 1899.	Opened.	Closed.	Increase.
	£	£	£	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Sydney	3,776,510	3,782,325	5,815	65,625	67,946	11,200	8,879	2,321
Newcastle	182,577	189,836	7,259	2,653	2,781	377	249	128
West Maitland	87,494	81,924	*5,570	1,192	1,209	112	95	17
Bathurst	72,642	67,959	*4,683	1,115	1,092	122	145	*23
Parramatta	59,450	59,587	137	1,025	1,038	130	117	13
Goulburn	57,692	58,762	1,070	1,039	1,028	94	105	*11
Windsor	44,698	41,119	*3,579	559	569	67	57	10
Grafton	35,434	40,450	5,016	826	870	153	109	44
East Maitland	29,893	32,062	2,169	576	593	66	49	17
Singleton	30,016	30,805	789	475	478	44	41	3
Wollongong	27,193	27,501	308	367	375	53	45	8
Mudgee	25,559	25,958	399	502	520	93	75	18
Scone	15,223	16,587	1,364	307	314	29	22	7
Carcoar†	392	.....	*392	3	.....	.....	3	*3
Clarence Town†	99	.....	*99	8	.....	.....	8	*8
Orange†	88	.....	*88	14	.....	.....	14	*14
Total	4,444,960	4,454,875	9,915	76,286	78,813	12,540	10,013	2,527

* Decrease. † The branches at Carcoar, Clarence Town, and Orange were closed on 30th June, 1892, 30th June, 1894, and 13th August, 1892, respectively, and the amounts at credit of the depositors were transferred to the Head Office in May, 1898.

No. 33.—Classification of Deposits in Savings Bank of New South Wales, 1892-99.

Date.	£20 and under.	Between £20 and £50.	£50 and under £100.	£100 and under £200.	£200 and under £300.	£300 and upwards.	Total.
			NUMBER OF ACCOUNTS.				
On 1st January, 1892	33,576	10,140	7,975	8,674	3,281	260	63,906
,, 1893	35,288	10,050	7,827	8,633	3,970	290	66,058
,, 1894	36,297	9,546	7,211	7,975	4,360	268	65,657
,, 1895	36,688	9,624	7,448	8,122	5,332	298	67,512
,, 1896	38,351	9,802	7,478	8,634	6,507	327	71,099
,, 1897	39,571	9,925	7,596	8,733	7,026	371	73,222
,, 1898	41,029	10,130	7,864	9,099	7,731	433	76,286
,, 1899	42,584	10,483	8,051	9,115	8,139	441	78,813
			AMOUNT AT CREDIT.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
On 1st January, 1892	171,999	328,302	565,566	1,151,250	702,844	268,711	3,188,672
,, 1893	174,091	325,556	552,749	1,168,709	846,706	284,184	3,351,995
,, 1894	167,144	309,283	510,266	1,091,522	925,295	298,959	3,302,469
,, 1895	164,360	311,597	522,682	1,120,993	1,123,921	329,522	3,583,075
,, 1896	170,298	318,306	529,420	1,198,653	1,373,741	361,457	3,951,875
,, 1897	173,832	320,938	538,556	1,211,728	1,492,220	412,384	4,149,658
,, 1898	177,485	326,998	555,784	1,261,706	1,638,700	484,287	4,444,960
,, 1899	182,474	337,850	570,080	1,267,673	1,719,371	377,427	4,454,875

Deposits and Interest allowed.—Sums to any amount from one shilling may be deposited in the Savings Bank of N.S.W., but with the exception of the funds of Friendly Societies, Charitable and other Public Institutions, deposits exceeding £200 do not bear interest on such excess. The bulk of the deposits of over £200 probably belongs to the Institutions referred to. The rate of interest allowed on accounts closed during 1898 and on accounts remaining open on 31st December, was 3 per cent.

No. 34.—Liabilities and Assets of Government Savings Bank, 1898.

	£		£
Balance due to all depositors at the close of 1898	5,026,069	Deposits invested in—	
		Debentures	169,200
		New South Wales Funded Stock, 36 Vic. No. 21	316,467
		New South Wales Funded Stock, 56 Vic. No. 1	1,000,000
		New South Wales 1924 Stock, 58 Vic. No. 14	20,000
		New South Wales 1925 Stock and Funded Stock, 59 Vic. No. 6 ...	1,030,000
		New South Wales Treasury Bills, 53 Vic. No. 9	527,600
		New South Wales Treasury Bills, 59 Vic. No. 22	1,024,700
		Cash in hands of Controller	31,191
		Interest due and accrued on investments	72,419
Balance (excess of Assets)	18,669	Uninvested funds at credit of Trust Account	853,161
Total ... ... £	5,044,738	Total ... ... £	5,044,738

Deposits.—Sums of one shilling or any multiple of that amount may be deposited in the Government Savings Bank, but with the exception of the funds of Friendly Societies and Charitable Institutions, deposits exceeding £200 do not bear interest on such excess.

Deposit rate reduced.—The rate of interest on deposits was reduced on the 1st July, 1896, to 3 per cent. per annum.

No. 35.—Depositors and Deposits in Government Savings Bank, 1889–98.

Year.	Government Savings Banks.	Accounts.			Deposits.			Withdrawals.	Balance at credit of Depositors on 31st December.
		Opened during year.	Closed during year.	Remaining open on 31st December.	Amount.	Interest added by Bank.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
1889	372	30,433	25,410	76,288	1,115,863	61,872	1,177,735	1,185,548	1,729,891
1890	396	32,372	25,348	83,312	1,198,294	63,225	1,261,519	1,115,505	1,875,905
1891	415	39,199	27,991	94,520	1,509,377	72,280	1,581,657	1,304,099	2,153,463
1892	450	39,721	32,573	101,668	1,630,198	81,781	1,711,979	1,511,356	2,354,086
1893	465	47,145	34,743	114,070	2,818,198	99,566	2,917,764	2,038,561	3,233,289
1894	482	41,418	32,693	122,795	2,160,611	120,880	2,281,491	1,880,855	3,633,925
1895	499	42,276	33,368	131,703	2,194,134	128,641	2,322,775	1,835,000	4,121,700
1896	502	43,255	34,572	140,386	2,110,579	128,629	2,239,208	1,987,943	4,372,965
1897	512	45,347	34,390	151,343	2,190,882	123,537	2,314,419	1,995,551	4,691,833
1898	518	47,970	35,761	163,552	2,261,873	132,216	2,394,089	2,059,853	5,026,069

No. 36.—Depositors and Deposits in New South Wales and Government Savings Banks, taken together, 1889–98.

Year.	Number of Accounts open at the close of the year.	Amount at Deposit at close of the year, including Interest accrued.	Amount of Interest added.	Average amount at Deposit per Depositor.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	134,914	4,280,083	169,905	31 14 6
1890	143,826	4,730,469	185,808	32 17 10
1891	158,426	5,342,135	211,108	33 14 5
1892	167,726	5,706,081	229,609	34 0 5
1893	179,727	6,535,758	249,450	36 7 4
1894	190,307	7,217,000	277,726	37 18 5
1895	202,802	8,073,575	269,016	39 16 2
1896	213,608	8,522,623	277,401	39 18 0
1897	227,629	9,136,793	263,604	40 2 9
1898	242,365	9,480,944	253,148	39 2 4

No. 37.—Deposits with all Banks and Companies, 1890–98.

Date.	Amount of Deposits in—					Per Inhabitant.		
	Banks of Issue.	Savings Banks.	Registered Companies.	Benefit Building Societies.	All Banking Institutions.	Banks of Issue.	Savings Banks.	All Banking Institutions.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Dec., 1890	35,460,118	4,730,469	3,199,554	*	43,390,141	31 12 2	4 4 4	38 13 6
„ 1891	35,659,690	5,342,135	2,595,489	*	43,597,314	30 12 0	4 11 8	37 8 3
„ 1892	35,564,192	5,706,081	2,082,223	*	43,352,496	29 13 11	4 15 4	36 3 11
„ 1893	32,141,959	6,535,758	1,516,567	*	40,194,284	26 5 6	5 6 10	32 17 1
„ 1894	29,792,793	7,217,000	1,281,811	554,729	38,846,333	23 16 2	5 15 4	31 0 10
„ 1895	30,629,257	8,073,575	815,136	473,880	39,991,848	23 19 4	6 6 4	31 5 11
„ 1896	29,835,916	8,522,623	911,124	424,292	39,693,955	22 19 10	6 11 4	30 11 10
„ 1897	29,606,735	9,136,793	759,361	319,335	39,822,224	22 7 5	6 18 1	30 1 10
„ 1898	29,852,711	9,480,944	780,603	306,492	40,420,750	22 3 6	7 0 10	30 0 6

* Information not available.

No. 38.—Capital and Reserve Funds of Benefit, Building, and Investment Societies registered under Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Registration.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Paid-up Capital or Subscriptions.	Reserve and Contingency Funds.	Balance of Profit and Loss Account.
			£	£	£
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 7	Feb., 1889	Feb., 1897	11,904	Nil.	1,305
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 8	Oct., 1893	Oct., 1897	8,556	Nil.	1,487
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 9	Aug., 1896	Dec., 1897	1,273	Nil.	659
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 4	Dec., 1887	Oct., 1897	13,259	Nil.	1,831
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Building Society, No. 5	Jan., 1894	Jan., 1898	12,513	Nil.	1,234
Forbes Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 1	Feb., 1890	Information not available.			
Mudgee Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Nov., 1891	Oct., 1898	8,300	Nil.	2,826
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	May, 1884	Mar., 1898	293	Nil.	1,562
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Aug., 1894	Oct., 1897	2,112	Nil.	398
Wellington Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	Oct., 1896	Dec., 1897	509	Nil.	*9
Albury Benefit Building and Investment Society, No. 4	Aug., 1891	Information not available.			
Armidale Mutual Help Benefit Building Society	Aug., 1895	Sept., 1897	2,026	Nil.	*2
Dubbo Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society	Dec., 1887	June, 1896	1,977	386	*164
Equitable Permanent Benefit Building, Land, and Savings Institution	Mar., 1874	Mar., 1898	70,425	23,814	3,499
Grafton Building, Land, and Investment Society and Savings Institute	April, 1884	Mar., 1898	4,323	Nil.	*648
Great Northern Permanent Building, Investment, and Land Society	Sept., 1875	Dec., 1897	12,783	Nil.	455
Gulgong Building and Investment Society	July, 1888	Information not available.			
Hunter River Permanent Building Society, Singleton	Oct., 1876	Sept., 1897	2,739	Nil.	*127
Illawarra Mutual Building Society	April, 1880	Mar., 1898	5,481	1,200	373
Industrial and Provident Permanent Benefit Building and Investment Society	Dec. 1870	Dec., 1897	80,040	4,489	4,395
Maitland Permanent Building, Investment, and Loan Society (Ltd.) and Savings Bank	Nov., 1888	Sept., 1898	4,260	400	125
Mudgee Building and Investment Society, No. 3	June, 1894	May, 1898	13,126	Nil.	*526
Mutual Workmen's Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society (Ltd.)	Mar., 1888	Jan., 1898	550	Nil.	45
New England Permanent Mutual Benefit Building and Investment Society	Feb., 1871	Mar., 1898	1,652	Nil.	2,452
Northumberland Permanent Building Investment, Land, and Loan Society	July, 1876	June, 1898	100,866	7,119	9,723
Orange Permanent Building and Investment Society	April, 1875	Dec., 1897	50,637	12,455	402
St. Joseph's Investment and Building Society	Aug., 1871	Sept., 1898	28,583	Nil.	262
Tamworth Permanent Mutual Benefit Building and Investment Society	Aug., 1875	July, 1898	14,066	900	1,605
Union Terminating Building Society	Nov., 1887	Jan., 1898	9,657	1,500	*2,993
Wagga Wagga Benefit Building and Investment Society	Aug., 1870	Sept., 1897	8,600	3,008	1,235
Young and District Permanent Building Society	Mar., 1890	Feb., 1896	877	Nil.	182

* Loss.

Benefit Building and Investment Societies.—These societies are registered under the Friendly Societies Act of 1873 (37 Vic. No. 4), which repealed the former statutes relating to the societies, viz. :—7 Vic. No. 10, 11 Vic. Nos. 10 and 53, 14 Vic. No. 11, 17 Vic. No. 26, and 29 Vic. No. 8. Under the provisions of the existing Act any number of persons may form themselves into, and establish societies for the purpose of raising money by subscription to enable members to erect or purchase dwellings, &c., which must be secured to the society by mortgage until the amount of shares has been fully paid. The rules of the society must be signed by three of the intending members, and the Secretary or other officer, before the institution can be registered.

No. 39.—Liabilities and Assets of Benefit, Building, and Investment Societies registered under Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Liabilities (exclusive of Liabilities to Shareholders).				Assets.			
		Bank Overdraft.	Deposits.	Other Liabilities	Total.	Bank and Cash Balances and Fixed Deposits	Advances.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 7	Feb., 1897	1,155	Nil.	Nil.	1,155	Nil.	14,354	10	14,364
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 8	Oct., 1897	2,466	Nil.	2	2,468	Nil.	12,496	15	12,511
Sydney Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 9	Dec., 1897	1,830	Nil.	Nil.	1,830	Nil.	3,749	13	3,762
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 4	Oct., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	792	14,261	37	15,090
Bathurst Starr-Bowkett Building Society, No 5	Jan., 1898	1,081	Nil.	Nil.	1,081	1,249	12,392	1,187	14,828
Forbes Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 1	Information not available.								
Mudgee Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Oct., 1898	Nil.	Nil.	29	29	Nil.	11,050	105	11,155
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	Mar., 1898	Nil.	Nil.	657	657	351	2,139	22	2,512
Orange Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society, No. 2	Oct., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	Nil.	214	2,296	Nil.	2,510
Wellington Starr-Bowkett Benefit Building Society	Dec., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	16	16	117	390	9	516
Albury Benefit Building and Investment Society, No. 4	Information not available.								
Armidale Mutual Help Benefit Building Society	Sept., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	1	1	411	1,567	25	2,003
Dubbo Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society	June, 1896	3,339	Nil.	50	3,389	Nil.	5,530	58	5,588
Equitable Permanent Benefit, Building, Land, and Savings Institution	Mar., 1898	Nil.	97,542	911	98,453	10,138	154,777	31,226	196,191
Grafton Building, Land, and Investment Society and Savings' Institute	Mar., 1898	Nil.	900	76	976	286	4,309	56	4,651
Great Northern Permanent Building, Investment, and Land Society	Dec., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	315	315	259	10,662	2,632	13,553
Gulgong Building and Investment Society	Information not available.								
Hunter River Permanent Building Society, Singleton	Sept., 1897	Nil.	7,018	58	7,076	390	9,256	42	9,688
Illawarra Mutual Building Society	Mar., 1898	1,490	Nil.	13	1,503	Nil.	7,821	736	8,557
Industrial and Provident Permanent Benefit, Building, and Investment Society	Dec., 1897	10	1,044	231	1,285	1,097	81,612	7,500	90,209
Maitland Permanent Building, Investment, and Loan Society (Limited), and Savings' Bank	Sept., 1898	329	4,224	61	4,614	Nil.	9,386	13	9,399
Mudgee Building and Investment Society, No. 3	May, 1898	1,065	Nil.	223	1,288	Nil.	13,734	154	13,888
Mutual Workmen's Permanent Land, Building, and Investment Society (Limited)	Jan., 1898	Nil.	Nil.	3	3	46	552	Nil.	598
New England Permanent Mutual Benefit, Building, and Investment Society	Mar., 1898	Nil.	10,510	140	10,650	1,992	12,066	696	14,754
Northumberland Permanent Building, Investment, Land, and Loan Society	June, 1898	Nil.	71,930	Nil.	71,930	7,623	141,375	40,640	189,638
Orange Permanent Building and Investment Society	Dec., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	4	4	3,799	58,269	1,430	63,498
St. Joseph's Investment and Building Society	Sept., 1898	Nil.	112,632	5,008	117,640	2,744	137,607	6,139	146,490
Tamworth Permanent Mutual Benefit, Building, and Investment Society	July, 1898	Nil.	692	201	893	1,838	15,574	52	17,464
Union Terminating Building Society	Jan., 1898	Nil.	Nil.	21,036	21,036	162	24,093	4,945	29,200
Wagga Wagga Benefit, Building, and Investment Society	Sept., 1897	Nil.	Nil.	336	336	3,981	9,158	40	13,179
Young and District Permanent Building Society	Feb., 1896	Nil.	Nil.	2	2	141	920	Nil.	1,061

No. 40.—Capital and Reserve Funds of Co-operative Societies registered under Friendly Societies Act of 1873.

Society.	Date of Registration.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Capital Paid-up.	Reserve and Contingency Funds.	Balance of Profit and Loss Account.
			£	£	£
Armidale Co-operative Butchering and Chilling Company (Limited)	April, 1883	Jan., 1897	1,367	.....	*108
Balmain United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)	Dec., 1888	Nov., 1898	.....	.....	754
Boot Trade Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	July, 1894	Jan., 1898	674	.....	*761
Broadmeadow Co-operative Society (Limited)	May, 1887	June, 1896	633	.....	26
Canley Vale Progress Association Hall Co. (Limited)	April, 1891	Sept., 1898	127	.....	114
Charlestown Co-operative Society (Limited)..	April, 1892	Dec., 1897	144	96	.....
Civil Service Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	June, 1871	.....	.....	.....	.....
Farmers and Fruit-growers Co-operative Society (Limited)	Nov., 1897	Mar., 1898	98	.....	*38
Hamilton and Lambton Co-operative Society (Limited)	Feb., 1866	Aug., 1898	1,501	.....	1,795
Helensburgh and Lilyvale Co-operative Society (Limited)	May, 1892	Sept., 1898	222	.....	90
Hillgrove Co-operative Butchering and Provision Association (Limited)	April, 1893	Information not available.			
Newtown United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)	June, 1887	June, 1897	.....	.....	422
Parramatta and District United Friendly Societies' Medical and Dispensing Institute (Limited)	Dec., 1889	Dec., 1897	.....	.....	259
Shoalhaven Co-operative Society (Limited)...	Dec., 1897	July, 1898	292	.....	*103
St. George's Industrial Co-operative Society (Limited)	Aug., 1896	Oct., 1898	201	.....	.....
Stockton Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	Aug., 1887	June, 1898	415	334	150
Sydney and Suburban Co-operative Society (Limited)	April, 1897	Feb., 1898	408	.....	*28
Wallsend and Plattsburg Co-operative Society (Limited)	April, 1880	June, 1898	2,436	.....	124
West Maitland Co-operative Baking Society (Limited)	Oct., 1868	Dec., 1897	553	2,126	369
West Wallsend Co-operative Society (Limited)	July, 1891	June, 1897	725	121	125
Women's Co-operative Silk Growing and Industrial Association of New South Wales (Limited)	Oct., 1893	April, 1897	1,328	.....	*835

* Loss.

Co-operative Societies.—These Societies are established for the purpose of carrying on any labour, trade, or handicraft, whether wholesale or retail, except banking. Any number of persons, not less than seven, may form a Co-operative Society under the Act. Under clause 63, the word "Limited" must be inserted after the name of every Society.

No. 41.—Liabilities and Assets of Co-operative Societies.

Society.	Date of Balance-sheet.	Liabilities (exclusive of liabilities to members).				Assets.				
		Bank Over-draft.	Bills payable, and Sundry Creditors.	Other Liabilities.	Total.	Stocks and Fitt-ings.	Sundry Debtors.	Bank and Cash Balan-ces.	Other Assets.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Armidale Co-operative Butchering and Chilling Co. (Limited)	Jan., 1897	...	871	750	1,621	257	628	224	1,771	2,880
Balmain United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)..	Nov., 1898	...	192	...	192	400	...	546	...	946
Boot Trade Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	Jan., 1898	...	1,760	...	1,760	406	284	20	963	1,673
Broadmeadow Co-operative Society (Limited)	June, 1896	...	601	69	670	502	746	8	73	1,329
Canley Vale Progress Association Hall Company (Limited) ...	Sept., 1898	...	...	90	90	...	...	47	284	331
Charlestown Co-operative Society (Limited)	Dec., 1897	...	2	52	54	233	...	61	...	294
Civil Service Co-operative Society of New South Wales (Limited)	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farmers and Fruitgrowers Co-operative Society (Limited) ..	Mar., 1898	8	28	...	36	3	52	2	39	96
Hamilton and Lambton Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	Aug., 1898	...	16	...	16	1,814	938	560	...	3,312
Helensburgh and Lilyvale Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	Sept., 1898	...	38	...	38	193	80	77	...	350
Hillgrove Co-operative Butchering and Provision Association (Limited)	Information not available.									
Newtown United Friendly Societies' Dispensary (Limited)	June, 1897	...	25	...	25	104	78	265	...	447
Parramatta and District United Friendly Societies' Medical and Dispensing Institute (Limited)	Dec., 1897	...	66	...	66	137	169	19	...	325
Shoalhaven Co-operative Society (Limited)	July, 1898	...	1,054	756	1,810	1,436	233	276	54	1,999
St. George's Industrial Co-operative Society (Limited) ..	Oct., 1898	...	109	...	109	111	57	38	104	310
Stockton Co-operative Society (Limited)	June, 1898	364	178	...	542	550	467	424	...	1,441
Sydney and Suburban Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	Feb., 1898	...	2	3	5	215	...	137	33	385
Wallsend and Plattsburg Co-operative Society (Limited) ...	June, 1898	433	378	...	811	1,842	453	1	1,075	3,371
West Maitland Co-operative Baking Society (Limited) ...	Dec., 1897	806	...	...	806	555	257	...	3,042	3,854
West Wallsend Co-operative Society (Limited)	June, 1897	...	28	...	28	849	76	74	...	999
Women's Co-operative Silk Growing and Industrial Association of New South Wales (Limited)	April, 1897	...	...	...	...	114	...	57	322	493

No. 42.—Trade Unions.

Name.	Date of Registration.	Date of Balance Sheet.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Amount of Funds.
			£	£	£
New South Wales Typographical Association	June, 1882	Dec., 1897	472	453	1,226
Colliery Employees' Federation—Northern District	June, 1882	Dec., 1897	2,883	1,429	2,211
Masters and Engineers of Harbour and River Steamers Association of New South Wales	Aug., 1882	Dec., 1896	308	233	974
New South Wales Operative Bakers' Association	Aug., 1882	Mar., 1897	219	195	183
Amalgamated Journeymen Tailors' Association	Oct., 1882	June, 1897	27	15	28
Sydney Coal Lumpers' Union	Nov., 1882	Dec., 1896	342	271	323
Newcastle Coal Trimmers' Union	Nov., 1882	Sept., 1896	34	22	13
Amalgamated Society of Carpenters and Joiners	Jan., 1883	Dec., 1896	859	933	200
United Labourers' Protective Society of Sydney	Feb., 1883	May, 1897	66	117	17
Friendly Society of Ironmoulders of New South Wales	Feb., 1883	Sept., 1896	242	116	460
Operative Bricklayers' Trade Society	July, 1883	May, 1897	116	78	701
New South Wales Locomotive Engine Drivers, Firemen, and Cleaners Association	May, 1884	Dec., 1896	455	392	1,428
Federated Seamen's Union of Australia	Nov., 1884	June, 1898	831	465	1,724
Sydney Progressive Society of Carpenters and Joiners	Feb., 1885	Dec., 1896	30	87	285
Gas Stokers' Protective Association of New South Wales	July, 1885	Nov., 1897	26	40	2
Illawarra District Council of Australian Labour Federation	Dec., 1885	Mar., 1897	988	847	444
Operative Sailmakers' Trade and Burial Society of Sydney	Jan., 1886	Dec., 1897	16	9	196
Coal Miners' Mutual Protective Association of Western District	May, 1886	July, 1897	113	100	52
New South Wales Amalgamated Railway and Tramway Service Association	Aug., 1886	Mar., 1898	274	264	606
Australasian Association of Operative Plasterers	Jan., 1887	May, 1897	6	13	35
Sydney Lithographic Society	July, 1887	Sept., 1896	50	44	22
Newcastle Typographical Association	Oct., 1888	July, 1897	76	44	126
Barrier Typographical Society	Nov., 1888	June, 1897	14	29	22
United Society of Boilermakers and Iron Ship-builders of New South Wales	Mar., 1889	Dec., 1897	102	67	3,017
United Licensed Victuallers' Association of New South Wales	April, 1889	Jan., 1897	804	864	69
New South Wales Protective Association of Colliery Engine Drivers	Jan., 1890	Dec., 1897	21	24	7
Amalgamated Society of Engineers, New South Wales	April, 1890	Sept., 1897	2,526	2,281	1,044
Australian Fishermen's Benefit and Protective Society of New South Wales	May, 1890	Jan., 1898	25	18	114
Barrier Ranges Engine Drivers' and Firemen's Association	Aug., 1890	Dec., 1897	137	76	135
Journeymen Coopers' Society of New South Wales	Feb., 1891	Dec., 1897	68	95	184
Builders' and Contractors' Association of New South Wales	May, 1892	Dec., 1896	286	344	516
Barrier Branch of the Amalgamated Miners' Association of Australasia, Broken Hill	Aug., 1893	Sept., 1898	530	903	959

Societies not furnishing Returns.—The other 133 societies did not furnish returns to the Registrar.

Trade Unions are registered under Act 45 Vic. No. 12. Under the provisions of the Act any seven or more members may register such union. Section 18 provides that returns of Liabilities and Assets and Receipts and Expenditure shall be made to the Registrar each year. The number of Unions registered at the end of 1898 was 165.

No. 43.—Insurance Companies doing business in New South Wales, 1898.

Class of Business.	Number of Companies.				Paid-up Capital.
	Head Office in New South Wales.	Head Office in other Australasian Colonies.	Head Office outside Australasia.	Total.	
					£
Life only	4	5	3	12	.....
Fire only	3	Nil.	10	13	1,671,894
Marine only	Nil.	Nil.	18	18	1,984,807
*Fire and Life	Nil.	Nil.	10	10	3,983,328
Fire and Marine	2	5	2	9	632,005
Fire and Accident	Nil.	Nil.	1	1	272,064
Fire, Life, and Marine	Nil.	Nil.	3	3	1,387,495
Fire, Marine, and Guarantee	Nil.	1	Nil.	1	75,000
Fire, Life, Marine, and Guarantee	Nil.	1	Nil.	1	125,000
Fire, Marine, Accident, Guarantee, and Plate Glass	Nil.	2	Nil.	2	75,500

***Fire and Life Companies.**—The proportion of life assurances obtained in Australasia by these offices is very small compared with the total business.

No. 44.—Valuations of Life Assurance Institutions.

Institution.	Year when established.	Basis of Valuation.	Latest Investigations.		
			Date.	Net Liability.	Total Assets.
Head Office in New South Wales—		per cent.		£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	1849	3½ (*a*)	Dec., 1898	14,660,512	15,600,301
Mutual Life Association of Australasia...	1869	4 (*q*)	Dec., 1894	963,477	1,059,488
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1879	4 (*t*)	Dec., 1897	153,085	165,224
*Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	1886	3½ (*a*)	Dec., 1898	189,968	217,671
Head Office in Victoria—					
Australian Alliance Assurance Company..	1862	3½ (*t*)	Dec., 1897	273,827	†552,508
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)	1869	4 (*t*)	Sept., 1898	2,545,718	2,835,357
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1871	4 (*q*)	Oct., 1896	1,166,499	1,328,948
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1874	4 (*q*)	Dec., 1894	1,567,431	1,799,993
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)..	1876	3½ (*q*)	Sept., 1895	*165,427	‡226,217
Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	1859	4 (*a*)	Dec., 1898	41,506,154	53,826,937
Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	1843	4 (*a*)	Dec., 1898	47,855,983	56,985,077
New York Life Insurance Company... ...	1845	4 (*a*)	Dec., 1898	36,154,372	44,433,089

* Ordinary Branch only. † Includes Fire, Marine, and Guarantee Branches. ‡ Includes Industrial Branch, the assets of which cannot be distinguished.
(*a*) Annual. (*t*) Triennial. (*q*) Quinquennial.

No. 45.—Life Assurance—Business in Force, December, 1898.

Institution.	Policies in force, exclusive of Annuities.	Amount Assured, exclusive of Bonuses.	Bonus Additions.	Total.	Annual Premium Income.
	No.	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society ...	142,208	43,426,002	9,299,578	52,725,580	1,419,916
Mutual Life Association of Australasia ...	17,721	4,681,723	235,916	4,917,639	152,562
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	7,548	1,021,607	*47,327	1,068,934	39,431
†Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.) ...	18,679	2,659,554	62,415	2,721,969	99,122
Australian Alliance Assurance Company ...	1,404	496,090	42,527	538,617	16,759
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)...	44,577	10,149,914	928,320	11,078,234	332,849
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	20,075	4,367,405	204,694	4,572,099	159,888
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	33,142	10,474,868	255,960	10,730,828	329,042
†Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	6,542	1,002,898	16,606	1,019,504	36,003
‡Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	8,516	3,951,914	§	§	‖151,084
‡Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York	2,663	1,487,094	§	§	59,024
‡New York Life Insurance Company... ..	3,841	1,911,698	¶	1,911,698	107,538

* December, 1897. † Ordinary Branch only. ‡ Australasian business only. § Not available. ‖ Approximate.
¶ Included in previous column.

No. 46.—Amount assured in each Life Assurance Institution, December, 1893–98.

Institution.	Amount Assured, excluding Bonuses and Annuities.					
	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society	39,331,071	39,510,130	40,084,836	40,731,231	41,726,041	43,426,002
Mutual Life Association of Australasia...	4,250,997	4,166,359	4,241,105	4,445,575	4,537,640	4,681,723
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	751,242	776,946	839,633	892,850	958,094	1,021,607
*Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	553,334	845,984	1,143,111	1,465,772	1,798,740	2,659,554
Australian Alliance Assurance Company	704,397	645,463	599,939	558,830	524,354	496,090
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)...	6,420,576	6,338,659	6,305,632	6,557,028	9,888,494	10,149,914
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	4,727,701	4,555,968	4,457,068	4,422,260	4,314,052	4,367,405
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	10,702,936	10,533,271	10,361,450	10,351,235	10,425,370	10,474,868
*Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	813,500	812,370	840,072	922,898	956,391	1,002,898
†Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States	4,063,627	4,211,667	3,985,166	3,950,166	3,863,382	‡3,951,914
†Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York ...	1,160,366	1,253,462	1,336,860	1,403,785	1,411,284	‡1,487,094
†New York Life Insurance Company	1,643,535	1,665,068	1,658,000	1,733,773	1,831,700	1,911,698

* Ordinary Branch only. † Australasian business only, including Bonus additions. ‡ Exclusive of Bonus additions.

No. 47.—Receipts and Expenditure of Australasian Life Assurance Institutions, 1898.

Institution.	Receipts.	Expenditure.	Excess Receipts (Addition to Funds).
	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society	2,152,177	1,452,706	699,471
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	216,197	148,786	67,411
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	45,823	33,097	12,726
*Citizen's Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	98,262	39,385	58,877
Australian Alliance Assurance Company	28,886	40,494	†11,608
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.) ...	479,665	326,845	152,820
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	215,592	151,875	63,717
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	412,898	304,584	108,314
*Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	46,647	29,629	17,018
Total... ... ... £	3,696,147	2,527,401	1,168,746

Receipts.		Expenditure.	
	£		£
Premiums—		Claims	1,384,140
New...	283,434	Surrenders	490,511
Renewal	2,251,170	Annuities	33,085
Consideration for Annuities	60,063	Cash Bonuses and Dividends	66,444
Interest	1,093,621	Expenses	483,232
Other Receipts (Rents, etc.)	7,859	Amount written off to Depreciation, Reserves, etc.	69,989
Total ... ... £	3,696,147	Total ... ... £	2,527,401

* Ordinary Branch only. † Decrease.

No. 48.—Assets and Liabilities of Australasian Life Assurance Institutions, 1898.

Institution.	Assets.			Liabilities.		
	Loans on Mortgages and Policies.	Securities, Freehold Property, etc.	Total.	Assurance Endowment and Annuity Funds.	Paid-up Capital, Reserve Funds, etc.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Australian Mutual Provident Society	11,515,135	4,085,166	15,600,301	15,179,049	421,252	15,600,301
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	781,381	485,888	1,267,269	1,257,604	9,665	1,267,269
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	112,016	67,479	179,495	176,926	2,569	179,495
*Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	118,147	99,524	217,671	214,095	3,576	217,671
†Australian Alliance Assurance Company	253,117	274,362	527,479	273,178	254,301	527,479
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.)	1,875,165	1,020,192	2,895,357	2,765,571	129,786	2,895,357
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	1,029,759	290,387	1,320,146	1,310,905	9,241	1,320,146
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	1,192,145	1,075,507	2,267,652	2,261,656	5,996	2,267,652
Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	‡161,176	‡85,646	‡246,822	*215,725	‡31,097	‡246,822
Total... ... £	17,038,041	7,484,151	24,522,192	23,654,709	867,483	24,522,192

* Ordinary Branch only. † Includes Fire, Marine, and Guarantee Branches which cannot be separated. ‡ Includes the Industrial Branch.

No. 49.—Accumulated Funds of Australasian Life Assurance Institutions, December, 1890–98.

Year.	Accumulated Funds. (Assurance, Endowment, and Annuity Funds.)		Interest.	
	Additions during year.	Total Amount.	Amount received.	Average Rate realised on Mean Funds.
	£	£	£	per cent.
1890	1,404,215	14,440,872	827,909	6·03
1891	1,380,553	15,821,425	902,774	5·97
1892	1,360,100	17,181,525	967,678	5·86
1893	1,147,143	18,328,668	991,369	5·58
1894	912,276	19,240,944	1,041,529	5·54
1895	1,057,942	20,298,886	1,037,477	5·25
1896	996,045	21,294,931	1,038 993	5·00
1897	1,191,032	22,485,963	1,047,560	4·78
1898	1,168,746	23,654,709	1,093,621	4·74

No. 50.—Expenses of Management of Australasian Life Assurance Institutions, 1898.

Institution.	Amount.	Proportion to—	
		Premium Receipts.	Gross Receipts.
	£	per cent.	per cent.
Australian Mutual Provident Society	193,200	13·93	8·99
Mutual Life Association of Australasia	42,502	27·75	19·66
City Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	10,291	27·90	22·46
*Citizens' Life Assurance Company (Ltd.)	14,372	16·32	14·63
Australian Alliance Assurance Company	4,159	23·21	14·40
National Mutual Life Association of Australasia (Ltd.) ...	85,402	25·00	17·80
Australian Widows' Fund Life Assurance Society (Ltd.) ...	41,449	27·08	19·23
Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)	79,392	24·77	19·23
*Australasian Temperance and General Mutual Life Assurance Society (Ltd.)...	12,465	34·59	26·72

* Ordinary Branch only.

No. 51.—Fire Insurance—Net Risks in Metropolitan Area, 1889-98.

Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.	Year ended 31 Dec.	Net Amount at Risk.
	£		£		£		£		£
1889	57,148,388	1891	58,415,945	1893	59,844,701	1895	59,720,282	1897	60,426,170
1890	58,207,183	1892	61,185,715	1894	59,340,096	1896	59,907,953	1898	61,861,909

Returns of Fire Brigades.—For information concerning Fire Brigades, see Part "Miscellaneous."

No. 52.—Fire Insurance—Net Risks in Metropolitan Area, December, 1898.

Company.	Net amount at risk on 31st Dec., 1898.	Company.	Net amount at risk on 31st Dec., 1898.
	£		£
Aachen and Munich Fire Insurance Co.	503,926	Manchester Fire Assurance Co.	713,293
Alliance Assurance Co.	1,852,671	Mercantile Mutual Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,626,215
Atlas Assurance Co.	420,927	National Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	1,127,408
Australian Alliance Assurance Co.	518,963	Netherlands India Sea and Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	108,497
Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Society	8,819,079	New Zealand Insurance Co.	2,047,887
Batavia Sea and Fire Insurance Co.	245,650	North British and Mercantile Insurance Co.	922,290
Caledonian Insurance Co.	472,299	North Queensland Insurance Co., Ltd.	852,517
City Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	2,625,000	Northern Assurance Co.	727,144
Colonial Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	1,007,580	Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society	2,832,210
Commercial Union Assurance Co., Ltd.	6,230,619	Palatine Insurance Co., Ltd.	475,387
Derwent and Tamar Fire and Marine Assurance Co.	263,896	Phœnix Assurance Co. of London	1,021,725
Eastern Counties Insurance Co., Ltd.	68,455	Royal Insurance Co.	2,296,849
Guardian Fire and Life Assurance Co., Ltd.	660,283	Royal Exchange Assurance Corporation	317,667
Imperial Insurance Co. of London, Ltd.	1,329,694	Scottish Union and National Insurance Co.	472,299
Lancashire Insurance Co.	502,196	South British Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	1,627,443
Lion Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	269,012	Standard Fire and Marine Insurance Co. of N.Z.	536,445
Liverpool and London and Globe Insurance Co.	2,353,982	Sun Insurance Office of London	1,407,582
London and Lancashire Fire Insurance Co.	1,031,153	United Insurance Co., Ltd.	4,154,660
London Assurance Corporation	534,402	United Australian Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	324,661
Magdeburg Fire Insurance Co. of Magdeburg	102,638	Victoria Insurance Co., Ltd.	1,457,305
		Total	£ 61,861,909

Return of Net Risks under Fire Brigades Act.—Under the 15th Clause of the Fire Brigades Act, 1884, the Insurance Companies holding risks within the proclaimed area under the Fire Brigades Board of Sydney are required to furnish annually to the Board the amount held at risk (within the proclaimed area) by each Company on the preceding 31st December, less the sums reinsured with other contributing Companies under the Act. The total contributions to be levied for 1899 are £8,000 from 40 Companies, the amount contributed by each Company towards the cost of maintenance for the year being established by the Board from the returns supplied by the Companies.

No. 53.—Private Railways, 1898.

CAPITAL EXPENDED AND ROLLING STOCK.

Name.	Date of Opening.	Line. Length.	Line. Gauge.	Total Capital Expended.	Reserve Fund.	Debentures Outstanding.	Rolling Stock. Locomotives.	Rolling Stock. Passenger Carriages.	Rolling Stock. Goods Carriages and Vans.
		m. ch.	ft. in.	£	£	£	No.	No.	No.
Deniliquin and Moama ..	4 July, 1876	45 0	5 3	162,672	14,187	30,500	4	6	63
Silverton	11 Jan., 1888	35 54	3 6	347,741	40,000	Nil.	15	16	650
Rosehill	27 Jan., 1888	3 0	4 8½	48,000	Nil.	Nil.	Government.		
Warwick Farm	18 June, 1889	0 60	4 8½	5,700	.....	.....			

TRAFFIC, REVENUE, AND EXPENDITURE.

Name.	Train Miles run.	Passengers Carried.	Goods Carried.	Live Stock Carried.	Revenue.	Expenditure. Working.	Expenditure. Interest.	Expenditure. Total.
	No.	No.	Tons.	No.	£	£	£	£
Deniliquin and Moama.. ..	60,016	12,220	19,534	6,816	14,678	9,440	1,516	10,956
Silverton	154,753	40,303	609,719	9,832	130,256	43,681	Nil.	43,681
Rosehill	119	19,630	70	770	Information not available.			
Warwick Farm	157	11,128	.....	593				

Other Lines.—In addition to the above there are several branch lines connected with the coal and other mines in the Colony, but as regards length they are unimportant. During 1890, legislative sanction was obtained for the construction of a private line from the flux quarries at Tarrawingee to the tramway system of the Broken Hill mines, a distance of about 39 miles. Recently authority was given by Parliament for the purchase of the line for the sum of £15,000.

Private Railways under Construction.—During 1893 authority was obtained for the construction of two private lines, viz., Menindie to Broken Hill, in the Western district, and Rosehill to Dural (Simpson's), in the Parramatta district. The latter has been constructed as far as Pennant Hills Road, a distance of 3 miles 28 chains, but, with the exception of the small portion leading to the Rosehill Racecourse, the line has not yet been opened for traffic. Authority was recently given by Parliament for the purchase of this line, and it will be shortly handed over to the Railway Commissioners. The total length of the line when completed will be 9 miles.

Private Tramlines—	Year of opening.	Length of line. miles.	Gauge. ft.	Gauge. in.
Rockdale to Lady Robinson's Beach (steam)	1885	1	4	8½
Parramatta to Duck River (steam)	1883	3	4	8½
Fassifern to Toronto (steam)	1891	2¾	4	8½

State Railways and Tramways.—See Part "Public Finance."

No. 54.—Weights and Measures.

TRANSACTIONS IN METROPOLITAN DISTRICT, 1898.

Designation.	Approved.	Rejected.	Condemned.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
Weights	27,032	1,976	163	29,171
Measures (capacity and length)	4,890	321	.....	5,211
Weighbridges	22	.....	.....	22
Weighing Machines	368	39	.....	407
Counter Scales	342	65	16	423
Steelyards	26	5	.....	31
Standards verified	4 sets, 163 articles		.....	.....
Total number of Outdoor Inspections	.....	.....	.....	9,966
*Inspections at mines under Coal Mines Regulation Act ..	.....	.....	.....	49

Standards.—The Weights and Measures Consolidation Act (No. 19 of 1898) repealed the original Acts (3 Wm. IV, No. 4, and 16 Vic. No. 34). Under the provisions of the existing Act, the standard Imperial Weights and Measures of Great Britain are declared to be the standards for New South Wales. The Act also provides that all articles sold by weight must be sold by Avoirdupois, except gold, silver, platina, diamonds, or other precious stones, which are to be sold by Troy weight, and drugs, which, when sold by retail, may be sold by Apothecaries' weight.

Inspectors.—The Inspectors of Weights and Measures administer two Acts, viz., the Bakers' Act (6 Wm. IV. No. 1) and the Weights and Measures' Act (No. 19 of 1898). The Sydney Coal Delivery Acts (9 Vic. No. 8, and 10 Vic. No. 2) only apply within the Metropolitan District to a radius of 5 miles from Macquarie-place. In the country districts the inspectors are appointed by the local Magistrates, the persons selected being generally Sergeants of Police, who, however, are not subject to any control beyond the provisions of the Weights and Measures Act, and consequently no records are available as to material dealt with.

FEES PAID INTO TREASURY, 1898.

	£		£
For examining Weights and Measures	66	For examining Troy Weights	6
,, Weighing Machines..	86		
,, Weighbridges	26	Total Fees .. .. . £	184

Fees paid into Treasury.—The fees for testing weights and measures are fixed by the Act, but for examining scales and testing weighing machines, weighbridges, and Troy weights the fees are fixed by the Minister for Justice. The amounts received in the Metropolitan area are paid into the Treasury, but those collected in the country are retained by the inspectors.

Prosecutions.—The prosecutions in the Metropolitan area during 1898 by the inspector numbered 24, of which 22 were instituted under the Weights and Measures Act, and 2 under the Bakers' Act. The total amount of fines and costs of Court during year was £35.

***Coal Mines Regulation Act (60 Vic. No. 12).**—Under the provisions of clause 42 of this Act, the inspectors of weights and measures under Act 16 Vic. No. 34 must examine all weights, scales, balances, &c. used in coal mines, at least once in every six months.

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	Invested in Securities.	Credit Cash Balances.	Total.
	£	£	£
Public Account—			
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—			
Civil Service Superannuation Account	338,000	48,912	386,912
Police Reward Fund	.....	654	654
Police Superannuation Fund	.....	782	782
Trust Moneys Account	.....	216	216
Special Deposits Account—			
Government Savings Bank Account	4,217,967	511,730	4,729,697
Savings Bank of New South Wales	.....	2,165,000	2,165,000
Other	234,758	450,532	685,290
Consolidated Revenue Fund	.....	122,211	122,211
Erection and maintenance of Public School Buildings, &c., Account	119,272	35,296	154,568
Total Public Account Cr.	4,909,997	3,335,333	8,245,330
Special Suspense Accounts—	£		
General Post Office New-street Resumption Account Dr.	468,975		
Centennial Park Account Dr.	224,366		
Advances to General Loan Account Dr.	1,500,000	.....	2,193,341	2,193,341
Cr.	4,909,997	1,141,992	6,051,989
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—			
Sinking Funds—			
1924 Stock Redemption Fund } Sinking Funds in connection with	.....	19,807	19,807
1925 ,, ,, } temporary works.	.....	22,225	22,225
1927 ,, ,, }	.....	6,937	6,937
Treasury Notes Withdrawal Account	.....	110	110
Colonial Treasurer's Supreme Court Moneys Accounts	318,554	129,635	448,189
General Loan Account	.....	1,530,664	1,530,664
Ledger Balance of General Account on 30th June, 1898 Cr. £	5,228,551	2,851,370	8,079,921

The General Account.—The "General Account" consists of the General Trust Funds (subject to the Audit Act), the Consolidated Revenue Fund, the two Special Suspense Accounts, the Special Trust Funds (not subject to the Audit Act), and the General Loan Account.

The Public Account.—The "Public Account," as defined by the Treasury, consists of the Consolidated Revenue Fund and the General Trust Funds (subject to the Audit Act). It must be mentioned, however, that the Audit Act recognizes only one "Public Account," whether the transactions are connected with Consolidated Revenue, Trust Funds, or Loans.

Special Suspense Accounts.—The "Centennial Park Account" (51 Vic. No. 9), and the "General Post Office New Street Resumption Account" (53 Vic. No. 13), originally formed part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund. The former was opened in 1887 and placed in suspense during 1894; the latter was opened in 1890 and placed in suspense in 1892. The debit balances on the 30th June, 1898, have been covered by advances from the Trust Funds.

No. 2.—Distribution of Cash Balance, 30th June, 1898.

	£	£
Sydney Balance—30th June, 1898—		
Public Account (Consolidated Revenue Fund and General Trust Funds)—		
Bank of New South Wales	.....	Dr. 1,001,067
Commercial Banking Company of Sydney (Limited)	365,721	
City Bank of Sydney	15,719	
,, ,, Fixed Deposit	135,000	
Cash in Treasury	48,440	
		Cr. 564,880
		Dr. 436,187
Special Trust Funds—Bank of New South Wales	178,713	
General Loan Account— ,, ,,	1,530,664	
		Cr. 1,709,377
Total Cash in Sydney £	.....	Cr. 1,273,190
London Balance—30th June, 1898—		
Public Account—		
Bank of England—30th April, 1898	907,321	
London and Westminster Bank—30th April, 1898	343,938	
Remittances in transit, &c., to 30th June, 1898	326,921	
		Cr. 1,578,180
Total £	.....	Cr. 2,851,370

Section I.—CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND AND TRUST FUNDS.

No. 3.—Position of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Year.	Cash Credit.	Debit.					Outstanding Liabilities (as ascertained by subsequent payments), less advances recovered, approximate.	Actual Accumulated Surplus.	Actual Accumulated Deficiency.
		Treasury Bills Current.			Cash Overdraft.	Total Debit Balance.			
		1889–90 Issues.	1896 Issues.	Total.					
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1870	32,059	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	366,644	.....	334,585
1871	.....	.....	.....	.....	366,684	366,684	202,055	.....	568,739
1872	132,338	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	205,929	.....	73,591
1873	925,069	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	‡464,852	1,389,921	.....
1874	825,606	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	‡439,349	1,264,955	.....
1875	1,110,992	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	‡29,228	1,140,220	.....
1876	1,945,807	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	488,624	1,457,183	.....
1877	2,351,074	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,181,807	1,169,267	.....
1878	1,922,784	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	387,750	1,535,034	.....
1879	1,341,619	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	162,835	1,178,784	.....
1880	1,440,227	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	221,161	1,219,066	.....
1881	2,927,434	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	679,224	2,248,210	.....
1882	3,888,753	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	985,905	2,902,848	.....
1883	2,511,016	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	861,091	1,649,925	.....
1884	1,229,338	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	718,493	510,845	.....
1885	2,901	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,470,701	.....	1,467,800
1886	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,286,581	1,286,581	1,198,485	.....	2,485,066
1887	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,159,295	2,159,295	446,057	.....	2,605,352
1888	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,581,645	1,581,645	808,785	.....	2,390,430
1889	201,021	1,907,100	.....	1,907,100	.....	1,907,100	768,444	.....	2,474,523
1890	737,328	2,352,884	.....	2,352,884	.....	2,352,884	793,830	.....	2,409,386
1891	176,034	2,202,884	.....	2,202,884	.....	2,202,884	768,258	.....	2,795,108
1892	107,826	2,052,884	.....	2,052,884	.....	2,052,884	1,055,945	.....	3,001,003
1893	.....	1,902,884	.....	1,902,884	372,297	2,275,181	676,700	.....	2,951,881
1894	.....	1,752,884	.....	1,752,884	447,603	2,200,487	925,497	.....	3,125,984
1895*	.....	1,752,884	.....	1,752,884	149,340	1,902,224	781,117	.....	2,683,341
Old Deficiency Account.									
1896†	177,354	1,602,884	1,174,700	2,777,584	.....	2,777,584	‡3,240	.....	2,596,990
1897†	33,664	1,452,884	1,024,700	2,477,584	.....	2,477,584	‡324	.....	2,443,596
1898†	33,988	1,302,884	1,024,700	2,327,584	.....	2,327,584	.....	.....	2,293,596
New Account under Audit Act Amendment Act of 1895.									
1896†	300,535	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300,535	.....
1897†	84,831	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	84,831	.....
1898†	92,274	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	92,274	.....

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Advances outstanding in excess of liabilities.

NOTE.—According to the Auditor-General, the cash credit balance of the new account on the 30th June, 1898, was £167,274, while there was a cash overdraft of £41,012 on the old account instead of the cash credit of £33,988 shown above. This is accounted for by the Auditor-General placing the whole sum of £150,000, Treasury Bills redeemed in 1895–6, to the old account instead of charging half that sum to the new account current.

No. 4.—Operations on the Consolidated Revenue Fund since 1st July, 1895.

(Exclusive of Suspense Accounts—the Centennial Park Account and the General Post Office New Street Resumption Account.)

Dr. CASH OPERATIONS. *Cr.*

	New Account.	Old Deficiency Account.	Total.		New Account.	Old Deficiency Account.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
To Proceeds of Treasury Bills (*a*)	.....	1,174,700	1,174,700	By Cash Overdraft, June, 1895	.....	149,340	149,340
Revenue and Receipts—				Expenditure (exclusive of redemption of Treasury Bills)—			
1895-6	9,240,684	105,019	9,345,703	1895-6	8,865,149	878,025	9,743,174
1896-7	9,327,578	10,039	9,337,617	1896-7	9,393,282	3,729	9,397,011
1897-8	9,562,506	324	9,562,830	1897-8	9,405,063	....	9,405,063
				Redemption of Treasury Bills—			
				1895-6 (*b*)	75,000	75,000	150,000
				1896-7 (*c*)	150,000	....	150,000
				Cancellation of Treasury Bills, 1896-7 (*d*) ..	.....	150,000	150,000
				Redemption of Treasury Bills, 1897-8 (*e*) ..	150,000	....	150,000
				Cash Credit Balance on 30th June, 1898 ..	92,274	*33,988	126,262
£	28,130,768	1,290,082	29,420,850	£	28,130,768	1,290,082	29,420,850
To Cash Credit Balance on 1st July, 1898	92,274	33,988	126,262				

Dr. OPERATIONS ON TREASURY BILLS. *Cr.*

	Amount.		Amount.
	£		£
To Redemptions from Old Account, 1895-6 (*b*) ..	75,000	By Outstanding Bills on 30th June, 1895 ..	1,752,884
,, ,, New ,, 1895-6 (*b*) ..	75,000	1896 Issue (*a*)	1,174,700
,, ,, ,, ,, 1896-7 (*c*) ..	150,000		
Cancellations, Old Account, 1896-7 (*d*) ..	150,000		
Redemptions from New Account, 1897-8 (*e*) ..	150,000		
Outstanding Bills, 1st July, 1898	2,327,584		
£	2,927,584	£	2,927,584
		By Outstanding Bills, 1st July, 1898 .. £	2,327,584

* This sum is represented by Treasury Bills current in excess of requirements, to the amount of £46,988, less the sum of £13,000 advanced by the Government to the Penrith Council in 1893, and which is yet to be recovered.

NOTE.—It will be seen from the first part of the above table that the total Revenue for the two years 1895-6 and 1896-7 was £9,345,703 and £9,337,617 respectively, while the total Expenditure for the same periods, including redemption and cancellation of Treasury Bills, was £9,893,174 and £9,697,011 respectively. The detailed accounts published in the Statistical Register give the Revenue as £9,394,611 and £9,469,694, and the Expenditure as £9,776,331 and £9,531,779, which sums are increased to £9,926,331 in 1895-6 by the redemption of Treasury Bills, and to £9,831,779 in 1896-7 by the redemption and cancellation of bills. The differences consist chiefly in the exclusion from the above table of temporary advances recovered during the same year in which they were made.

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898.

Head of Revenue.			Amount.		
			£	£	£
TAXATION.					
INDIRECT TAXATION:—					
Customs Duties:—					
Specific Duties—					
Intoxicants (Ale, Beer, Wine, and Spirits)			752,956		
Narcotics (Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Opium)			295,182		
Sugar and Molasses			128,806		
Dried Fruits			49,203		
Candles			8,228		
Confectionery			5,399		
Other Specific Duties			9,376		
Miscellaneous Collections—					
Bonding Warehouses			6,924		
Rent of Goods in Queen's Warehouse			23		
Crown's share of seizures			312		
Sale of Overtime Goods and Samples			182		
				1,256,591	
Excise Duties:—					
Beer			139,323		
Spirits			3,891		
Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes			147,071		
Tobacco Factory License Fees			1,058		
				291,343	
Collections from Licenses:—					
to retail Fermented and Spirituous Liquors			94,788		
to Wholesale Spirit Dealers, Brewers, Distillers, and Rectifiers			6,894		
to retail Colonial Wine, Cider, and Perry			1,828		
Billiard and Bagatelle Licenses			6,852		
to Auctioneers			4,250		
to Hawkers, Pedlars and Pawnbrokers			3,456		
for sale of Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes			2,710		
All other			1,737		
				122,515	
DIRECT TAXATION:—					
Land Tax			.....	371,870	
Income Tax			.....	180,103	
Stamp Duties:—					
Adhesive Stamps			18,166		
Impressed Stamps—					
Deeds	£35,439				
Transfers of Shares	2,441				
Bills of Exchange and Promissory Notes	23,442				
Bills of Lading	3,439				
Cheques	35,552				
Receipts	2,327				
	102,640				
Less Commissions and Deductions	1,454				
			101,186		
Bank-note Composition			23,979		
Probate, Administration, and Settlement Duties—					
Probate	£155,852				
Administration	3,610				
Settlement	1,329				
			160,791		
Carried forward		£	304,122	2,222,422	.....

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Revenue.			Amount.		
			£	£	£
Brought forward	£		304,122	2,222,422	.....
TAXATION—DIRECT TAXATION—*continued.*					
Stamp Duties—*continued.*					
Miscellaneous Receipts—					
Repayments by Licensed Vendors ...	£10,474				
„ Postmasters and Public Officers	134				
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	591				
			11,199		
Paid direct to Treasury :—					
Value of Postage Stamps used as Duty Stamps (approximate)			24,000		
From other sources			9,239		
				348,560	
Gross Revenue from Taxation ...	£		.....	....	2,570,982
LAND REVENUE.					
AUCTION AND SPECIAL SALES—					
Auction Sales			89,399		
Improved Purchases			1,756		
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Sales			1,702		
Miscellaneous Purchases			6,535		
				99,392	
CONDITIONAL PURCHASES—					
Deposits and Improvements (Act of 1889)			37,772		
Instalments and Interest (Acts of 1875, 1884, and 1889)			904,769		
Interest (Act of 1861)			75,773		
Balances (Acts of 1861, 1875, 1884, and 1889)			88,180		
Homestead Selections (Improvements and Rent) ...			15,592		
				1,122,086	
PASTORAL OCCUPATION—					
Pastoral Leases			247,208		
Conditional Leases			164,148		
Occupation Licenses			106,439		
Homestead Leases			56,328		
Annual Leases			44,679		
Settlement Leases			27,581		
Improvement Leases			5,019		
Snow Leases			544		
Scrub Leases			417		
Inferior Leases			229		
Artesian Well Leases			1,061		
				653,653	
Carried forward ...	£		.....	1,875,131	2,570,982

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Revenue.	Amount.		
	£	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	1,875,131	2,570,982
LAND REVENUE—*continued.*			
MINING OCCUPATION—			
Mineral Leases	13,613		
Mineral Licenses	253		
Leases of Auriferous Lands	14,468		
Miners' Rights	4,305		
Business Licenses	1,307		
Residential Leases	491		
Royalty on Minerals	10,450		
Fees, Department of Mines	2,149		
Fees, Wardens' Courts	94		
		47,130	
MISCELLANEOUS LAND RECEIPTS—			
Timber Licenses, &c.	9,740		
Quit Rents	129		
Rents, Special Objects	18,855		
Fees on Preparation and Enrolment of Title-deeds ...	2,593		
Survey Fees	27,974		
Fees on Transfer of Leases...	941		
Other Receipts	49,108		
		109,340	
Gross Revenue from Lands ... ... £	.....	.....	2,031,601
REVENUE FROM SERVICES.			
RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS—			
Railway Tolls	3,026,038		
Miscellaneous	27,368		
Tramway Tolls	313,031		
Miscellaneous	2,484		
		3,368,921	
POSTS AND TELEGRAPHS—			
Postages	507,439		
Telegraphs	157,457		
Telephones	45,187		
Commission on Money Orders	15,089		
Postal Notes Poundage	9,587		
		734,759	
METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE—			
Water Rates...	178,292		
Miscellaneous	4,605		
Sewerage Rates	88,794		
Miscellaneous	1,898		
		273,589	
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board—			
Water Rates...	.....	20,340	
Country Towns Water Supply Works—(Interest and Repayments. See General Miscellaneous Receipts, page 880.)	.....		
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	4,397,609	4,602,583

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Revenue.	Amount.		
	£	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	4,397,609	4,602,583
REVENUE FROM SERVICES—*continued.*			
FEES AND CHARGES—			
Public School Fees	73,907		
Fees, Technical Education...	750		
Agricultural College	2,759		
Mint Receipts	13,622		
Fees for Escort and Conveyance of Gold...	886		
Pilotage	15,954		
Harbour and Light Rates	23,912		
Harbour Dues	5,891		
Marine Board	1,988		
Registration of Brands	915		
Fees of Office—			
Registrar-General and Examiner of Patents ...	31,294		
Courts of Petty Sessions (Fees, Fines, and Forfeitures)	20,901		
Prothonotary	6,226		
District Courts...	4,186		
Bankruptcy Court	4,437		
Master in Equity	4,111		
Registrar of Probates	2,195		
Sheriff (Fees, Fines, and Forfeitures)	1,852		
Curator of Intestate Estates	1,790		
Shipping Masters	3,443		
Crown Solicitor	682		
Clerk of the Peace	11		
Lunacy Act	174		
Imported Stock Act	570		
Cattle Export Act	661		
Public Instruction Department	297		
Inspector of Weights and Measures	191		
Certificates of Naturalisation...	207		
Fees for Watering Live Stock	2,372		
Rent for Public Watering Places	4,158		
Fees under Patent Law Amendment Act	3,787		
Public Officers and Examination Fees	1,844		
Fees for Registration of Dogs...	15,562		
Other Fees and Fines	5,688		
		257,223	
Gross Revenue from Services ... £	.....	.....	4,654,832
GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS.			
RENTS (exclusive of Land)—			
Tolls and Ferries	6,054		
Wharves, Sheds, Jetties, &c.	12,430		
Wharfage	26,105		
Tonnage	15,177		
Miscellaneous	1,652		
Government Buildings and Premises	9,935		
Store Rent and Carriage of Gunpowder	9,415		
Glebe Island Abattoirs Receipts	9,261		
		90,029	
Carried forward ... £	.....	90,029	9,257,415

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Revenue.	Amount.		
	£	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	90,029	9,257,415
GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—*continued.*			
FORFEITURES—			
Confiscated and unclaimed Property	80		
Non-fulfilment of Contracts	1,729		
		1,809	
SALES, &c.—			
Government Property	15,481		
Work done by Prisoners (Value)	3,267		
Seed Wheat (Repayment)	1,069		
Collections by Government Printer	4,558		
		24,375	
Water Rights Receipts...	.....	228	
COLLECTIONS, &c.—			
Assessment on Sugar Refinery	375		
Commission on Imperial Pensions	548		
Contributions—			
Support of British Prisoners and Lunatics... ...	134		
Support of Children, &c., in Industrial and Charitable Institutions	1,763		
Support of Patients in Hospitals for the Insane ...	14,671		
Under section 137, Bankruptcy Act, 1887	435		
,, 19, Lunacy Act, 1894...	532		
Copyright Act	58		
Country Meetings—Bankruptcy	736		
Government Savings Bank—Profit and Loss Account	245		
Closed Money Orders Account	68		
Surplus Cash—Money Order Department	60		
Rebates on Shipments	1,289		
Exchange on Letters of Credit	490		
Fees—			
Presenting Private Bills to Parliament	225		
Testing Cement	435		
Influx of Chinese Restriction Act...	200		
Material issued by Stores Department	5,558		
Receipts under Fisheries Act	3,155		
Dredging at Private Wharves	635		
Board of Exports	242		
Docking Vessels	4,755		
Poundage, 1893	268		
Revenue Suspense Account, 1896	596		
Use of Diamond Drills, Augers, &c.	671		
		38,144	
INTEREST AND DEPOSITS—			
Bank Deposits and other Temporary Investments of Public Moneys	13,694		
Bankruptcy Estate Fund	448		
Country Towns Water Supply Works—Interest ...	13,637		
,, ,, Repayments ...	1,129		
Interest on Loan, Lismore Council	318		
Balance of Interest—Curator of Intestate Estates ...	236		
Accrued Interest—50 Vic. No. 28	5,114		
Interest on Overdue Instalments	4		
		34,580	
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	189,165	9,257,415

No. 5.—Revenue and Receipts for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Revenue.	Amount.		
	£	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	189,165	9,257,415
GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS RECEIPTS—*continued.*			
EXTRAORDINARY RECEIPTS, REFUNDS, AND TRANSFERS—			
Balances of Intestate Estates	5,415		
Costs recovered in various actions...	2,881		
Government Savings Bank Account (estimated amount of Departmental Expenses)	8,500		
Labour Bureau	2,595		
Repayments to Credit of Votes	7,484		
Unclaimed Moneys, 1896	1,289		
Dead Letter Office	97		
Transfer to Consolidated Revenue Fund, under 8th section of Audit Act of 1870	302		
Balances on Insolvent Estates	31		
Unclaimed Balances, Prothonotary, Divorce Court...	92		
Deposits on tenders, 1896	331		
,, under Lands Act, 1896	887		
,, ,, Mining Act ,, ...	820		
Seamen's wages	84		
Unexpended balance, Royal Mint, 1896–7	1,186		
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	3,522		
		35,516	
General Miscellaneous Receipts ... ... £	.....	.....	224,681
Gross Revenue, exclusive of advances ... £	.....	.....	9,482,096
Temporary Advances recovered—			
New Account	.....	80,410	
Old Deficiency Account	.....	324	
			80,734
Total Gross Revenue and Receipts ... ... £	.....	.....	9,562,830

Head of Revenue.		Net Revenue.	Per head.
		£	£ s. d.
Gross Revenue from:—			
Taxation	£2,570,982		
Less Refunds, &c.	59,684		
		2,511,298	1 17 11
Lands	£2,031,601		
Less Refunds, &c.	54,785		
		1,976,816	1 9 11
Services Rendered	£4,654,832		
Less Refunds, &c.	44,286		
		4,610,546	3 9 8
Miscellaneous Sources	£224,681		
Less Refunds, &c.	19,088		
		205,593	0 3 1
Total Net Revenue (exclusive of Refunds and Advances recovered)		9,304,253	7 0 7

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898.

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.	£	£
SCHEDULE A AND SUPPLEMENT—		
His Excellency the Governor	7,000	
The Chief Justice	3,500	
The Puisne Judges	15,600	
The Colonial Secretary	1,820	
The Colonial Treasurer	1,096	
The Attorney-General	1,500	
The Auditor-General	900	
The Governor's Private Secretary	400	
SCHEDULE B AND SUPPLEMENT—		
Pensions to Judges	2,487	
Do Political Officers	967	
Do Superannuated Officers	3,500	
SCHEDULE C—		
Church of England	2,881	
Roman Catholic Church	1,696	
Presbyterian Church	552	
Wesleyan Methodist Church	734	
PUBLIC DEBT—REDEMPTION OF—		
Railway Loan (53 Vic. No. 24)	75,000	
N.S.W. 1924 Stock (58 Vic. No. 14)	6,602	
„ 1925 „ (59 Vic. No. 6)	7,409	
„ 1927 „ (60 Vic. No. 32)	6,937	
Railway Loan of 1867 (31 Vic. No. 11)	54,300	
Treasury Bills (53 Vic. No. 9)	150,000	
PUBLIC DEBT—INTEREST ON—		
Debentures, Inscribed, and Funded Stock	2,167,319	
Railway Loan (31 Vic. No. 11)	10,397	
Treasury Bills—		
Deficiency of 1886 and previous years (53 Vic. No. 9)	47,193	
For Loan Services (55 Vic. No. 7)	40	
Deficiency to 30th June, 1895 (59 Vic. No. 22)	30,741	
GENERAL TRUST FUNDS—		
Interest on uninvested funds at credit of Government Savings Bank (34 Vic. No. 15)	14,796	
ENDOWMENTS—		
Educational Institutions—		
Sydney University. (See also page 889)	5,000	
St. Paul's College	500	
St. John's College	500	
St. Andrew's College	500	
Women's College	500	
Sydney Grammar School	1,500	
Australian Museum. (See also page 889)	1,000	
Fire Brigades (47 Vic. No. 3). (See also page 885)	7,558	
Municipalities and Preliminary Expenses	21,041	
Carried forward £	2,653,466	.....

Schedules A, B, and C.—The Civil List under the Constitution Act (18 and 19 Vic., cap. 54), provided for the payment of salaries, pensions to certain officials, and State Aid to public worship. Schedules A, B, and C, provide for the salaries of those enumerated in the table; the expenditure under Schedule C,—which represents payments made to Ministers of Religion who were in receipt of State Aid previous to the passing of the "Grants for Public Worship Prohibition Act,"—will in the course of time cease.

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward	2,653,466	
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
SALARIES, ALLOWANCES, PENSIONS, &c.—		
Parliamentary Representatives Allowances (53 Vic. No. 12). (See also The Legislative Assembly)	34,708	
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works (53 Vic. No. 11). (See also below)...	10,315	
Electoral—		
Federation Convention Expenses (59 Vic. No. 24)	6,885	
Electorates and Elections Act—Expenses (56 Vic. No. 38) ...	2,461	
Australian Federation Representatives—Allowances (61 Vic. No. 15)	769	
Boards, Commissioners, &c.—		
Public Service Board (59 Vic. No. 25)—Salaries	3,160	
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply, &c. (43 Vic. No. 32, and 51 Vic. No. 28)—Salaries. (See also page 886)	52	
Commissioners for Railways (51 Vic. No. 35, and 52 Vic. No. 5)—Salaries	5,309	
Land Appeal Court, President and Members (55 Vic. No. 26.) (See also page 888)	4,000	
Fees to Commissioners for Customs (42 Vic. No. 19)	247	
Witnesses' Expenses (45 Vic. No. 5)	14	
Judicial Salaries and Pensions—Pensions to Judges (22 Vic. No. 18 and 46 Vic. No. 16)	12,750	
Pensions—Superannuation Act Repeal Act (36 Vic. No. 29)	2,763	
Advance—Superannuation Act Repeal Fund	358	
Parkes Family Grant (60 Vic. No. 3)	375	
Sydney Branch, Royal Mint (28 Vic. No. 3)...	15,000	
Defence—Australasian Naval Force Act (51 Vic. No. 22.) (See also page 884)	37,820	
Refunds—		
Drawbacks and Refunds of Duties	10,663	
Land Revenue	56,581	
Railway Revenue	32,571	
Charges on Collections	635	
Miscellaneous Services	77,393	
Total Special Appropriations ... ... £	.....	2,968,295
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS.		
SUPPLEMENT TO SCHEDULE B (part of)—		
Pensions to Widows	325	
Military Pensions	1,119	
Total, Schedule B... ... ... £	.....	1,444
EXECUTIVE AND LEGISLATIVE—		
His Excellency the Governor	1,204	
The Executive Council	963	
The Legislative Council	5,724	
The Legislative Assembly. (See also Parliamentary Representatives' Allowances above)	10,290	
The Legislative Council and Assembly	3,584	
The Parliamentary Library...	1,859	
Parliamentary Reporting Staff	5,969	
Parliamentary Standing Committee on Public Works. (See also above)	1,333	
Total, Executive and Legislative ... ... £	.....	30,926
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	3,000,665

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	....	3,000,665
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
CHIEF SECRETARY—		
Chief Secretary	7,296	
Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Legislative Council	250	
Agent-General for the Colony	5,878	
Department of Audit	14,910	
Police	332,824	
Pension to Constable Alford	46	
Rewards for Apprehension of Offenders	185	
Defence—Military and Naval Expenditure (see also page 883)—		
Military Secretary	2,069	
,, Forces (Permanent and Volunteer)	180,394	
Naval Forces—		
Naval Brigade	4,733	
Volunteer Naval Artillery	2,434	
Torpedo Defence	1,718	
Warlike Stores and Ammunition	379	
Federal Defence—		
Proportion paid by New South Wales of amount expended in maintaining Garrison at Albany	1,046	
Proportion paid by New South Wales of amount expended in maintaining Garrison at Thursday Island	2,403	
Grants in aid of Rifle Clubs or Associations—		
National Rifle Association of N.S.W.	1,050	
Northern Rifle Association	250	
Southern ,, ...	250	
Western ,, ...	250	
Bingara Rifle Reserve Club	25	
Alexandria Rifle Reserve Club (improving range)	20	
Royal Naval House	200	
Intercolonial Band Contest	250	
Government Statistician	3,804	
Registrar of Friendly Societies and Trade Unions	1,084	
Electoral, &c.—		
Electoral Officer	2,326	
Expenses in connection with Electoral System	1,993	
Federal Conference	3,993	
Federal Election	16,972	
Reorganisation of the Public Service	4,622	
Parks, Recreation Reserves, &c.—		
Government Domains	2,610	
Botanic Gardens	6,542	
Garden Palace Grounds	1,095	
Centennial Park	4,153	
Construction of Boundary Road	795	
National Park	4,000	
Campbelltown Nursery Garden	899	
East Maitland Gaol Reserve	135	
Educational Institutions, &c.—		
Board of International Exchange of Literary and Scientific Works	51	
Exhibit at Imperial Institute...	412	
Revising List of Fishes	59	
Zoological Society	1,034	
Preparation of Statistics of Resources of Colony	400	
Women's Co-operative Silk-Growing Association	200	
Anthropological Society of Australia	100	
Carried forward ... ... £	616,139	3,000,665

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	616,139	3,000,665
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
CHIEF SECRETARY—*continued.*		
Hospitals, Medicine, &c.:—		
Medical Adviser to the Government...	12,365	
Analytical Branch	911	
Medical Board	192	
Lunacy—		
Master-in-Lunacy	3,185	
Institutions for Insane generally	48,895	
Hospitals for Insane generally	45,123	
Lunatic Patients	1,704	
Coast Hospital, Little Bay	10,257	
Aid on the usual conditions—		
Sydney Hospital	3,349	
Regent Street Dispensary	700	
Moorcliff and Victoria Lodge, Miller's Point	350	
Prince Alfred Hospital	3,999	
Carrington Centennial Hospital, Camden	739	
Hospital for Sick Children, Sydney	1,196	
Rent	250	
Country and Suburban Hospitals	7,432	
,, ,, Building Fund	492	
Maintenance of Sick Paupers...	11,000	
Charitable Institutions and Charitable Aid:—		
Charitable Institutions (Government Asylums)	104,040	
Charitable Institutions (aid on usual conditions)	36,192	
Maintenance of Deserted Children, Paupers taken in Charge for Protection, &c.	4,914	
Railway Claims for transmission of paupers, &c.	2,247	
Burial of Destitute Persons	678	
Conveyance of Chinese Lepers to China	210	
Benevolent and kindred Societies—		
Aborigines Protection Board	11,975	
Aid on the usual conditions—		
Deaf and Dumb and Blind Institution	450	
Home for Industrial Blind Women, Strathfield	450	
Infants' Home, Ashfield	448	
Benevolent Society of New South Wales	2,985	
Sydney Rescue Work Society	500	
Animals Protection Society	144	
Special Grants—		
Benevolent Society of New South Wales	4,000	
National Shipwreck Relief Society of N.S.W.	250	
Newcastle Benevolent Society	1,500	
Nevertire Cyclone Relief...	150	
Relief of Sufferers by Floods	148	
Salvation Army	300	
Commissions—		
Dangers of Coal Cargoes	500	
Fisheries	2,664	
Management of Mudgee Hospital	34	
City Railway Extension	100	
Fire Brigades (see also page 882)	828	
Suburban and Country Brigades	3,850	
Conveyance of Fire Brigades to Albury Demonstration	350	
Lismore Water Brigade	25	
Demonstration at Newcastle	500	
Carried forward ... ... £	948,710	3,000,665

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	948,710	3,000,665
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
CHIEF SECRETARY—*continued.*		
Island Administration—		
Lord Howe Island	157	
Protectorate of New Guinea	5,000	
Steam Service to Pacific Island	900	
Municipal, &c.—		
Country and Suburban Municipalities—Special grant	1,754	
Gundagai Council—Reimbursement—Norton *v.* Council	709	
Shellharbour Progress Committee—Special grant	50	
East Maitland—Special grant	100	
Grant for maintenance of road fronting Callan Park Hospital ...	100	
Trusts—		
Wollongong Sand-drift—Special grant...	100	
Lady Robinson's Beach—Special grant	100	
Departmental:—		
Maintenance of Telephones	195	
Freight, Insurance, Carriage of Goods, &c.	449	
Newspapers, Almanacs, Books, &c	686	
Municipal Rates on Government Buildings...	11,040	
Rent of Government Premises occupied by Sub-Departments ...	1,997	
Salary of J. A. Brodie	150	
Immigration—Outstanding Contracts	186	
"Costa Rica" Packet case	595	
Friendly Societies Demonstration	250	
Compensation for loss of Opals at Wilcannia	500	
Record Reign Celebrations	5,998	
Statue of late Sir Henry Parkes	169	
Statue of Governor Phillip	1,451	
Total, Chief Secretary ... ... £	.....	981,346
TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE—		
Departments generally—		
Treasury	19,152	
Stores and Stationery	90,784	
Government Printer's Department	70,101	
Board of Health	14,116	
Glebe Island Abattoirs	6,958	
Board of Pharmacy	14	
Customs	51,069	
Land and Income Taxes	42,564	
Stamp Duties	4,597	
Marine Board of New South Wales—		
Marine Board, Sydney	5,449	
Local Marine Board, Newcastle...	1,658	
Harbour Masters	933	
Colonial Lighthouses	6,739	
Sea and River Pilots	13,078	
Boatmen	11,790	
Telegraph Stations	1,167	
Lifeboats	800	
Rocket Apparatus, Newcastle	163	
Australian Coast Lighthouses	507	
Miscellaneous	14,161	
Carried forward ... ... £	355,710	3,982,011

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	355,710	3,982,011
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE—*continued.*		
Departments generally—*continued.*		
Shipping Masters	2,191	
Public Wharves	5,433	
Mercantile Explosives	7,955	
Gold Receivers	66	
Gold and Escort	298	
Public Account—		
Exchange on Remittances within and beyond the Colony ...	16,874	
Public Debt Expenses—		
Management, &c., of Inscribed Stock, Bank of England	18,600	
Commission on payments in England by Government Financial Agents	1,634	
Commission on payment of Interest and Debentures, Sydney	307	
General Trust Funds—		
Interest on daily credit of "Uninvested Balances"—		
Civil Service Superannuation Account	4,534	
Savings Bank of New South Wales—Special Deposit Account	69,735	
Municipal Council of Sydney—Sinking Fund Account	800	
Bankruptcy Estates Account	238	
Bankruptcy—Unclaimed Dividend Fund	200	
Special Trust Funds—		
Interest on daily credit of "Uninvested Balances"—		
Colonial Treasurer's—		
Master in Equity and Master in Lunacy Accounts	2,904	
Curator of Intestate Estates Account	1,848	
Registrar in Bankruptcy Account	46	
Registrar of Probates Account	275	
Public Departments—		
Advertising for Public Service	5,984	
Telegraphic Messages	19,996	
Postage	30,498	
Private Letter-boxes	385	
Water and Sewerage Rates—Public Buildings	9,000	
Legal Expenses—Treasury Department	495	
Insurance on English shipments	51	
Insurance on Properties resumed by the Government	27	
Gratuities to Officers upon retirement, &c.	19,978	
Adjustment of Salaries on revision by Public Service Board ...	868	
To adjust Advances made to Official Assignee—Delayed through Bank going into liquidation	286	
Unforeseen expenses	1,195	
Miscellaneous—		
Railway free passes to Members of Parliament, Distinguished Visitors, School Children and others	15,000	
Payment of Imperial Pensions in the Colony	33	
Compilation of Historical Records of New South Wales	500	
Expenses in connection with drafting Bills	120	
Charitable Allowances—		
Sailors' Home, Sydney	350	
Sailors' Home, Newcastle	350	
Relief and Conveyance of Distressed Seamen	24	
Total, Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade (exclusive of Railways and Tramways)... £	.....	594,788
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	4,576,799

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	4,576,799
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
TREASURER AND SECRETARY FOR FINANCE AND TRADE—*continued.*		
Railways and Tramways—		
*Existing Lines (Working Expenses)	1,839,110	
Total, Railways and Tramways ... ... £	.....	1,839,110
ATTORNEY-GENERAL ... ... £	.....	46,178
SECRETARY FOR LANDS—		
Department of Lands	157,893	
Land Agents, Appraisers, and others	29,684	
Land Appeal Courts (see also page 883)	1,134	
Legal Expenses	4,211	
Surveys—		
Survey of Lands	66,741	
Trigonometrical Survey of the Colony	2,643	
Labour Settlements	34	
Church and School Lands	443	
Public Parks and Recreation Reserves—		
Improvement, Maintenance, &c.—		
Hyde, Cook, and Phillip Parks	1,000	
Victoria Park	250	
Wentworth Park	250	
Rushcutter's Bay Park	250	
North Sydney Parks	250	
Islands in Port Jackson	250	
Rodd Island	100	
Recreation Reserves between Glenbrook and Mount Victoria	500	
Purchase and Resumption of Sites for Public Parks, Recreation Grounds, and Bathing Places	12,363	
Compensation, &c.—		
Deficient Areas, Improvements, Resumptions, &c.	351	
Resumption of Land for Roads under the Public Roads Act, 1897.	3,042	
Public Cemeteries—Purchase and Resumption of Sites, &c. (see also Administration of Justice)	1,667	
Total, Secretary for Lands ... ... £	.....	283,056
SECRETARY FOR PUBLIC WORKS—		
Department of Public Works—Establishment	88,706	
Roads and Bridges	514,881	
Harbours and Rivers Navigation, Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage, Docks, &c.	29,319	
Dredge Service	73,999	
Architect	49,133	
Detail Surveys of Cities, Towns, and Suburbs	935	
Boards—		
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage (see also page 883)	69,262	
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board	9,909	
Miscellaneous Services	5,988	
Total, Secretary for Public Works ... ... £	.....	842,132
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	7,587,275

* The amounts given under the head of Existing Lines are exclusive of the salaries of the Railway Commissioners, which are included amongst the Special Appropriations, page 883.

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	7,587,275
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
ADMINISTRATION OF JUSTICE—		
Department of Justice	8,988	
Registrar-General and Examiner of Patents	25,578	
Prisons	96,163	
Petty Sessions	76,198	
Coroners	6,848	
District Courts	3,601	
Supreme Court—		
Prothonotary and Divorce Court	2,855	
Master in Equity	2,264	
Bankruptcy	2,309	
Probate and Intestate Estates	2,618	
Sheriff	27,028	
Law Reporter for Bankruptcy and Probate Courts	150	
Departmental and Legal Expenses	1,815	
Cemeteries—Maintenance and Improvements (see also Secretary for Lands)	926	
Total, Administration of Justice ... ... £	.....	257,341
PUBLIC INSTRUCTION AND LABOUR AND INDUSTRY—		
Public Instruction	653,953	
Labour and Industry Branch	9,123	
Clearing, Levelling, and other Improvements—Centennial Park ...	2,000	
Educational and Scientific Institutions (see also page 882)—		
Public Library of New South Wales	7,654	
Observatory	3,995	
Australian Museum (see also page 882)	5,967	
National Art Gallery	4,409	
Art Society of New South Wales	500	
Linnean Society	200	
Royal Society	500	
Sydney University (see also page 882)—		
Additional Endowment	4,000	
To provide for establishment of Evening Lectures	2,000	
Matriculation and other Fees for Students of Training Schools under Department who are attending University Lectures	54	
Additions, Repairs, and Furniture	759	
Women's Branch of the Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals—to assist work in connection with Public Schools	50	
Instruction to the Blind	500	
Other Educational Institutions	7,216	
Industrial Schools—		
N.S.S. "Sobraon"	9,607	
Carpenterian Reformatory	3,542	
Shaftesbury Reformatory	656	
Industrial School for Girls	3,034	
Amount due to Department of Lands for Survey of School Sites ...	542	
Total, Public Instruction and Labour and Industry £	.....	720,261
Carried forward ... ... £	.....	8,564,877

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Brought forward ... ... £	.....	8,564,877
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—*continued.*		
SECRETARY FOR MINES AND AGRICULTURE—		
Department of Mines	64,467	
Agriculture	27,932	
Public Watering Places and Artesian Boring	12,390	
School of Mines and Assay Works	1,791	
Live Stock—		
Registration of Brands	620	
Imported and Introduced Stock	4,937	
Pastures and Stock Protection Act	1,567	
Management of Pounds and Commons	200	
Control, Marking, Fencing, and Improving Travelling Stock and Camping Reserves, &c.	305	
Cost of administering the Act for the regulation of Coal Mines and Collieries	172	
Refund of Salary of Curator and Mineralogist	52	
Law Costs	203	
Special Prizes to be devoted to the Improvement of Agriculture ...	711	
Distribution of Seed Wheat to Distressed Farmers (Act No. 1 of 1897)	447	
Vine Diseases Act—Expenses in connection with the Eradication of Phylloxera, and the administration of the Act	2,181	
Agricultural, Horticultural, and Pastoral Societies—		
Subsidy not exceeding 10s. on every £1 awarded in Prizes for Agricultural, &c., objects	10,628	
Subsidy to Agricultural Societies unable to obtain the usual subsidy on account of insufficient membership	623	
Subsidy to Horticultural Societies	250	
Expenses in connection with Reclamation of Sand-drift, Newcastle ...	117	
Board of Exports	2,234	
Total, Secretary for Mines and Agriculture ... £	.....	131,827
POSTMASTER-GENERAL—		
Postal and Electric Telegraph Department	472,090	
Conveyance of Mails	211,001	
Cable Subsidies and Guarantees—		
British and Australian Subsidy	13,424	
Tasmanian Subsidy	1,705	
New Caledonian Guarantee	1,830	
New Zealand Cable—Reduced Rates	854	
Gratuity	150	
Compensation	25	
Total, Postmaster-General ... ... £	.....	701,079
Gross Expenditure, excluding Advances ... £	.....	9,397,783

No. 6.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue for year ended 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
RECAPITULATION.		
SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS—	£	£
Schedules to Constitution Act	44,633	
Public Debt	2,555,938	
Other Special Appropriations—		
General Trust Funds—Interest on Uninvested Funds at credit of Government Savings Bank	14,796	
Endowments	38,099	
Salaries, Allowances, Pensions, &c.	84,166	
Miscellaneous	52,820	
Refunds, Drawbacks, &c.	177,843	
Total, Special Appropriations... ... ... £	.....	2,968,295
ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS—		
Supplement to Schedule B (Part of)	1,444	
Executive and Legislative	30,926	
Chief Secretary	981,346	
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—		
Departments generally...	594,788	
Railways and Tramways	1,839,110	
Attorney-General	46,178	
Secretary for Lands...	283,056	
Secretary for Public Works	842,132	
Administration of Justice	257,341	
Public Instruction, Labour, and Industry	720,261	
Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	131,827	
Postmaster-General	701,079	
Total, Annual Appropriations... ... ... £	.....	6,429,488
Gross Expenditure, excluding Advances ... £	.....	9,397,783
Net Amount of Temporary Advances Outstanding	.....	157,280
Gross Expenditure, including Advances ... £	.....	9,555,063
Gross Expenditure, excluding Advances ... £	9,397,783	
Less Refunds and charges on collections ...	177,843	
Net Expenditure ... ... £	.....	9,219,940

No. 7.—Revenue and Expenditure of Government Departments, 1897-98.

Department.	Gross Revenue.	Gross Expenditure.	Department.	Gross Revenue.	Gross Expenditure.
	£	£		£	£
Special Appropriations ...	15,069	2,968,295	Annual Appropriations *continued*—		
Annual Appropriations—					
Supplement to Schedule B (part of)	.....	1,444	Secretary for Lands ...	1,986,657	283,056
Executive and Legislative	226	30,926	Secretary for Public Works	332,331	842,132
Chief Secretary	26,922	981,346	Administration of Justice	230,629	257,341
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—			Public Instruction, Labour and Industry	78,609	720,261
Departments generally.	2,628,674	594,788	Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	63,513	131,827
Railways and Tramways	3,371,066	1,839,110	Postmaster-General ...	744,539	701,079
Attorney-General ...	3,861	46,178	Total... ... £	9,482,096	9,397,783

No. 8.—Revenue from each Source of Indirect Taxation, 1889-98.

Import Duties.

Year.	Specific.	Ad Valorem.	Other.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
						Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	1,897,083	.....	8,800	1,905,883	37,231	1,868,652	1 15 0
1890	1,879,559	....	8,762	1,888,321	30,478	1,857,843	1 13 9
1891	2,120,233	39,394	8,638	2,168,265	35,851	2,132,414	1 17 4
1892	2,039,757	628,119	10,014	2,677,890	84,051	2,593,839	2 3 10
1893	1,667,752	449,591	10,302	2,127,645	50,828	2,076,817	1 14 3
1894	1,641,860	413,800	10,179	2,065,839	50,144	2,015,695	1 12 6
*1895	765,763	192,350	5,076	963,189	29,434	933,755	‡0 14 11
†1896	1,602,181	212,222	10,816	1,825,219	70,613	1,754,606	1 7 5
†1897	1,273,525	4	7,186	1,280,715	26,038	1,254,677	0 19 4
†1898	1,249,150	.....	7,441	1,256,591	8,798	1,247,793	0 18 10

Excise Duties.

Year.	Beer.	Tobacco, Cigars, and Cigarettes.	Other.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
						Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	118,940	124,560	17,871	261,371	1,235	260,136	0 4 11
1890	120,245	121,094	24,548	265,887	1,440	264,447	0 4 10
1891	131,851	131,353	24,994	288,198	1,172	287,026	0 5 0
1892	134,097	133,062	22,444	289,603	1,509	288,094	0 4 11
1893	121,915	123,910	19,729	265,554	1,387	264,167	0 4 5
1894	117,644	123,999	16,479	258,122	1,458	256,664	0 4 2
*1895	60,414	63,372	5,368	129,154	906	128,248	‡0 2 1
†1896	125,475	138,100	8,251	271,826	1,270	270,556	0 4 3
†1897	130,777	139,799	6,561	277,137	850	276,287	0 4 3
†1898	139,323	147,071	4,949	291,343	1,864	289,479	0 4 5

Licenses.

Year.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
			Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	130,396	2,560	127,836	0 2 5
1890	133,156	2,459	130,697	0 2 4
1891	133,103	2,725	130,378	0 2 3
1892	132,500	1,428	131,072	0 2 3
1893	129,644	2,601	127,043	0 2 1
1894	124,677	2,564	122,113	0 2 0
*1895	82,362	2 335	80,027	‡0 1 3
†1896	123,109	217	122,892	0 1 11
†1897	121,539	4,959	116,580	0 1 10
†1898	122,515	2,158	120,357	0 1 10

Total Revenue from Indirect Taxation.

Year.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
			Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	2,297,650	41,026	2,256,624	2 2 4
1890	2,287,364	34,377	2,252,987	2 0 11
1891	2,589,566	39,748	2,549,818	2 4 7
1892	3,099,993	86,988	3,013,005	2 11 0
1893	2,522,843	54,816	2,468,027	2 0 9
1894	2,448,638	54,166	2,394,472	1 18 8
*1895	1,174,705	32,675	1,142,030	‡0 18 3
†1896	2,220,154	72,100	2,148,054	1 13 7
†1897	1,679,391	31,847	1,647,544	1 5 5
†1898	1,670,449	12,820	1,657,629	1 5 1

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

No. 9.—Estates of Deceased Persons, and Settlements, with amount of Duty paid, 1890–98.

ESTATES OF DECEASED PERSONS.

Year.	Under §£200.		£200 and under £5,000.		£5,000 and under £12,500.		£12,500 and under £25,000.		£25,000 and under £50,000.		£50,000 and over.		Total Value.	Duty paid.
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		£		£		£		£		£		£	£	£
1890	...	....	1,525	1,269,025	59	461,380	34	636,425	11	412,350	17	3,669,605	6,448,785	240,985
1891	...	.....	1,716	1,245,055	73	594,390	28	512,425	16	506,580	6	717,770	3,576,220	95,863
1892	...	.....	1,990	1,372,870	74	579,155	20	381,860	19	720,320	14	1,488,145	4,542,350	139,988
1893	254	23,005	1,541	1,199,480	67	523,055	24	381,960	11	394,145	8	1,284,735	3,806,380	113,917
1894	538	49,500	1,374	1,294,625	68	540,490	29	494,815	15	563,890	7	1,171,005	4,114,325	119,706
*1895	281	23,290	622	510,165	31	235,075	13	246,855	8	277,875	6	564,955	1,858,215	56,572
†1896	591	53,620	1,485	1,230,980	54	434,090	22	376,065	12	429,175	15	1,670,600	4,194,530	132,971
†1897	610	55,870	1,349	1,105,455	56	452,580	24	439,245	17	588,925	15	1,724,425	4,366,500	143,024
†1898	651	57,620	1,492	1,227,760	71	611,910	22	344,635	5	192,085	10	2,338,475	4,772,485	159,462

SETTLEMENTS.

Year.	Under £5,000.		£5,000 and under £12,500.		£12,500 and under £25,000.		£25,000 and under £50,000.		£50,000 and over.		Total Value.	Duty paid.
	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		£		£		£		£		£	£	£
1890	119	12,571	2	11,440	1	17,630	...	.....	...	.....	41,641	883
1891	120	9,284	1	10,000	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	19,284	293
1892	‡	17,632	2	17,325	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	34,957	523
1893	‡	12,960	1	10,400	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	23,360	338
1894	‡	17,625	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	17,625	176
*1895	‡	22,920	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	22,920	229
†1896	‡	27,200	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1	56,339	83,539	3,089
†1897	‡	19,460	1	10,448	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	29,908	404
†1898	‡	19,400	1	6,400	...	.....	1	25,175	...	.....	50,975	1,329

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Information not available. § Not dutiable.

Stamp Duties Act.—The principal Act (44 Vic. No. 3) was passed in 1880, and provided for the imposition of duties from the 1st July of that year. Under the Amending Act, 50 Vic. No. 10, which came into operation on the 31st August, 1886, a graduated scale of duties ranging from 1 to 5 per cent. was adopted; and under the provisions of Act 56 Vic. No. 30, passed in 1893, estates of deceased persons of less than £200 gross value were exempted from duty.

No. 10.—Revenue from each Source of Direct Taxation, 1889–98.

Year.	Land Tax.	Income Tax.	Stamp Duties.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
						Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	.....	.....	379,519	379,519	1,141	378,378	0 7 1
1890	.....	.....	460,975	460,975	9,919	451,056	0 8 2
1891	.....	.....	326,778	326,778	1,568	325,210	0 5 9
1892	.....	.....	349,795	349,795	17,534	332,261	0 5 7
1893	.....	.....	311,723	311,723	1,904	309,819	0 5 2
1894	.....	.....	297,062	297,062	2,841	294,221	0 4 9
*1895	.....	.....	147,581	147,581	829	146,752	‡0 2 4
†1896	.....	27,658	318,304	345,962	394	345,568	0 5 5
†1897	141,022	305,316	332,345	778,683	29,815	748,868	0 11 7
†1898	371,870	180,103	348,560	900,533	46,864	853,669	0 12 11

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

No. 11.—Revenue from Public Lands, 1892–98.

Head of Revenue.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	1897.†	1898.†
ALIENATION—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Auction and Special Sales—							
Auction Sales	200,214	231,969	216,707	32,242	60,349	60,710	89,399
Improved Purchases	11,327	6,209	10,914	786	1,292	2,022	1,756
Newcastle Pasturage Reserve Sales	10,427	5,691	2,650	910	1,675	1,542	1,702
Miscellaneous Purchases	2,196	8,913	4,137	2,440	4,580	4,325	6,535
Total £	224,164	252,782	234,408	36,378	67,896	68,599	99,392
Conditional Purchases—							
Deposits and Improvements (Acts, 1884 and 1889)	110,695	78,109	58,022	23,717	28,199	28,232	37,772
Instalments and Interest (Acts of 1875, 1884, and 1889)	705,436	781,814	819,229	682,747	893,549	885,355	904,769
Interest (Act of 1861)	96,141	88,318	84,018	71,989	80,755	75,800	75,773
Balances (Acts of 1861, 1875, 1884, and 1889)	58,953	66,747	68,792	63,253	63,838	62,976	88,180
Homestead Selections (Improvements and Rent)	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,386	8,012	15,592
Total £	971,225	1,012,988	1,030,061	841,706	1,069,727	1,060,375	1,122,086
OCCUPATION—							
Pastoral—							
Pastoral Leases	447,656	413,861	379,375	2,744	344,634	320,535	247,208
Conditional Leases	165,292	161,368	154,032	64,544	155,501	153,513	164,148
Occupation Licenses	161,293	137,751	115,067	9,923	126,216	122,978	106,439
Homestead Leases	76,076	72,083	68,130	38,491	77,100	61,024	56,328
Annual and Snow Leases	41,247	41,711	40,602	6,827	44,136	44,647	45,223
Scrub and Inferior Leases	88	704	555	429	634	843	645
Settlement Leases	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,184	14,357	27,581
Improvement Leases	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,323	1,494	5,019
Artesian Well Leases	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,062
Total £	891,652	827,478	757,761	122,958	756,728	719,391	653,653
Mining—							
Mineral Leases	15,260	12,839	7,723	2,785	11,093	11,421	13,613
Mineral Licenses	1,475	1,688	1,125	442	1,100	415	253
Leases of Auriferous Lands	7,693	7,740	6,970	4,115	15,069	15,174	14,468
Miners' Rights	6,073	6,808	10,903	9,964	10,857	5,791	4,305
Business Licenses	2,638	2,116	1,710	890	1,485	1,287	1,307
Residential Leases	210	289	346	154	325	376	491
Royalty on Minerals	10,533	18,042	13,958	3,153	9,221	10,800	10,450
Survey Fees (Gold Fields)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....
,, (Mineral Leases)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	53	.....
Fees—Warden's Courts and Department of Mines	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,243
Total £	43,882	49,522	42,735	21,503	49,150	45,319	47,130
Miscellaneous Land Receipts—							
Timber Licenses, &c.	15,463	9,601	6,556	3,430	6,631	8,216	9,740
Rents, Special Objects	14,417	11,727	.....	6,595	16,780	17,413	18,855
Fees on Preparation and Enrolment of Title-deeds	2,635	2,819	3,204	1,268	2,048	2,175	2,593
Survey Fees	43,950	31,722	22,137	11,117	23,411	22,809	27,974
Fees on Transfer of Leases	1,335	998	965	507	984	818	941
Quit Rents and Other Receipts	5,339	6,630	27,348	7,890	24,381	8,314	49,237
Total £	83,139	63,497	60,210	30,807	74,235	59,745	109,340
Gross Revenue £	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,429	2,031,601
Refunds £	158,498	91,082	46,424	15,669	41,496	54,595	54,785
Net Revenue £	2,055,564	2,115,185	2,078,751	1,037,683	1,976,240	1,898,834	1,976,816

REVENUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Auction and Special Sales	0 3 10	0 4 2	0 3 9	‡0 0 7	0 1 1	0 1 1	0 1 6
Conditional Purchases	0 16 5	0 16 0	0 16 8	‡0 13 5	0 16 9	0 16 4	0 16 11
Pastoral Occupation	0 15 1	0 14 6	0 12 3	‡0 1 11	0 11 10	0 11 1	0 9 10
Mining Occupation	0 0 9	0 0 10	0 0 8	‡0 0 4	0 0 9	0 0 8	0 0 9
Miscellaneous Land Receipts	0 1 5	0 0 11	0 1 0	‡0 0 6	0 1 2	0 0 11	0 1 8
Gross Revenue	1 17 6	1 16 5	1 14 4	‡0 16 9	1 11 7	1 10 1	1 10 8
Refunds	0 2 8	0 1 6	0 0 9	‡0 0 3	0 0 8	0 0 10	0 0 10
Net Revenue	1 14 10	1 14 11	1 13 7	‡0 16 6	1 10 11	1 9 3	1 9 10

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

No. 12.—Revenue from Services, 1889–98.

Year.	Railways and Tramways.	Posts and Telegraphs.	Water Supply and Sewerage.	Other Services.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.
			TOTAL REVENUE.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	2,875,135	597,988	147,071	318,884	3,939,078	55,630	3,883,448
1890	3,013,921	629,894	232,519	310,765	4,187,099	48,407	4,138,692
1891	3,439,283	648,553	245,821	287,198	4,620,855	57,422	4,563,433
1892	3,416,496	650,635	255,641	281,841	4,604,613	58,018	4,546,595
1893	3,253,272	643,849	275,954	257,267	4,430,342	50,925	4,379,417
1894	3,148,720	626,864	275,835	248,451	4,299,870	48,204	4,251,666
*1895	1,454,973	316,888	135,989	116,739	2,024,589	27,561	1,997,028
†1896	3,156,527	676,668	270,376	267,670	4,371,241	55,571	4,315,670
†1897	3,367,552	706,120	281,511	260,885	4,616,068	53,527	4,562,541
†1898	3,368,921	734,759	293,929	257,223	4,654,832	44,286	4,610,546
			REVENUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.				
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1889	2 13 11	0 11 2	0 2 9	0 6 0	3 13 10	0 1 0	3 12 10
1890	2 14 8	0 11 5	0 4 3	0 5 8	3 16 0	0 0 10	3 15 2
1891	3 0 2	0 11 4	0 4 4	0 5 0	4 0 10	0 1 0	3 19 10
1892	2 17 10	0 11 0	0 4 4	0 4 9	3 17 11	0 1 0	3 16 11
1893	2 13 9	0 10 7	0 4 7	0 4 3	3 13 2	0 0 10	3 12 4
1894	2 10 11	0 10 2	0 4 5	0 4 0	3 9 6	0 0 9	3 8 9
*1895	1 3 3	0 5 1	0 2 2	0 1 10	1 12 4	0 0 5	‡1 11 11
†1896	2 9 5	0 10 7	0 4 3	0 4 2	3 8 5	0 0 10	3 7 7
†1897	2 11 11	0 10 11	0 4 4	0 4 0	3 11 2	0 0 10	3 10 4
†1898	2 10 11	0 11 1	0 4 5	0 3 11	3 10 4	0 0 8	3 9 8

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

No. 13.—Revenue from all Sources, 1889–98.

Year.	Gross Revenue.	Refunds.	Net Revenue.	
			Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	9,066,941	191,211	8,875,730	8 6 5
1890	9,494,584	188,893	9,305,691	8 8 11
1891	10,036,185	263,860	9,772,325	8 10 11
1892	10,501,104	435,502	10,065,602	8 10 5
1893	9,706,734	207,425	9,499,309	7 16 11
1894	9,459,235	158,492	9,300,743	7 10 4
*1895	4,558,569	80,054	4,478,515	‡3 11 7
†1896	9,254,152	179,161	9,074,991	7 2 0
†1897	9,287,000	179,792	9,107,208	7 0 4
†1898	9,482,096	177,843	9,304,253	7 0 7

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

No. 14.—Sources of Public Revenue, with amounts raised per head of population, 1889–98.

Head.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.	†1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation—										
Customs	1,905,883	1,888,321	2,168,265	2,677,890	2,127,645	2,065,839	963,189	1,825,219	1,280,715	1,256,591
Excise	261,371	265,887	288,198	289,603	265,554	258,122	129,153	271,826	277,137	291,343
Stamps	379,519	460,975	326,778	349,794	311,723	297,062	147,581	318,304	332,345	348,560
Land tax	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	141,022	371,870
Income tax	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	27,658	305,316	180,103
Licenses	130,396	133,156	133,103	132,500	129,644	124,677	82,362	123,109	121,539	122,515
Total .. £	2,677,169	2,748,339	2,916,344	3,449,787	2,834,566	2,745,700	1,322,285	2,566,116	2,458,074	2,570,982
Land—										
Sales—Auction & Special	214,691	225,387	191,696	224,164	252,782	234,408	36,378	67,896	68,599	99,392
Conditional Purchases..	934,480	1,050,271	1,078,816	971,225	1,012,988	1,030,061	841,706	1,069,727	1,060,375	1,122,086
Occupation—Pastoral ..	890,425	760,343	828,576	891,652	827,478	757,761	122,958	756,728	719,391	653,653
,, Mining ..	53,384	62,794	53,451	43,882	49,522	42,735	21,503	49,150	45,319	47,130
Miscellaneous Receipts	44,583	144,244	114,097	83,139	63,497	60,210	30,807	74,235	59,745	109,340
Total .. £	2,137,563	2,243,039	2,266,636	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,429	2,031,601
Services—										
Railways and Tramways	2,875,135	3,013,921	3,439,283	3,416,496	3,253,272	3,148,720	1,454,973	3,156,527	3,367,552	3,368,921
Post and Telegraphs ..	597,988	629,894	648,553	650,635	643,849	626,864	316,888	676,668	706,120	734,759
Water Supply & Sew'ge—										
Metropolitan	147,071	232,519	245,821	249,694	254,346	253,251	124,647	250,531	258,950	273,589
Hunter District ..	....	....	....	5,947	21,608	22,584	11,342	19,845	22,561	20,340
Public School Fees ..	72,320	71,827	75,916	77,524	73,267	70,693	35,189	73,519	74,406	73,907
Pilotage, Harbour and Light Rates, and Fees	67,355	54,609	68,280	65,287	51,203	58,684	25,710	66,259	57,141	47,745
Miscellaneous Services..	179,209	184,329	143,002	139,030	132,797	119,074	55,840	127,892	129,338	135,571
Total .. £	3,939,078	4,187,099	4,620,855	4,604,613	4,430,342	4,299,870	2,024,589	4,371,241	4,616,068	4,654,832
Miscellaneous—										
Rents, exclusive of lands	64,336	52,741	67,622	96,021	84,819	78,215	40,899	86,193	88,471	90,029
Forfeitures	556	1,035	1,557	2,238	2,892	1,747	1,119	5,249	3,660	2,121
Country Towns Water Supply and Sewerage Works, Interest and Repayments	3,188	5,522	5,818	6,370	3,845	9,979	5,036	15,032	11,128	14,766
Unclassified Revenue ..	245,051	256,809	157,353	128,013	144,003	198,549	111,289	192,585	156,170	117,765
Total .. £	313,131	316,107	232,350	232,642	235,559	288,490	158,343	299,059	259,429	224,681

Summary of Total Revenue.

Taxation	2,677,169	2,748,339	2,916,344	3,449,787	2,834,566	2,745,700	1,322,285	2,566,116	2,458,074	2,570,982
Land	2,137,563	2,243,039	2,266,636	2,214,062	2,206,267	2,125,175	1,053,352	2,017,736	1,953,429	2,031,601
Services	3,939,078	4,187,099	4,620,855	4,604,613	4,430,342	4,299,870	2,024,589	4,371,241	4,616,068	4,654,832
Miscellaneous	313,131	316,107	232,350	232,642	235,559	288,490	158,343	299,059	259,429	224,681
Gross Revenue.. £	9,066,941	9,494,584	10,036,185	10,501,104	9,706,734	9,459,235	4,558,569	9,254,152	9,287,000	9,482,096
Refunds	191,211	188,893	263,860	435,502	207,425	158,492	80,054	179,161	179,792	177,843
Net Revenue .. £	8,875,730	9,305,691	9,772,325	10,065,602	9,499,309	9,300,743	4,478,515	9,074,991	9,107,208	9,304,253

Revenue per head of population.

	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Taxation	2 10 2	2 9 11	2 11 0	2 18 5	2 6 10	2 4 5	‡1 1 2	2 0 2	1 17 11	1 18 10
Land	2 0 1	2 0 9	1 19 8	1 17 6	1 16 5	1 14 4	‡0 16 9	1 11 7	1 10 1	1 10 8
Services	3 13 10	3 16 0	4 0 10	3 17 11	3 13 2	3 9 6	‡1 12 4	3 8 5	3 11 2	3 10 4
Miscellaneous	0 5 11	0 5 8	0 4 0	0 3 11	0 3 11	0 4 8	‡0 2 7	0 4 8	0 3 11	0 3 5
Gross Revenue.. £	8 10 0	8 12 4	8 15 6	8 17 9	8 0 4	7 12 11	‡3 12 10	7 4 10	7 3 1	7 3 3
Refunds	0 3 7	0 3 5	0 4 7	0 7 4	0 3 5	0 2 7	‡0 1 3	0 2 10	0 2 9	0 2 8
Net Revenue .. £	8 6 5	8 8 11	8 10 11	8 10 5	7 16 11	7 10 4	‡3 11 7	7 2 0	7 0 4	7 0 7

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

Note.—Advances recovered are not included in this table.

No. 15.—Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue, with amounts per head of population, 1889–98.

Service.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.	†1898.
TOTAL EXPENDITURE.										
Public Debt—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest	1,760,274	1,857,656	1,874,616	1,715,096	2,440,226	2,255,255	1,133,566	2,262,997	2,267,861	2,255,690
Redemptions	49,519	189,203	255,400	286,197	261,897	257,502	21,561	261,752	416,113	300,248
Railways & Tramways—										
Existing Lines	1,804,033	2,043,080	2,363,032	2,156,671	1,901,347	1,747,935	881,520	1,883,543	1,833,263	1,844,419
Posts and Telegraphs ..	628,182	648,993	694,732	759,209	774,502	750,196	394,298	745,343	706,119	701,679
Public Instruction—										
Primary	616,440	650,642	690,202	778,531	717,543	674,227	363,096	705,840	660,535	653,953
Other	96,464	80,945	80,611	80,012	87,787	61,931	28,243	52,359	46,576	49,560
Immigration	8,073	5,916	4,564	2,333	3,106	2,109	695	547	486	186
Hospitals and Charities ..	374,316	269,866	285,139	282,177	320,223	336,610	241,031	379,660	336,463	325,441
Military and Naval ..	209,214	241,148	281,786	321,449	220,094	259,663	151,923	221,442	211,827	235,291
Customs	69,301	63,145	59,764	73,036	76,899	74,998	39,570	71,839	53,128	51,316
Other Services	3,576,839	3,502,968	3,888,827	4,083,203	3,485,298	3,066,804	1,668,850	3,266,712	3,083,651	2,980,600
Gross Expenditure ..	9,192,655	9,553,562	10,478,673	10,537,914	10,289,022	9,487,230	4,924,353	9,852,034	9,616,092	9,397,783
Refunds	191,211	188,893	263,860	435,502	207,425	158,492	80,054	179,161	179,792	177,843
Net Expenditure ..	9,001,444	9,364,669	10,214,813	10,102,412	10,081,597	9,328,738	4,844,299	9,672,873	9,436,300	9,219,940
EXPENDITURE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.										
Public Debt—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Interest	1 13 0	1 13 8	1 12 9	1 9 1	2 0 4	1 16 5	‡0 18 0	1 15 5	1 14 11	1 14 1
Redemptions	0 0 11	0 3 5	0 4 6	0 4 10	0 4 4	0 4 2	‡0 0 4	0 4 1	0 6 5	0 4 6
Railways & Tramways—										
Existing Lines	1 13 10	1 17 2	2 1 3	1 16 5	1 11 5	1 8 3	‡0 14 0	1 9 6	1 8 3	1 7 10
Posts and Telegraphs ..	0 11 9	0 11 10	0 12 2	0 12 10	0 12 10	0 12 2	‡0 6 3	0 11 8	0 10 11	0 10 7
Public Instruction—										
Primary	0 11 7	0 11 10	0 12 1	0 13 2	0 11 10	0 10 11	‡0 5 9	0 11 1	0 10 2	0 9 11
Other	0 1 10	0 1 5	0 1 5	0 1 4	0 1 5	0 1 0	‡0 0 5	0 0 10	0 0 9	0 0 9
Immigration	0 0 2	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	0 0 1	....	....	....	....	.....
Hospitals and Charities ..	0 7 0	0 4 11	0 5 0	0 4 10	0 5 4	0 5 5	‡0 3 10	0 5 11	0 5 2	0 4 11
Military and Naval ..	0 3 11	0 4 4	0 4 11	0 5 5	0 3 6	0 4 2	‡0 2 5	0 3 6	0 3 3	0 3 7
Customs	0 1 4	0 1 2	0 1 1	0 1 3	0 1 3	0 1 3	‡0 0 8	0 1 1	0 0 10	0 0 9
Other Services	3 7 1	3 3 7	3 8 0	3 9 2	2 17 8	2 9 7	‡1 6 6	2 11 1	2 7 6	2 5 1
Gross Expenditure ..	8 12 5	8 13 5	9 3 3	8 18 5	8 10 0	7 13 4	‡3 18 2	7 14 2	7 8 2	7 2 0
Refunds	0 3 7	0 3 5	0 4 7	0 7 5	0 3 5	0 2 7	‡0 1 3	0 2 9	0 2 9	0 2 8
Net Expenditure ..	8 8 10	8 10 0	8 18 8	8 11 0	8 6 7	7 10 9	‡3 16 11	7 11 5	7 5 5	6 19 4

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.
NOTE.—Advances made are not included in his table.

No. 16.—Cost of General Government and Expenditure on other Services, 1889–98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.	†1898.
General Government.										
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Net Revenue	5,884,127	6,083,035	6,113,606	6,418,853	5,997,554	5,906,447	2,916,981	5,683,403	5,491,628	5,674,648
‡Net Expenditure ..	5,735,473	5,616,824	6,113,186	6,267,810	6,003,848	5,548,131	3,046,342	6,013,385	5,712,125	5,445,608
Excess of Revenue ..	148,654	466,211	420	151,043	....	358,316	....	....	....	229,040
,, Expenditure	....	....	.....	.....	6,294	....	129,361	329,982	220,497	....
Other Services—Railways, Tramways, and Water Supply and Sewerage.										
Net Revenue	2,991,603	3,222,656	3,659,512	3,646,749	3,501,816	3,394,264	1,561,534	3,391,375	3,615,580	3,629,605
‖Net Working Expenses	3,265,971	3,597,845	3,952,420	3,663,601	3,927,810	3,630,575	1,797,957	3,659,672	3,728,225	3,774,332
Excess of Revenue ..	....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, Expenditure	274,368	375,189	292,908	16,852	425,994	236,311	236,423	268,297	112,645	144,727

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.
‡ Including interest on loan capital of services connected with General Government and redemption of Treasury Bills.
‖ Including interest charge on loan capital, and redemption of loans.

No. 17.—Cost of General Government and Expenditure on Services, per head of population, 1889–98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.	†1898.
General Government.										
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Net Revenue	5 10 4	5 10 5	5 6 11	5 8 8	4 19 1	4 15 6	§2 6 2	4 8 11	4 4 7	4 5 9
‡Net Expenditure ..	5 7 7	5 1 11	5 6 11	5 6 1	4 19 2	4 9 8	§2 8 2	4 14 1	4 8 0	4 2 4
Excess of Revenue ..	0 2 9	0 8 6	.....	0 2 7	....	0 5 10	....	....	....	0 3 5
,, Expenditure	....	....	.....	.....	0 0 1	....	§0 2 0	0 5 2	0 3 5	....
Other Services—Railways, Tramways, and Water Supply and Sewerage.										
Net Revenue	2 16 1	2 18 6	3 4 0	3 1 9	2 17 10	2 14 10	§1 4 8	2 1 1	2 15 9	2 14 10
‖Net Working Expenses	3 1 3	3 5 4	3 9 1	3 2 0	3 4 10	2 18 8	§1 8 5	2 17 3	2 17 6	2 17 0
Excess of Revenue ..	....	....	.....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
,, Expenditure	0 5 2	0 6 10	0 5 1	0 0 3	0 7 0	0 3 10	§0 3 9	0 2	0 1 9	0 2 2

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. § Amount for six months.
‡ Including interest on loan capital of services connected with General Government and redemption of Treasury Bills.
‖ Including interest-charge on loan capital, and redemption of loans.

No. 18.—Amount of Trust Funds at end of each year, 1871–98.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£		£
1871	213,340	1881	1,671,183	1891	4,997,055
1872	321,766	1882	1,884,899	1892	4,536,756
1873	472,437	1883	2,200,896	1893	5,859,503
1874	630,399	1884	2,384,480	1894	6,544,001
1875	757,909	1885	2,515,110	*1895	7,025,660
1876	854,571	1886	2,702,486	*1896	7,657,741
1877	1,006,425	1887	2,731,036	*1897	8,672,742
1878	990,284	1888	3,172,056	*1898	8,465,819
1879	986,729	1889	3,175,484		
1880	1,190,130	1890	3,381,992		

* Year ended 30th June.

No. 19.—Investment of Trust Funds, 30th June, 1898.

Account.	Amount Invested in Government Securities.	Amount Uninvested (used in Advances and Public Account).		Total Amount of Trust Funds on 30th June, 1898.
		On which Interest is paid.	On which Interest is not paid.	
	£	£	£	£
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—				
Civil Service Superannuation Account	338,000	48,912	.....	386,912
Police Reward Fund	.....	.....	654	654
Police Superannuation Fund	.....	.....	782	782
Trust Moneys Account	.....	.....	216	216
Special Deposits Account—				
Government Savings Bank Account	4,217,967	511,730	.....	4,729,697
Savings Bank of New South Wales—Deposit Account	.....	2,165,000	.....	2,165,000
Assurance Fund, Real Property Act	140,900	.....	25,311	166,211
Railway Construction Store Account	.....	.....	71,020	71,020
Railway Store Account	.....	.....	208,422	208,422
Perpetual Trustee Company (Limited)	20,000	.....	.....	20,000
Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales (Limited)	20,000	.....	.....	20,000
Municipal Council of Sydney Sinking Fund	6,500	22,259	.....	28,759
Bankruptcy Estates Account	7,000	1,000	.....	8,000
Survey Fees under Mining Acts	.....	.....	769	769
Revenue Suspense Account	.....	.....	10,068	10,068
Store Advance Account—Metropolitan Water and Sewerage	.....	.....	13,313	13,313
Bankruptcy Unclaimed Dividend Fund	.....	6,892	.....	6,892
Newcastle Borough Council Water Debentures Sinking Fund	.....	.....	3,788	3,788
Country Towns Water Supply Works Repayment—Loan Trust Account	.....	.....	1,520	1,520
Poundage	.....	.....	1,558	1,558
Public Schools Property Fund	.....	.....	1,297	1,297
Stores Advance Account—Harbours and Rivers	.....	.....	1,554	1,554
Sewerage Contractors Advance Account	.....	.....	2,934	2,934
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board—Stores Advance Account	.....	.....	1,000	1,000
Volunteer Military Forces—Clothing Account	.....	5,000	9,924	1,4924
,, ,, Deferred Payment Account	.....	3,000	2,477	5,477
Other Deposits	.....	.....	2,330	2,330
Sundry Deposits—				
Penrith Municipal Council Debentures Account	.....	.....	13,000	13,000
Treasury Guarantee Fund	.....	.....	9,795	9,795
Deposits under Lands and Mining Acts	.....	.....	6,152	6,152
Wm. Roberts Bequest Trust Account	4,000	.....	.....	4,000
Public Works Security Deposit Trust Account	.....	.....	11,635	11,635
Wollongong Harbour Trust	.....	.....	5,303	5,303
Illawarra Harbour Land Corporation	.....	.....	10,000	10,000
Other Deposits	.....	.....	2,552	2,552
Sundry Accounts—				
Money Orders due in London Account	.....	.....	10,323	10,323
Railway Suspense Account	.....	.....	6,111	6,111
Other Deposits	.....	.....	16,583	16,583
Total General Trust Funds £	4,754,367	2,763,793	450,391	7,968,551
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—				
New South Wales 1924 Stock Redemption Fund	.....	.....	19,806	19,806
,, ,, 1925 ,, ,,	.....	.....	22,225	22,225
,, ,, 1927 ,, ,,	.....	.....	6,937	6,937
Treasury Notes Withdrawal Account	.....	.....	110	110
Colonial Treasurer's—				
Master in Equity Account	276,770	56,024	.....	332,794
Curator of Intestate Estates Account	.....	21,635	.....	21,635
Master in Lunacy Account	41,784	26,214	.....	67,998
Registrar in Bankruptcy Account	.....	28	.....	28
Prothonotary Account	.....	.....	1,797	1,797
Registrar of Probates Account	.....	23,937	.....	23,937
Total Special Trust Funds £	318,554	127,838	50,875	497,267
Grand Total £	5,072,921	2,891,631	501,266	8,465,818

NOTE.—The Trust Funds are divided into two classes—those operated upon directly by the Treasury and those operated upon by officers of departments in whose names the accounts stand. The funds operated upon directly by the Treasury are subject to the Audit Act, and with the Consolidated Revenue Fund constitute the "Public Account," as defined by the Treasury. The other trust funds are not subject to the Audit Act, nor do they form part of the Public Account; they are, however, part of the "General Account," and as such constitute portion of the "General Banking Account."

No. 20.—Distribution of Trust Funds, 30th June, 1898.

Particulars.	Amount.		
	£	£	£
General Trust Funds (subject to Audit Act)—			
Government Securities—			
Treasury Bills—			
Deficiency of 1886, and previous years	1,089,100		
,, from 1st January, 1887, to 30th June, 1895 ...	1,024,700		
		2,113,800	
Debentures—			
4 per cent. (39 Vic. No. 18)	224,400		
5 ,, (31 Vic. No. 27)	1,500		
5 ,, (32 Vic. No. 13)	8,200		
		234,100	
Funded and Inscribed Stock—			
New South Wales 4 per cents. (36 Vic. No. 21)	296,467		
,, ,, Funded Stock (56 Vic. No. 1)	1,030,000		
,, ,, ,, ,, (58 Vic. No. 14)	30,000		
,, ,, ,, ,, (59 Vic No. 6)	880,000		
,, ,, 1924 ,, (58 Vic. No. 14)	20,000		
,, ,, 1925 ,, (59 Vic. No. 6)	150,000		
		2,406,467	
Advances and Miscellaneous Securities—			
Advances to General Loan Account—			4,754,367
On 9th January, 1895	500,000		
On 10th April, 1895	500,000		
On 28th September, 1895	500,000		
		1,500,000	
Miscellaneous Securities—			
Penrith Municipal Council	13,000		
Illawarra Harbour Land Corporation...	10,000		
Wollongong Harbour Trust	5,303		
Sundry Fixed Deposits...	8,055		
		36,358	
Cash Balance used in the General Account—			1,536,358
Working Balance	.....	1,542,826	
Fixed Deposits—City Bank of Sydney	.....	135,000	
			1,677,826
Total General Trust Funds ... ... £	.....	.....	7,968,551
Special Trust Funds (not subject to Audit Act)—			
Government Securities—			
Treasury Bills—Deficiency of 1886 and previous years	213,784		
New South Wales Funded Stock (56 Vic. No. 1)	104,770		
		318,554	
Cash Balance used in General Account	.....	178,713	
Total Special Trust Funds ... ... £	.....	.....	497,267
Grand Total ... ... £	.....	.....	8,465,818

No. 21.—Rates of Interest on Trust Funds, 30th June, 1898.

Class of Trust Fund.	Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.				Total.
		2½ per cent.	3 per cent.	4 per cent.	5 per cent.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Invested in Government Securities..	.....	.....	3,019,084	2,044,137	9,700	5,072,921
,, Other Securities ...	28,358	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,358
Uninvested	472,908	*8,000	2,812,460	71,171	.....	3,364,539
Total	501,266	*8,000	5,831,544	2,115,308	9,700	8,465,818

*Fixed deposits in Bank of New South Wales.

No. 22.—Appropriations for Year ending June, 1899, as voted by Parliament.

Services.	Permanent Appropriations.	Annual Appropriations.	Total.
	£	£	£
Permanent Appropriations—			
Schedules to Constitution Act	43,596	.....	43,596
Public Debt	2,542,985	.....	2,542,985
Other	368,595	.....	368,595
Annual Appropriations—			
Supplement to Schedule B (part of)	.....	1,583	1,583
Executive and Legislative	.....	31,279	31,279
Chief Secretary	.....	842,002	842,002
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade—			
Departments generally	.....	623,790	623,790
Military and Naval Forces	.....	196,185	196,185
Railways and Tramways	.....	1,926,754	1,926,754
Attorney-General	.....	46,854	46,854
Secretary for Lands	.....	298,566	298,566
Secretary for Public Works	.....	894,620	894,620
Administration of Justice	.....	265,911	265,911
Public Instruction, Labour, and Industry	.....	756,793	756,793
Mines and Agriculture	.....	158,946	158,946
Postmaster-General	.....	710,478	710,478
£	2,955,176	6,753,761	9,708,937
Less Special Grant to Municipalities, deducted from balance for 1897-8	.....	32,500	32,500
Total ... ... £	2,955,176	6,721,261	9,676,437
Advances—			
Treasurer and Secretary for Finance and Trade— Advance to Treasurer	.....	100,000	100,000
Secretary for Mines and Agriculture—			
Expenditure chargeable to the prevention of scab in sheep	.....	23,512	23,512
Total ... ... £	2,955,176	6,844,773	9,799,949

Section II.—LOAN EXPENDITURE and PUBLIC DEBT.

No. 23.—Loan Expenditure authorised annually, 1875–98.

Year.	Amount authorised—			Year.	Amount authorised—		
	For Public Works and Services.	For Redemption of Loans.	Total.		For Public Works and Services.	For Redemption of Loans.	Total.
	£	£	£		£	£	£
1875	.....	.....	.....	1887	.....	.....	.....
1876	2,236,000	.....	2,236,000	1888	3,641,305	1,390,600	5,031,905
1877	1,120,000	.....	1,120,000	1889	4,366,696	723,200	5,089,896
1878	.....	.....	.....	1890	4,982,957	2,038,800	7,021,757
1879	7,352,768	.....	7,352,768	1891	4,000,000	.....	4,000,000
1880	1,262,000	.....	1,262,000	1892	4,414,568	.....	4,414,568
1881	8,807,500	.....	8,807,500	1893	839,806	40,000	879,806
1882	.....	.....	.....	1894	1,690,662	832,000	2,522,662
1883	2,000,000	.....	2,000,000	1895	1,555,200	977,400	2,532,600
1884	14,388,303	.....	14,388,303	1896	2,205,576	65,800	2,271,376
1885	.....	.....	.....	1897	1,847,552	177,200	2,024,752
1886	3,115,393	.....	3,115,393	1898	2,035,837	197,700	2,233,537

NOTE.—The Treasury Bills authorised in 1889 and 1895, to the amount of £2,600,000 and £1,174,700 respectively, for the purpose of covering deficiencies in revenue, have not been included in this table.

No. 24.—Loan Expenditure authorised under Loan Act of 1898.

Service.	Permanent and Reproductive Works for which no provision is made for Sinking Fund.	Other Works for which provision is made for Sinking Fund.	Total.
	£	£	£
Railways	666,614	.....	666,614
Tramways	135,000	.....	135,000
Harbours and Rivers	179,100	60,250	239,350
Roads and Bridges	.....	57,000	57,000
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage	401,000	.....	401,000
Sewerage Construction	28,500	.....	28,500
Government Architect...	206,773	64,400	271,173
Telegraphs and Telephones	50,000	.....	50,000
Department of Mines and Agriculture	.....	150,000	150,000
Military Works...	35,200	.....	35,200
Government Printer (Machinery)	.....	2,000	2,000
Total for Public Works and Services ...	1,702,187	333,650	2,035,837
Repayment of Loans	197,700	.....	197,700
Total authorised ... ... £	1,899,887	333,650	2,233,537

No. 25.—Expenditure on Public Works, 1890–98.

Year.	Expenditure from—		Total.	
	Consolidated Revenue.	Loans.	Amount.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1890	1,227,380	2,299,751	3,527,131	3 4 0
1891	1,486,803	4,750,167	6,236,970	5 9 1
1892	1,387,203	3,014,680	4,401,883	3 14 6
1893	1,101,251	1,929,580	3,030,831	2 10 1
1894	762,867	1,330,046	2,092,913	1 13 10
*1895	469,263	659,125	1,128,388	§0 18 0
†1896	978,497	1,279,098	2,257,595	1 15 4
†1897	854,871	‡1,477,318	2,332,189	1 15 11
†1898	574,041	1,644,769	2,218,810	1 13 6

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ See note to Table No. 28. § Amount for six months.
NOTE.—This expenditure does not include the cost of the establishment.

No. 26.—Expenditure on Public Works during year ended 30th June, 1898.

Service.	Expenditure from—		Total.	
	Consolidated Revenue.	Loans.	Amount.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£ s. d.
Railways and Tramways	.....	421,885	421,885	0 6 5
Harbours, Rivers, Docks, Wharves, &c.	23,314	282,421	305,735	0 4 7
Roads and Bridges	†479,589	59,526	539,115	0 8 2
Water Supply and Sewerage	.....	487,967	487,967	0 7 5
Water Conservation, Irrigation, and Artesian Boring...	.....	52,051	52,051	0 0 9
Telegraphs and Telephones	.....	44,818	44,818	0 0 8
*Military and Naval Works	279	*34,147	34,426	0 0 6
Public Buildings, &c., including land resumptions ...	†70,859	261,954	332,813	0 5 0
Total ... ... £	574,041	1,644,769	2,218,810	1 13 6

* Exclusive of payments made in connection with Defences of Thursday Island (Queensland) and Albany (Western Australia).
† Includes maintenance.
NOTE.—This expenditure does not include cost of establishment.

No. 27.—Annual and Total Loan Expenditure on Public Works, 1855–98.

Year.	During each Year.		At the close of each Year.	
	Amount.	Per head.	Amount.	Per head.
	£	£ s. d.	£	£ s. d.
1855	564,702	2 5 1	804,749	3 0 6
1860	377,564	1 2 0	3,050,654	8 15 0
1865	554,872	1 7 9	5,395,335	13 3 9
1870	621,913	1 5 4	8,450,937	16 18 11
1875	1,149,152	1 19 4	10,937,028	18 8 1
1880	1,668,638	2 5 8	16,395,351	21 18 5
1885	3,896,145	4 4 0	32,462,040	34 3 9
1886	3,766,356	3 17 8	36,228,396	36 12 5
1887	1,965,019	1 19 1	38,193,415	37 8 8
1888	2,076,307	2 0 1	40,269,722	38 6 3
1889	1,464,900	1 7 6	41,734,622	38 11 7
1890	2,299,751	2 1 9	44,034,373	39 5 0
1891	4,750,167	4 3 1	48,784,540	41 17 3
1892	3,014,680	2 11 0	51,799,220	43 5 0
1893	1,929,580	1 11 11	53,728,800	43 18 4
1894	1,330,046	1 1 6	55,058,846	43 19 11
*1895	659,125	§0 10 7	55,717,971	43 18 9
†1896	1,279,098	1 0 1	56,997,069	44 3 10
†1897	‡1,477,318	1 2 9	‡58,474,387	44 12 5
†1898	1,644,769	1 4 10	60,119,156	45 0 2

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ See note to Table No. 28. § Amount for six months.
NOTE.—Conversions and renewals of loans are not included in this table.

No. 28.—Distribution of Annual Loan Expenditure, 1893–98.

Service.	1893.	1894.	*1895.	†1896.	†1897.	†1898.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways	987,375	508,069	235,245	378,094	454,039	336,754
Tramways	155,955	93,766	16,108	8,031	22,635	85,131
Telegraphs and Telephones	15,985	5,202	7,442	36,709	68,664	44,818
Water Supply and Sewerage—						
Water Supply—						
Metropolitan	53,852	24,117	27,204	88,189	101,919	125,691
Hunter District	.....	.....	2,218	16,753	21,933	3,276
Country Towns and Mining Townships	65,038	55,425	46,938	41,311	29,880	64,115
Sewerage—						
Metropolitan	141,223	204,499	84,707	154,754	167,783	282,934
Buildings and Stores	12,661	5,059	157	920	5,165	.....
Hunter District	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,186
Country Towns	.....	.....	206	2,381	16,250	1,765
Water Conservation and Irrigation	65,157	32,566	11,736	48,297	97,179	50,655
Harbours and Rivers Navigation—						
Wharves, including resumption	18,692	140,953	24,977	42,667	39,011	51,864
Docks	2	.....	.....	.....	1,555	401
Harbours	59,437	41,578	44,550	94,087	55,859	75,237
Rivers	45,974	47,610	62,616	40,482	81,044	99,127
Navigation	23,729	160	1,591	15,088	6,070	8,325
Alteration of Dredges	.....	.....	.....	.....	13,301	11,237
Reclamation Works	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,332	36,230
Roads and Bridges	63,305	28,097	5,820	40,992	55,004	59,526
Fortifications and Military Works, and Naval Station, Sydney Harbour	51,797	48,979	11,624	21,975	11,102	34,147
Public Works, Buildings, &c.—						
Charitable Institutions	45,821	42,708	11,229	30,446	56,734	37,049
Administration of Justice	34,558	4,077	9,078	63,331	49,156	35,663
Educational	3,399	4,218	7,408	21,788	32,306	34,406
Public Instruction, School Buildings, &c.	33,093	2,000	109	1,006	14,000	26,199
Other Public Buildings and Works	38,080	40,963	32,173	79,726	52,020	67,846
Purchase of Sites and Erection of Buildings for Local Land Boards and Survey Offices	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,471	4,354
Forest Reserves, for thinning out and improving	.....	.....	13,489	39,518	11,002	8,040
Compensation for cancellations under Mining Act of 1889	.....	.....	.....	4,353	13	392
To promote settlement under Crown Lands Act of 1895	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,678	41,298
Hay Irrigation Works	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,396
Clearing and Improving Crown Lands	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	116
Jenolan Caves—For resumption of Accommodation House and to provide Improved Buildings	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,591
	1,915,133	1,330,046	656,625	1,270,898	1,548,105	1,644,769
Less Repayment to credit of Votes, &c. £	1,553	.....	.....	.....	‡70,787	.....
	1,913,580	1,330,046	656,625	1,270,898	1,477,318	1,644,769
Municipal Works taken over by the State: (the expenditure on these Works is not rightly chargeable to the years in which the transfers were made)	16,000	.....	2,500	8,200	.....	.....
Total Expenditure on Public Works, &c. £	1,929,580	1,330,046	659,125	1,279,098	1,477,318	1,644,769
Loans repaid by New Loans (including Treasury Bills)	40,300	1,250,400	821,900	1,224,200	2,201,800	2,700
Total £	1,969,880	2,580,446	1,481,025	2,503,298	3,679,118	1,647,469

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ This amount is portion of the Over-issues, Loan Votes Account, transferred to the General Loan Account in 1897–8; but the repayment which should be credited to each year cannot be distinguished, and the whole amount has, therefore, been deducted in 1896–7.

No. 29.—Distribution of Total Loan Expenditure to 30th June, 1898.

Head of Expenditure.	Amount.	
	£	£
Railways	.....	38,687,253
Tramways	.....	1,945,605
Telegraphs and Telephones	.....	980,214
Water Supply and Sewerage—		
Water Supply—		
Sydney	2,779,941	
County of Cumberland	685,087	
Compensation to Municipal Council of Sydney for Lands resumed under Water Supply Act 17 Vic. No. 35	43,262	
Municipal Council of the City of Sydney Waterworks	85,000	
Hunter District Water Supply	37,631	
Newcastle Borough Council—Water Supply Works	16,000	
Country Towns	806,410	
Sewerage—		
Sydney	2,669,110	
Municipal Council of the City of Sydney Sewerage Works	126,000	
,, ,, of Darlington Sewerage Works	5,000	
,, ,, of Redfern ,,	27,532	
,, ,, of Balmain ,,	2,500	
,, ,, of Ashfield ,,	8,200	
Hunter District Sewerage	10,186	
Country Towns	12,245	
Water Supply and Sewerage (Buildings and Stores)—		
Sydney	423,742	
Stores Advance Account	36,000	
		*7,773,846
Water Conservation, Artesian Boring, &c.	.....	550,682
Harbours and Rivers Navigation—		
Wharfage accommodation, Sydney	1,217,195	
Wharves and appliances	314,435	
Improvements, &c., Harbours and Rivers	1,117,980	
Breakwaters	343,208	
Lighthouses	97,489	
Harbour of Refuge, Trial Bay	82,072	
Dock accommodation	320,298	
Dredges and Punts	383,885	
Reclamation Works	435,828	
New Pilot Steamer	27,764	
		4,340,154
Roads and Bridges	.....	1,048,911
Fortifications and Military Works	.....	1,271,654
Public Works, Buildings, &c.—		
Public Buildings	1,583,131	
Public Buildings and Works for Educational and Scientific purposes	836,443	
Reformatories, Hospitals, and Benevolent Asylums	150,928	
Public Works and improvements generally	243,850	
Purchase of sites and erection of buildings for Local Land Boards and District Survey Offices	20,063	
Land resumptions generally	437,379	
		3,271,794
Compensation for cancellation of sale or lease of lands under Land Act of 1884, and Mining Act of 1889	.....	4,758
†Immigration	.....	194,430
Total Expenditure on Public Works in New South Wales	.....	60,069,301
Public Works, Queensland, prior to separation	.....	49,855
Total Expenditure on Public Works	.. .. ..	60,119,156
Loans repaid by New Loans—		
Loans repaid under various acts	7,026,330	
Debenture debt due by Territorial Revenue for Immigration	375,500	
Treasury Bills for loan services repaid	3,996,000	11,397,830
Total, including Redemptions £	.. .. ..	71,516,986

*See note to Table No. 30 *re* Water Supply and Sewerage.

† Exclusive of £724,733 expended prior to the inauguration of Loans Account, which, with the amount already stated (£194,430), gives a total expenditure on Immigration to 30th June, 1898, of £919,163.

No. 30.—Balance-sheet of General Loan Account, 30th June, 1898.

DR.	£	£	CR.	£	£
To Treasury Bills, Debentures, Inscribed and Funded Stock to 30th June, 1898.			By Railways	38,687,253	
Total authorised	91,557,990		Tramways	1,945,605	
Less not sold	12,922,690		Telegraphs and Telephones ..	980,214	
Sold.			Water Supply and Sewerage ..	*7,773,846	
Redeemed. / Outstanding, 30th June, 1898.			Water Conservation, Artesian Boring, &c.	550,682	
£ / £			Harbours and Rivers Navigation	4,340,154	
Debentures .. / Stock .. .. / Bills— / For Loan / From Revenue, 4,118,850 / 10,489,150 / 50,291,986			Roads and Bridges	1,048,911	
Services .. / In aid of / Revenue / By New Loan, 11,403,730 / 4,000 / 2,327,584			Fortifications and Military Works	1,271,654	
			†Immigration	194,430	
£ 15,522,580 / 63,112,720	78,635,300		Public Works, Buildings, &c. ..	3,276,552	
Less Interest, Discount, and charges	2,857,440		Total Expenditure in N.S.W..	.....	60,069,301
Amount available for Expenditure on Works	.....	75,777,860			
Less—Amount of proceeds included in Public Debt Statement, but not credited to either Old or General Loan Accounts :—			Public Works, Queensland, prior to separation	.....	49,855
Immigration	724,733		Redemptions—		
Treasury Bills in aid of Revenue—			Loans repaid under various acts	7,026,330	
53 Vic. No. 9	2,502,884				
59 Vic. No. 22	1,174,700				
Sewerage Works taken over :—			Debenture debt due by Territorial Revenue for Immigration	375,500	
Ashfield Council	1,500				
North Sydney	4,400				
Amount over-raised under Act 16 Vic. No. 39, paid to Sydney Railway Company	7,365		Treasury Bills for Loan Services repaid..	3,996,000	
Amounts over-raised and credited to Consolidated Revenue Fund :—					11,397,830
Act 35 Vic. No. 5	445				
Act 36 Vic. No. 2	15,834				
Act 52 Vic. No. 16	25,117	4,456,978	Cr. Balance, 30th June, 1898 ..	.....	1,530,664
		71,320,882			
Add—Amount transferred from Consolidated Revenue under terms of Act 41 Vic. No. 8, to make good amount short-raised, Loan Act 36 Vic. No. 17	175,839				
Amount short-raised on part issue of Loan 16 Vic. No. 39	929				
Amount advanced from Consolidated Revenue Fund in anticipation of loans.. ..	1,500,000				
Amount advanced by Curator of Intestate Estates, in anticipation of loans	50,000				
		1,726,768			
	£	73,047,650		£	73,047,650

* Includes £5,900, municipal debentures paid off, which have been regarded by the Treasury as ordinary expenditure and which, taken with the £11,397,830 shown above as redemptions, will give the amount (£11,403,730) which appears as loans redeemed in Table No. 34.

† See note to Table No. 29 *re* Immigration.

NOTE.—The above Balance-sheet shows a reconciliation between the statement of Loan Expenditure on works given in Table No. 29, and the Public Debt as shown in Table No. 31.

SUPPLEMENTARY STATEMENT.

POSITION OF THE PUBLIC DEBT ON 30TH JUNE, 1898.

	£	£		£	£
Funded Debt :—			Unfunded Debt :—		
Amount of Debentures, Funded and Inscribed Stock sold to 30th June, 1898	70,957,716		Amount of Treasury Bills sold to 30th June, 1898	7,677,584	
Redeemed— £			Redeemed— £		
By New Loans .. 7,407,730			From General Loan Account 3,996,000		
From Revenue .. 2,768,850			From Revenue .. 1,350,000		
	10,176,580			5,346,000	
Total Funded Debt	.....	60,781,136	Total Unfunded Debt	.....	2,331,584
Public Debt on 30th June, 1898		£63,112,720			

NOTE.—As Treasury Bills do not form part of the Funded Debt, the Bills disappear from the Debt Statement when the last payment in redemption thereof has been made.

No. 31.—Statement of the Public Debt at close of each year, 1855–98.

Year.	Authorised.	Sold.	Redeemed.			Public Debt.	
			From Consolidated Revenue.	By New Loans.	Total.	Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1855	2,126,184	1,283,000	282,200	.....	282,200	1,000,800	3 12 1
1860	50,12,324	4,921,030	329,700	761,100	1,090,800	3,830,230	10 19 9
1865	9,306,603	6,869,030	358,300	761,100	1,119,400	5,749,630	14 1 0
1870	12,900,431	11,100,530	358,300	1,061,100	1,419,400	9,681,130	19 8 3
1875	15,155,844	13,660,037	479,600	1,709,800	2,189,400	11,470,637	19 6 0
1880	27,333,964	17,986,519	1,371,870	1,710,730	3,082,600	14,903,919	19 18 6
1881	36,141,464	20,040,719	1,405,970	1,710,730	3,116,700	16,924,019	21 12 10
1882	36,141,464	22,040,719	1,608,770	1,710,730	3,319,500	18,721,219	22 19 5
1883	38,141,464	28,045,719	1,702,530	1,710,730	3,413,260	24,632,459	28 12 0
1884	51,824,267	33,550,719	1,738,030	1,710,730	3,448,760	30,101,959	33 5 3
1885	51,824,267	39,050,719	1,775,730	1,710,730	3,486,460	35,564,259	37 9 1
1886	54,939,660	44,550,719	1,805,740	1,710,730	3,516,470	41,034,249	41 9 6
1887	54,939,660	44,560,719	1,854,640	1,710,730	3,565,370	40,995,349	40 3 7
1888	60,056,565	48,188,619	1,897,740	2,197,830	4,095,570	44,093,049	41 19 0
1889	65,146,461	53,595,719	1,943,240	3,098,930	5,042,170	48,553,549	44 17 8
1890	74,929,218	54,331,503	2,131,240	3,816,930	5,948,170	48,383,333	43 2 6
1891	74,929,218	59,325,703	2,311,640	4,063,330	6,374,970	52,950,733	45 8 10
1892	83,119,494	62,837,203	2,501,340	5,862,430	8,363,770	54,473,433	45 9 8
1893	84,015,300	67,919,103	2,687,340	5,902,730	8,590,070	59,329,033	48 9 11
1894	86,537,962	69,058,533	2,879,250	7,153,130	10,032,380	59,026,153	47 3 4
*1895	86,540,462	69,086,213	2,890,250	7,975,030	10,865,280	58,220,933	45 18 2
†1896	87,257,462	74,673,353	3,062,750	9,199,230	12,261,980	62,411,373	48 7 9
†1897	89,533,238	76,240,078	3,764,550	11,401,030	15,165,580	61,074,498	46 11 5
†1898	91,557,990	78,635,300	4,118,850	11,403,730	15,522,580	63,112,720	47 4 11

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

NOTE—The difference between the amounts outstanding at the close of each year does not, as a rule, represent the actual increase or decrease in the debt. Repayments of loans are generally effected under the head of renewals, and in following out this practice, it is usually found necessary to float the redeeming loan some time before the due date of the maturing loan; hence the liability appears twice in the Debt statement till the bonds or stocks are retired.

No. 32.—Annual Interest and Charges of Public Debt, 1889–98.

Year.	Interest.	Redemptions (including premium on purchase of Debentures on account of Railway Loan, 31 Vic. No. 11).	Expenses connected with management of Inscribed Stock, Bank of England.	Commission paid to Financial Agents in England and New South Wales.	Annual Interest and Charges.	
					Total.	Per head.
	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.
1889	1,760,274	49,519	14,426	4,292	1,828,511	1 14 4
1890	1,857,656	39,203	15,855	3,068	1,915,782	1 14 9
1891	1,874,616	105,400	16,680	2,389	1,999,085	1 15 0
1892	1,715,096	115,196	18,259	3,410	1,851,961	1 11 4
1893	2,440,326	111,897	19,057	1,384	2,572,664	2 2 6
1894	2,255,255	107,502	19,952	1,869	2,384,578	1 18 7
*1895	1,133,566	21,561	10,249	827	1,166,203	‡0 18 6
†1896	2,262,997	261,752	16,923	1,718	2,543,390	1 19 7
†1897	2,267,861	416,113	18,626	2,353	2,704,953	2 1 3
†1898	2,255,690	300,248	18,600	1,941	2,576,479	1 18 9

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June. ‡ Amount for six months.

London Agent.—Since 1883 all financial operations connected with the issue and inscription of Stock have been conducted by the Bank of England. The Bank charges ½ per cent. per £100 Stock on all loan issues, and in addition annually receives for the inscription and management of Stock (including the payment of the half-yearly dividends), £500 per million for the first ten millions, £450 for the next five, and £400 per million for all subsequent amounts.

Local Agent.—The Bank of New South Wales, since the middle of 1893, has transacted all the local business connected with the "Government Banking Account," and also acts as Financial Agent for the Colony in Victoria. The business carried on includes the payment of the half-yearly dividends on local Debentures and Funded Stock, and all Banking transactions connected with the Consolidated Revenue Fund, Trust Funds, and General Loan Account. The Treasury, however, in local loan issues, directly conducts the operations connected with the issue of New South Wales Funded Stock and Treasury Bills. During 1895-96 a current account was opened at the City Bank of Sydney; and during 1896-97 at the Commercial Banking Company of Sydney, Limited.

No. 33.—Particulars of Loans floated to 30th June, 1898.

Class of Security.	Interest per Annum.	Authority. Act.	Authority. Amount.	Bonds and Stock sold. Date.	Bonds and Stock sold. Amount.	Net Amounts realised.	Debt on 30th June, 1898.	Annual Interest payable.
Raised on the Security of the Territorial Revenue.								
	per cent.	*Gazette* Notices.	£		£	£	£	£
Debentures ..	7·98	28 Dec., 1841	49,500	1842	49,500	48,760	.....	.....
,, ..	6·08	28 Dec., 1841	2,300	1843	2,300	2,300	.....	.....
,, ..	6·08	30 Jan., 1844	97,900	1844	97,900	97,264	.....	.....
,, ..	4·94	28 May, 1849	75,000	1849	*75,000	77,154	.....	.....
,, ..	4·94	5 Mar., 1850	57,500	1850	57,500	57,917	.....	.....
,, ..	4·94	20 Jan. & 10 Nov., 1851 ..	79,600	1851	79,600	80,642	.....	.....
,, ..	4·94	15 July, 1852	130,400	1852	130,400	142,504	.....	.....
,, ..	4·18	30 Aug., 1853	100,000	1853	100,000	105,321	.....	.....
,, ..	4·18	6 Mar., 1854	60,000	1854	60,000	60,746	.....	.....
,, ..	4·94	18 Jan., 1855	53,000	1855	53,000	52,125	.....	.....
		Total under *Gazette* Notices	705,200	....	705,200	724,733	.....	.....
		Act of Council.						
,, ..	4·18 and 4·94	16 Vic. No. 39	217,500	1853-5	217,500	†223,936	.....	.....
Total		£	922,700	.....	922,700	948,669	.....	.....
Raised on the Security of the Consolidated Revenue.—Loans included in "Old Loans Account."								
		Acts of Council.						
Debentures ..	4 to 5	17 Vic. No. 34	200,000	1854-9	209,030	200,971	50	Ceased.
,, ..	4 to 5	17 Vic. No. 35	200,000	1854-8	208,400	200,809	.....	.....
,, ..	5	18 Vic. No. 35	178,750	1855-67	144,000	134,615	.....	.....
,, Permanent	5	18 Vic. No. 40	624,734	1855-7	666,800	628,542	2,700	135
,, ..	5	19 Vic. Nos. 38 & 40	445,323	1856-61	410,500	394,625	200	Ceased.
		Acts of Parliament.						
,, ..	5	20 Vic. No. 1	73,776	1856-8	73,700	70,277	.....	.....
,, ..	5	20 Vic. No. 1	200,000	1856	203,000	199,997	.....	.....
,, ..	5	20 Vic. No. 16	130,400	1857	132,300	130,311	.....	.....
,, ..	5	20 Vic. No. 33	107,718	1858-9	112,000	106,989	.....	.....
,, ..	5	20 Vic. No. 34	300,000	1858-9	299,000	298,647	.....	.....
,, ..	5	22 Vic. Nos. 5 & 26	145,000	1859-61	145,700	143,925	.....	.....
,, ..	5	22 Vic. No. 22	758,500	1859-61	760,700	751,575	.....	.....
,, ..	5	22 Vic. No. 26	11,600	1862	5,000	4,925	.....	.....
,, ..	5	23 Vic. No. 5	365,600	1860-2	365,600	359,082	200	Ceased.
,, ..	5	23 Vic. No. 10	348,223	1862	348,200	338,511	.....	.....
,, ..	5	24 Vic. No. 24	113,535	1861-2	113,900	112,210	.....	.....
,, ..	5	24 Vic. No. 26	55,000	1861	55,500	54,946	.....	.....
,, ..	5	25 Vic. No. 19	1,782,371	1862-6	1,782,300	1,684,855	.....	.....
,, ..	5	26 Vic. No. 14	161,832	1867	162,000	696,146	200	Ceased.
,, ..	5	27 Vic. No. 14	670,025	1867	670,000			
,, ..	5	29 Vic. No. 5	300,000	1866	300,000	266,434	.....	.....
,, ..	5	29 Vic. No. 9	219,450	1867	219,400	192,377	100	Ceased.
,, ..	5	29 Vic. No. 23	758,000	1868	758,000	712,116	1,200	,,
,, ..	5	30 Vic. No. 23	65,850	1867	65,800	61,573	.....	.....
,, ..	5	31 Vic. No. 11	1,000,000	1869	1,000,000	968,504	2,000	Ceased.
,, ..	5	31 Vic. No. 27	177,407	1868-9	177,400	177,934	177,200	8,860
,, ..	5	32 Vic. No. 13	197,885	1869-70	197,800	195,244	197,700	9,885
,, ..	5	34 Vic. No. 2	407,152	1871	407,100	399,660	407,100	20,355
,, ..	5	Under various Acts	.....	1871	450,000	437,899	450,000	22,500
Total (Old Loans Account)		£	9,998,131	.....	10,443,130	9,923,699	1,238,650	61,735

NOTE.—In some of the earlier years the interest was fixed at a daily rate; in such cases an equivalent yearly rate is quoted.

* £25,000 of this amount was repaid by the Government of Victoria.

† The total amount over-raised on two issues of this Act, viz., £7,365, was paid over to the Sydney Railway Company.

"Old Loans Account."—The £450,000 loan floated "Under various Acts" (commonly known as the "Tailings Loan") was floated during 1871 for the purpose of adjusting the amounts short and over raised under Act 17 Vic. No. 34, and all subsequent Acts to 34 Vic. No. 2. These loans constituted what is termed the "Old Loans Account," which formed part of the Consolidated Revenue Fund till 1891, when the account was finally closed by the balance at the end of that year (£132,326 0s. 4d.) being transferred to the "General Loan Account" under the provisions of the Loan Act 54 Vic. No. 33, as amended by Act 55 Vic. No. 35.

No. 33.—Particulars of Loans floated to 30th June, 1898—*continued.*

Class of Security.	Int. per Ann.	Authority. Act.	Authority. Amount.	Bonds and Stock sold. Date.	Bonds and Stock sold. Amount.	Net Amounts realised.	Debt on 30th June, 1898.	Annual Interest payable.
Raised on the Security of the Consolidated Revenue and included in "General Loan Account."								
	%	Acts of Parliament.	£		£	£	£	£
Debentures ..	5	35 Vic. No. 5	374,980	1871	374,900	375,425	374,900	18,745
,, ..	5	36 Vic. No. 2	406,863	1872	406,800	422,697	399,300	19,965
,, ..	4	36 Vic. No. 17	1,901,500	1875–6	1,901,500	1,725,661	1,901,500	76,060
,, ..	4	39 Vic. No. 18	235,690	1876–88	224,900	221,045	224,900	8,996
,, ..	4	38 Vic. No. 2	806,200					
,, ..	4	40 Vic. No. 12	2,236,000	1879	3,249,500	3,178,374	3,249,500	129,980
,, ..	4	41 Vic. No. 4	207,352					
		Municipal Loans taken over by Government—						
,, ..	6	Sydney Waterworks ..	35,000		35,000	35,000	30,000	1,800
,, ..	5	,, ,, ..	20,000	1888	20,000	20,000	20,000	1,000
,, ..	4	,, ,, ..	30,000		30,000	30,000	30,000	1,200
,, ..	6	Sydney Sewerage ..	88,000		88,000	88,000	62,000	3,720
,, ..	5	,, ,, ..	38,000	1889	38,000	38,000	38,000	1,900
,, ..	6	Darlington Sewerage ..	5,000	1890	5,000	5,000	.....	.....
,, ..	4	Redfern Sewerage ..	30,000	1890	30,000	27,533	30,000	1,200
,, ..	5	Newcastle Water Supply..	16,000	1893	16,000	16,000	16,000	800
,, ..	6	Balmain Sewerage ..	2,500	1894	2,500	2,500	2,500	150
,, ..	4½	Ashfield ,, ..	3,700	1896	3,700	3,700	3,700	167
,, ..	5	,, ,, ..	1,500	1896	1,500	1,500	.....	.....
,, ..	5½	,, ,, ..	4,500	1896	4,500	4,500	4,500	247
,, ..	6	North Sydney Sewerage..	4,400	1896	4,400	4,400	.....	.....
£2,863,700 Deb..	4	41 Vic. No. 7	1,120,000	1881–3	1,120,000	1,145,117	2,863,700	114,548
£5,609,000 In. Stk	4	43 Vic. No. 11	7,352,768		7,352,700	7,302,100	5,609,000	224,360
Inscribed and Funded Stock ..	4	44 Vic. No. 12	1,262,000	1883	1,262,000	1,244,686	1,262,000	50,480
,, ,, ..	4	44 Vic. No. 28	7,102,000	1883–5	315,300	310,703	315,300	12,612
	3½				6,786,700	6,176,180	6,786,700	237,535
,, ,, ..	3½	45 Vic. No. 22	1,000,000	1885	1,000,000	894,887	1,000,000	35,000
,, ,, ..	3½	46 Vic. No. 23	2,000,000	1885	2,000,000	1,789,774	2,000,000	70,000
,, ,, ..	3½	48 Vic. No. 26	14,388,303	1885–9	12,322,700	11,811,176	12,322,700	431,294
,, ,, ..	3	50 Vic. No. 28	3,115,393	1895–8	1,500,000	1,479,746	1,500,000	78,678
					1,122,600	1,067,753	1,122,600	
,, ,, ..	3½	52 Vic. No. 16	1,390,600	1889	1,390,600	1,389,813	1,390,600	48,671
,, ,, ..	3	52 Vic. No. 17	3,641,305	1895–7	1,100,000	1,046,258	1,100,000	33,000
,, ,, ..	4	56 Vic. No. 1			323,691	323,691	323,691	12,948
,, ,, ..	3	53 Vic. No. 23	5,089,896	1895–7	1,144,000	1,088,108	1,144,000	34,320
,, ,, ..	4	56 Vic. No. 1			15,000	15,000	15,000	600
,, ,, ..	3½	54 Vic. No. 33	4,994,200	1891–3	7,021,757	6,649,286	4,994,200	174,797
	4		2,027,557				2,027,557	81,102
,, ,, ..	4	55 Vic. No. 35	1,190,276	1893–7	472,443	461,208	472,443	18,898
		56 Vic. No. 1			699,779	699,779	699,779	27,991
,, ,, ..	4	56 Vic. No. 24	879,806	1896–7	879,800	879,800	879,800	35,192
		56 Vic. No. 1						
,, ,, ..	4	56 Vic. No. 1	1,460,650	1894–7	631,080	631,080	631,080	25,243
,, ,, ..	3½	57 Vic. No. 17			832,000	829,551	832,000	29,120
,, ,, ..	3	58 Vic. No. 14	1,062,012	1895–7	863,947	862,776	863,947	25,918
					198,065	197,650	198,065	5,942
,, ,, ..	3	59 Vic. No. 5	977,400	1895–7	633,400	602,454	633,400	19,002
,, ,, ..	3	59 Vic. No. 6	1,555,200	1895–7	222,255	222,135	222,255	6,668
					1,332,665	1,332,190	1,332,665	39,980
,, ,, ..	3	60 Vic. No. 32	2,271,376	1897–8	83,015	82,815	83,015	2,490
,, ,, ..	3	61 Vic. No. 43	2,024,752	....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N.S.W. Four per Cents.	4	36 Vic. No. 21	509,780	1873–6	530,189	509,780	530,189	21,208
Total (General Loan Account)		£	72,862,459	....	59,591,886	57,244,831	59,542,486	2,163,527
Unfunded Debt.								
Treasury Bills ..	3	53 Vic. No. 9 (Def. of Rev.) ..	2,600,000	1889-90	2,502,884	2,502,884	914,384	27,431
	4						388,500	15,540
,, ..	3	59 Vic. No. 22 ,, ,, ..	1,174,700	1896	1,174,700	1,174,700	1,024,700	30,741
,, ..	4	55 Vic. No. 7 (for Loan services)	4,000,000	1892	3,250,000	3,233,077	4,000	.....
	4½			1892	750,000	750,000	.....	.....
Total Treasury Bills		£	7,774,700	....	7,677,584	7,660,661	2,331,584	73,712
Summary—								
Total Funded Debt			83,783,290	....	70,957,716	68,117,199	60,781,136	2,225,262
Total Unfunded Debt			7,774,700	....	7,677,584	7,660,661	2,331,584	73,712
Total Public Debt on 30th June, 1898		£	91,557,990	....	78,635,300	75,777,860	63,112,720	2,298,974

"General Loan Account."—From 1871 a new system of treating the proceeds of Loans was adopted. A "Separate Loan Fund" was established for each Loan floated on and after that date. The £374,900 Loan of 1871 (35 Vic. No. 5) was the first one dealt with under the new conditions. This practice was continued till 1879, when, under the authority of the "Loan Fund Amalgamation Act" passed in that year, the "Nine Separate Loan Funds" established during the period 1871-9, and all subsequent loans, were amalgamated into one "General Loan Account." The Act declares that no portion of the Amlgamated Funds shall be used for any other purpose than Loan Services.

No. 34.—Loans Redeemed to 30th June, 1898.

Authority under which raised.	Date of Redemption.	Redeemed— From Consolidated Revenue.	Redeemed— By New Loan.	Redeemed— Total.	Interest per annum.
		£	£	£	per cent.
Gazette Notice, 28 Dec., 1841	1843–4	49,500	.....	49,500	7·98
,, ,, 28 Dec., 1841	1845	2,300	.....	2,300	6·08
,, ,, 30 Jan., 1844	1845–7	97,900	.....	97,900	6·08
,, ,, 28 May, 1849	1852–3	75,000	.....	75,000	4·94
,, ,, 5 Mar., 1850	1854–5	57,500	.....	57,500	4·94
,, ,, 20 Jan., and 10 Nov., 1851..	1856–7	12,500	67,100	79,600	4·94
,, ,, 15 July, 1852	1857	.....	130,400	130,400	4·94
,, ,, 30 Aug., 1853	1858–9	35,000	65,000	100,000	4·18
,, ,, 6 Nov., 1854	1859	.....	60,000	60,000	4·18
,, ,, 18 Jan., 1855	1860	.....	53,000	53,000	4·94
Act of Council, 16 Vic. No. 39	1860–74	.....	217,500	217,500	4·18 & 4·94
,, ,, 17 Vic. No. 34	1859–89	32,580	176,400	208,980	4·94 & 5
,, ,, 17 Vic. No. 35	1859–92	69,000	139,400	208,400	4·94 & 5
,, ,, 18 Vic. No. 35	1860–94	70,200	73,800	144,000	5
,, ,, 18 Vic. No. 40	1860–76	161,270	502,830	664,100	5
,, ,, 19 Vic. Nos. 38 and 40 ...	1876–94	266,800	143,500	410,300	5
Act of Parliament, 20 Vic. No. 1	1876–88	70,500	3,200	73,700	5
,, ,, 20 Vic. No. 1	1876	203,000	.....	203,000	5
,, ,, 20 Vic. No. 16	1874–83	132,300	.....	132,300	5
,, ,, 20 Vic. No. 33	1873–93	.....	112,000	112,000	5
,, ,, 20 Vic. No. 34	1879–93	500	298,500	299,000	5
,, ,, 22 Vic. Nos. 5 and 26 ...	1889–91	.....	145,700	145,700	5
,, ,, 22 Vic. No. 22	1879–92	1,600	759,100	760,700	5
,, ,, 22 Vic. No. 26	1890	.....	5,000	5,000	5
,, ,, 23 Vic. No. 5	1890–1	.....	365,400	365,400	5
,, ,, 23 Vic. No. 10	1879–92	600	347,600	348,200	5
,, ,, 24 Vic. No. 24	1891–3	.....	113,900	113,900	5
,, ,, 24 Vic. No. 26	1891	.....	55,500	55,500	5
,, ,, 25 Vic. No. 19	1892–4	.....	1,782,300	1,782,300	5
,, ,, 26 Vic. No. 14	1895–8	.....	162,000	162,000	5
,, ,, 27 Vic. No. 14	1895–8	.....	669,800	669,800	5
,, ,, 29 Vic. No. 5	1872–8	50,000	250,000	300,000	5
,, ,, 29 Vic. No. 9	1896–7	.....	219,300	219,300	5
,, ,, 29 Vic. No. 23	1896–8	375,000	381,800	756,800	5
,, ,, 30 Vic. No. 23	1896–8	.....	65,800	65,800	5
,, ,, 31 Vic. No. 11	1872–98	998,000	.....	998,000	5
,, ,, 31 Vic. No. 27	1875	200	.....	200	5
,, ,, 32 Vic. No. 13	1875	100	.....	100	5
,, ,, 36 Vic. No. 2	1873–5	7,500	.....	7,500	5
,, ,, 53 Vic. No. 9*	1890–8	1,200,000	.....	1,200,000	4
,, ,, 55 Vic. No. 7†	1893–8	.....	3,996,000	3,996,000	4
,, ,, 59 Vic. No. 22*	1896–7	150,000	.....	150,000	3
Municipal Loans taken over—Sydney Waterworks ...	1889	.....	5,000	5,000	6
,, ,, ,, Sewerage Works	1891	.....	26,000	26,000	6
,, ,, Darlington ,, ,,	1891	.....	5,000	5,000	6
,, ,, Ashfield ,, ,,	1896–7	.....	1,500	1,500	5
,, ,, North Sydney ,, ,,	1896–7	.....	4,400	4,400	6
Total Redemptions to 30th June, 1898 ... £		4,118,850	11,403,730	15,522,580	.....

* Treasury Bills, Deficiency of Revenue. † Treasury Bills for Loan Services.

No. 35.—Dates of Maturity of Public Debt.

Class of Security.	Nominal Rate.	Annual Interest payable.	Authority.	Under each Act.	Where raised.		Total.	Year when due.
					London.	Sydney.		
	%	£		£	£	£	£	
Debentures	6	.....	Various Acts	3,950	3,700	250	3,950	Overdue.
,,	5	8,860	31 Vic. No. 27	177,200	.....	177,200	179,700	1898
,,	6	150	Balmain Sewerage	2,500	.....	2,500		
,,	5	9,885	32 Vic. No. 13	197,700	127,900	69,800	197,700	1899
,,	5	20,355	34 Vic. No. 2	407,100	857,100	.....	861,600	1900
,,	5	22,500	Various Acts	450,000				
,,	5½	247	Ashfield Sewerage	4,500	.....	4,500		
,,	5	18,745	35 Vic. No. 5	374,900	374,900	.....	420,900	1901
,,	6	300	Sydney Water Supply	5,000	.....	30,000		
,,	6	1,500	Sydney Sewerage	25,000				
,,	5	800	Newcastle Water Supply.	16,000	16,000	.....		
,,	5	19,965	36 Vic. No. 2	399,300	399,300	.....	459,000	1902
,,	6	1,500	Sydney Water Supply	25,000	.....	59,700		
,,	6	2,082	Sydney Sewerage	34,700				
,,	4	40,000	36 Vic. No. 17	1,000,000	1,000,000	.....	1,003,700	1903
,,	4½	167	Ashfield Sewerage	3,700	3,700	.....		
,,	5	1,000	Sydney Water Supply	20,000	58,000	.....	58,000	1904
,,	5	1,900	Sydney Sewerage	38,000				
,,	6	138	,, ,,	2,300	.....	2,300	903,800	1905
,,	4	36,060	36 Vic. No. 17	901,500	901,500	.....		
,,	4	8,996	39 Vic. No. 18	224,900	.....	224,900	224,900	1906
,,	4	58,000	38 Vic. No. 2	3,249,500	3,249,500	.....	1,450,000	1908
,,	4	71,980	40 Vic. No. 12				1,799,500	1909
			41 Vic. No. 4					
,,	4	82,000	41 Vic. No. 7	2,050,000	2,863,700	.....	2,863,700	1910
,,	4	32,548	43 Vic. No. 11	813,700				
,,	4	1,200	Sydney Water Supply	30,000	60,000	.....		
,,	4	1,200	Redfern Sewerage	30,000				
Inscribed and Funded Stock	4	12,948	52 Vic. No. 17	323,691	.....	323,691	4,888,977	1912
			56 Vic. No. 1					
,, ,,	4	600	53 Vic. No. 23	15,000	.....	15,000		
			56 Vic. No. 1					
,, ,,	4	27,991	55 Vic. No. 35	699,779	.....	699,779		
			56 Vic. No. 1					
,, ,,	4	35,192	56 Vic. No. 24	879,800	.....	879,800		
			56 Vic. No. 1					
,, ,,	4	25,243	56 Vic. No. 1	631,080	.....	631,080		
			57 Vic. No. 17					
,, ,,	3	25,918	58 Vic. No. 14	863,947	.....	863,947		
,, ,,	3	39,980	59 Vic. No. 6	1,332,665	.....	1,332,665		
,, ,,	3	2,490	60 Vic. No. 32	83,015	.....	83,015		
,, ,,	3½	196,329	48 Vic. No. 26	5,609,400	12,826,200	.....	12,826,200	1918
,, ,,	3½	48,671	52 Vic. No. 16	1,390,600				
,, ,,	3½	174,797	54 Vic. No. 33	4,994,200				
,, ,,	3½	29,120	57 Vic. No. 17	832,000				
,, ,,	3½	237,535	44 Vic. No. 28	6,786,700	16,500,000	.....	16,698,065	1924
,, ,,	3½	35,000	45 Vic. No. 22	1,000,000				
,, ,,	3½	70,000	46 Vic. No. 23	2,000,000				
,, ,,	3½	234,965	48 Vic. No. 26	6,713,300				
N.S.W. 1924 Stock	3	5,942	58 Vic. No. 14	198,065	.....	198,065		
,, 1925 ,,	3	6,668	59 Vic. No. 6	222,255	.....	222,255	222,255	1925
Inscribed Stock	4	224,360	41 Vic. No. 7	5,609,000	9,686,300	.....	9,686,300	1933
			43 Vic. No. 11					
,, ,,	4	50,480	44 Vic. No. 12	1,262,000				
,, ,,	4	12,612	44 Vic. No. 28	315,300				
,, ,,	4	81,102	54 Vic. No. 33	2,027,557				
,, ,,	4	18,898	55 Vic. No. 35	472,443				
,, ,,	3	165,000	50 Vic. No. 28	2,622,600	5,500,000	.....	5,500,000	1935
			52 Vic. No. 17	1,100,000				
			53 Vic. No. 23	1,144,000				
			59 Vic. No. 5	633,400				
N.S.W. Four per cents.	4	21,208	36 Vic. No. 21	530,189	.....	530,189	530,189	Intermin.
Permanent	5	135	18 Vic. No. 40	2,700	.....	2,700	2,700	Permanent.
Funded Debt	..	2,225,262		60,781,136	54,427,800	6,353,336	60,781,136	.....
Treasury Bills (Def. of Rev.)	3	27,431	53 Vic. No. 9	914,384	.....	914,384	914,384	£150,000 annually redeemed.
	4	15,540		388,500	.....	388,500		
	3	30,741	59 Vic. No. 22	1,024,700	.....	1,024,700	1,024,700	
,, (For Loan Services.)	4	.....	55 Vic. No. 7	4,000	4,000	.....	4,000	Overdue.
Unfunded Debt	..	73,712	.....	2,331,584	4,000	2,327,584	2,331,584	.....
Total Debt on 30th June, 1898	..	2,298,974	.....	63,112,720	54,431,800	8,680,920	63,112,720	.....

No. 36.—Rates of Interest payable on Public Debt, 30th June, 1898.

Class of Security.	Amount at—							Total.	Annual Interest payable.
	6%	5½%	5%	4½%	4%	3½%	3%		
Debentures—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Overdue	....	....	3,950	....	.....	.....	....	3,950	....
Still bearing interest ..	94,500	4,500	2,082,900	3,700	8,299,600	.....	....	10,485,200	442,213
Stock—									
N.S.W. Four per cents. ..	....	....	.....	....	530,189	.....	....	530,189	21,208
,, 1924 Stock	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	198,065	198,065	5,942
,, 1925 ,, ...	....	....	.....	....	.....	.....	222,255	222,255	6,668
Inscribed and Funded Stock	....	....	.....	....	12,235,650	29,326,200	7,779,627	49,341,477	1,749,231
Total, Funded Debt £	94,500	4,500	*2,086,850	3,700	21,065,439	29,326,200	8,199,947	60,781,136	2,225,262
Treasury Bills—									
For Loan Services—overdue	....	....	.....	....	4,000	.....	....	4,000	....
For Deficiency of Revenue..	....	....	.....	....	388,500	.....	1,939,084	2,327,584	73,712
Total, Unfunded Debt..	....	....	.....	....	†392,500	.....	1,939,084	2,331,584	73,712
Total Public Debt on 30th June, 1898 .. .. .. £	94,500	4,500	*2,086,850	3,700	†21,457,939	29,326,200	10,139,031	63,112,720	2,298,974

* Includes £3,950 overdue. † Includes £4,000 overdue.

No. 37.—Amount of Public Debt on each Register on 30th June, 1898.

Class of Security.	Amount registered in—				Total.	Annual Interest—			
	New South Wales.		Victoria.	London.		Amount payable in—			Total.
	Purchased from Trust Funds held by Treasury.	Taken up in Open Market.				New South Wales.	Victoria.	London.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Debenture Bonds	234,100	536,250	61,800	9,657,000	10,489,150	24,206	3,090	414,917	442,213
N.S.W. 4 per Cents.	403,249	126,941	....	.....	530,190	21,208	....	.....	21,208
N.S.W. Funded Stock—									
56 Vic. No. 1	1,147,260	1,402,090	....	.....	2,549,350	101,974	....	.....	101,974
58 Vic. No. 14	30,000	833,947	....	.....	863,947	25,918	....	.....	25,918
59 Vic. No. 6	880,000	452,665	....	.....	1,332,665	39,980	....	.....	39,980
60 Vic. No. 32	.....	83,014	....	.....	83,014	2,490	....	.....	2,490
N.S.W. 1924 Stock ..	20,000	178,065	....	.....	198,065	5,942	....	.....	5,942
N.S.W. 1925 Stock ..	150,000	72,255	....	.....	222,255	6,668	....	.....	6,668
Inscribed Stock	.....	.....	....	44,512,500	44,512,500	....	....	1,578,869	1,578,869
Treasury Bills—									
53 Vic. No. 9	1,302,884	.....	....	.....	1,302,884	42,971	....	.....	42,971
55 Vic. No. 7	.....	.....	....	* 4,000	* 4,000	....	....	.....	.....
59 Vic. No. 22	1,024,700	.....	....	.....	1,024,700	30,741	....	.....	30,741
Total .. £	5,192,193	3,685,227	61,800	54,173,500	63,112,720	302,098	3,090	1,993,786	2,298,974

* Overdue.

No. 38.—Sinking Funds of Public Debt on 30th June, 1898.

Class of Security.	Amount originally authorised or issued.	Annual Sinking Fund.	Accumulated Sinking Fund.	Amount to be redeemed on 30th June, 1898. (Net Liability.)	Remarks.
	£	£	£	£	
Railway Loan (53 Vic. No. 24) ...	1,000,000	75,000	(See remarks.)	475,000	This fund was established for the purpose of repaying £1,000,000 which was expended for reconstruction and improvement of rolling stock and permanent way. The amount annually contributed from revenue is £75,000, and on the 30th June, 1896, the fund amounted to £375,000, which was used during the latter half of 1896 to pay off debentures in accordance with the Act; while in 1897–8, the amount accumulated to 30th June, 1898, viz., £150,000, was applied in redemption of the balance of Railway Loan, 31 Vic. No. 11.
N.S.W. 1924 Stock	198,065	6,602	19,806	178,259	These funds were established under authority of Acts 58 Vic. No. 14, 59 Vic. No. 6, and 60 Vic. No. 32, which provide that amounts of £6,602, £7,409, and £6,937 respectively shall be set apart each year out of consolidated revenue in order to redeem the amount spent on works which are not permanent or reproductive.
„ 1925 Stock	222,255	7,409	22,226	200,029	
„ 1927 Stock	208,123	6,937	6,937	201,196	
Newcastle Water Supply	16,000	(See remarks.)	.....	12,212	In connection with the loan of £16,000, taken over by the Government from the Municipal Council of Newcastle, a sum of £3,788 had accumulated for the purpose of redeeming the debentures, but no further contributions have been made to the fund.
Treasury Bills—					In order to provide for the extinction of Treasury Bills issued in aid of revenue, a sum of £150,000 is appropriated each year, but the fund is not cumulative, as bills to the amount of the annual contributions are extinguished each year. The second issue has been reduced by £150,000, bills to that amount having been cancelled.
First Issue (1889 and 1890) ..	2,502,884	150,000	.....	1,302,884	
Second Issue (1896) ...	1,174,700			1,024,700	

No. 39.—London Stock Exchange Quotations, 1897–8.

Date.		Average of Buying and Selling Price.		Unexpired Currency.	Annual Rate per £100 sterling yielded to Investors.	
Month.	Day.	"Cum-Dividend."	"Ex-Dividend."		If no allowance be made for Redemption at par on Maturity.	If Stock be held till date of Maturity.
				Years.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1897, July ...	3rd	109	108·11	27·25	3 5 3¾	3 2 11
,, August..	7th	110½	109·27	27·17	3 4 7½	3 1 10¼
,, Sept. ...	4th	109½	108·00	27·08	3 5 4½	3 2 11¾
,, October	2nd	110½	110·49	27·00	3 3 10¾	3 0 9
,, Nov. ...	6th	109½	109·15	26·92	3 4 8¼	3 1 11
,, Dec. ...	4th	109½	108·89	26·83	3 4 10	3 2 1½
1898, January	1st	110	109·12	26·75	3 4 8½	3 1 11
,, Feb. ...	5th	110	108·78	26·67	3 4 11	3 2 2½
,, March...	5th	107	105·51	26·58	3 6 11	3 5 2½
,, April ...	2nd	105	104·99	26·50	3 7 3	3 5 8¼
,, May ...	7th	106	105·65	26·42	3 6 10	3 5 0¼
,, June ...	4th	109	108·39	26·33	3 5 1¾	3 2 6

NOTE.—The prices given are the monthly quotations during the year ended 30th June, 1898, on the London Market for the £16,500,000, 3½ per cent. Inscribed Stock maturing October, 1924.

No. 40.—Sydney Stock Exchange Quotations, 1897–8.

Date.		Market Price.		Unexpired Currency.	Annual Rate per £100 sterling yielded to Investors.	
Month.	Day.	"Cum-Dividend."	"Ex-Dividend."		If no allowance be made for Redemption at par on Maturity.	If Stock be held till date of Maturity.
				Years.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1897, July ...	22nd	113	111·22	15·25	3 12 8	3 4 5½
,, August..	19th	113	112·90	15·17	3 11 7	3 2 0¾
,, Sept. ...	16th	112½	112·09	15·08	3 12 1	3 3 1½
,, October	14th	110¼	109·54	15·00	3 13 9¼	3 6 7¼
,, Nov. ...	18th	109½	108·40	14·92	3 14 6¼	3 8 1¾
,, Dec. ...	16th	109½	108·10	14·83	3 14 9	3 8 6½
1898, January	20th	109¼	107·46	14·75	3 15 2¼	3 9 5
,, Feb. ...	17th	108½	108·50	14·67	3 14 5½	3 7 10¼
,, March...	17th	109½	109·12	14·58	3 14 0½	3 6 10¾
,, April ...	21st	109¾	108·98	14·50	3 14 1¾	3 7 0¼
,, May ...	19th	109	108·04	14·42	3 14 9½	3 8 4
,, June ...	16th	110¼	108·87	14·33	3 14 2½	3 7 0¾

NOTE.—The prices given are the monthly quotations during the year ended 30th June, 1898, for the New South Wales per cent. Funded Stock (New), due 1912. The transactions on the Sydney Stock Exchange in New South Wales Government securities are chiefly confined to dealings in this Stock, although during 1897-8 some sales of the local 3 per cent. inscribed stocks were reported. Quotations for Debentures and New South Wales 4 per Cents. (Old Funded Stock) are rare, as holders of these securities are not disposed to part with them.

No. 41.—Inscribed Stock Loan floated in London, January, 1898.

Principal	£1,500,000.
Rate of interest	3 per cent. per annum.
Interest payable	Half-yearly—1st April and 1st October.
Minimum price fixed	99 per cent., including accrued interest from 1st January, 1898.
Principal repayable	1st October, 1935.
Payment	5% with tender, and on allotment, so much as with deposit will leave £60 sterling outstanding; half of the balance on 17th February, 1898, and half on 17th March, 1898.
Highest tender	£102.
Lowest tender	£100 3s. 6d.
Average price realised ..	£100 8s. 4d.
Actual rate paid by Government, allowing for redemption at par.	£3 1s. 6d.
Actual rate yielded to original investors, allowing for redemption at par.	£3 0s. 4½d.

Allotment on 11th January, 1898.

Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.	Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.	Amount of Stock.	Price.	Amount received.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
600	102 0 0	612 0 0	25,000	100 18 0	25,225 0 0	69,900	100 10 0	70,249 10 0
500	101 11 6	507 17 6	25,700	100 17 6	25,924 17 6	21,000	100 9 0	21,094 10 0
400	101 10 6	406 2 0	35,000	100 15 6	35,271 5 0	20,500	100 8 6	20,587 2 6
1,000	101 10 0	1,015 0 0	15,800	100 15 0	15,918 10 0	26,000	100 8 0	26,104 0 0
1,800	101 7 6	1,824 15 0	5,000	100 14 6	5,036 5 0	34,500	100 7 6	34,629 7 6
200	101 5 6	202 11 0	5,000	100 14 0	5,035 0 0	15,000	100 7 0	15,052 10 0
1,200	101 5 0	1,215 0 0	10,000	100 13 6	10,067 10 0	28,500	100 6 6	28,592 12 6
300	101 2 6	303 7 6	5,000	100 13 0	5,032 10 0	44,500	100 6 0	44,633 10 0
2,200	101 1 6	2,223 13 0	158,500	100 12 6	159,490 12 6	102,500	100 5 6	102,781 17 6
25,600	101 0 6	25,862 8 0	10,000	100 12 0	10,060 0 0	40,700	100 5 0	40,801 15 0
29,300	101 0 0	29,593 0 0	23,000	100 11 6	23,132 5 0	19,400	100 4 6	19,443 13 0
30,000	100 19 6	30,292 10 0	22,800	100 11 0	22,925 8 0	5,000	100 4 0	5,010 0 0
25,000	100 18 6	25,231 5 0	59,000	100 10 6	59,309 15 0	554,600	100 3 6	555,570 11 0
				Gross Proceeds	£	1,500,000	100 8 4	1,506,269 6 0

Charges—			
Brokerage, ¼ per cent. on £1,473,100	£3,682 15 0		
Bank Commission, ½ ,, on £1,500,000	7,500 0 0		
Composition duty, ⅝ ,, on £1,500,000	9,375 0 0		
Postage, advertisements, and petty expenses	758 3 4		
Total		£21,315 18 4	
Proceeds, less charges		£1,484,953 7 8	
"Discount Bonus" at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum paid on prepayments	£93 2 8		
"Interest Bonus" at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum paid on daily balance of Stock outstanding from 11th January, 1898, to 17th March, 1898	5,114 8 6		
		£5,207 11 2	
Net proceeds available for Loan Services		£1,479,745 16 6	

NOTE.—For the amount of Inscribed and Funded Stock raised locally see table No. 43.

No. 42.—Charges for negotiation of Loans, 1884–98.

When Floated.	When Payable.	Nominal Rate of Interest per cent.	Amount of Principal.	Gross Proceeds.	Charges— Brokerage.	Bank Commission.	Stamp Duty.	Postage and Petty Expenses.	Expenses per £100 of— Principal	Gross Proceeds.
*** Inscribed Stock—*Issued in London by Bank of England.***										
			£	£	£	£	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1884	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,152,386	13,730	27,500	34,375	559	1 7 8	1 9 7
1885	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,042,041	13,656	27,500	34,375	780	1 7 9	1 10 3
1886	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,247,692	13,713	27,500	34,375	768	1 7 9	1 9 1
1888	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,626,341	8,729	17,500	21,875	651	1 7 10	1 6 11
1889	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,584,105	8,667	17,500	21,875	712	1 7 10	1 7 3
1891	1918	3½	4,500,000	4,276,030	11,072	22,500	28,125	712	1 7 9	1 9 2
1891	1918	3½	†294,200	294,200	688	176	1,839	8	0 18 5	0 18 5
1893–4	1918	3½	†200,000	191,350	500	.....	1,250	...	0 17 6	0 18 4
1893	1933	4	2,500,000	2,514,861	6,215	12,500	15,625	638	1 8 0	1 7 10
1894	1918	3½	832,000	846,433	2,071	4,160	5,200	804	1 9 5	1 8 11
1895	1935	3	4,000,000	3,876,605	9,940	20,000	25,000	781	1 7 10	1 8 9
1898	1935	3	1,500,000	1,506,269	3,683	7,500	9,375	758	1 8 5	1 8 4
Inscribed Stock—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*										
1895–6	1924	3	20,000	20,000	Nil.					
1895–6	1925	3	50,000	50,000						
1896–7	1924	3	178,065	178,065	414	Nil.			0 4 8	0 4 8
1896–7	1925	3	172,255	172,255	120				0 1 5	0 1 5
‡ New South Wales Funded Stock—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*										
1892	1912	4	227,000	227,000	404	Nil.			0 3 7	0 3 7
1893	1912	4	1,829,400	1,829,400	1,550				0 1 8	0 1 8
1894	1912	4	307,430	313,410	Nil.					
1895	1912	4	130,750	133,293						
1895–6	1912	3	180,000	180,000						
1896–7	1912	4	54,770	56,143	Nil.					
1896–7	1912	3	863,947	863,947	1,171				0 2 8	0 2 8
1896–7	1912	3	340,458	340,458	Nil.					
1897–8	1912	3	812,207	812,207	225	Nil.			0 0 7	0 0 7
1897–8	1912	3	83,015	83,015	200	Nil.			0 4 10	0 4 10
‖ Treasury Bills—*Issued in London by London and Westminster Bank.*										
1892	1894	4	1,250,000	1,243,750	1,563	1,563	625	2	0 6 0	0 6 0
1892	1896	4	1,000,000	1,002,500	1,250	1,250	1,250	Nil.	0 7 6	0 7 6
1892	1896	4	263,500	263,500	330	330	330	Nil.	0 7 6	0 7 6
1893	1896	4	10,800	10,800	14	14	13	Nil.	0 7 6	0 7 6
1893	1896	4	725,700	725,700	1,647	1,814	907	273	0 12 10	0 12 10
Treasury Bills—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*										
1892	1896	4¼	750,000	750,000	Nil.					
Treasury Bills to cover Deficiencies in Revenue—*Taken up by Treasury from Trust Funds.*										
1889	1 Jan.,	4	2,502,884	1,907,100	Nil.					
1890	1895.	4		595,784						
1895	1 Jan., 1901.	3	1,174,700	1,174,700	Nil.					

* Charges.—Brokerage, ¼ per cent.; Bank Commission, ¼ per cent.; Stamp Duty, ⅛ per cent.; and Incidental Expenses, about 4d. per cent.

† Conversion only.

‡ On Stock negotiated by a Broker, the Government allow ¼ per cent. commission.

‖ Charges.—Brokerage, ¼ per cent.; Bank Commission, ⅛ per cent.; and Stamp Duty, ¼ per cent. The Brokerage and Bank Commission on the £725,700 were each ¼ per cent.

No. 43.—Actual Rates of Interest on Loans, 1884–98.

Date. When floated.	Date. When payable.	Nominal Rate of Interest per cent.	Amount of Principal.	Net Proceeds available for expenditure. Total.	Net Proceeds available for expenditure. Per cent.	Annual Rate of Interest per £100 Sterling. Paid by the Government. If no allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Paid by the Government. If allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Yielded to Original Investors. If no allowance be made for redemption at par on maturity.	Yielded to Original Investors. If stock be held till date of maturity.
Inscribed Stock—*Issued in London by Bank of England.*									
1884	1924	3½	£ 5,500,000	£ 5,024,458	£ 91·35	£ s. d. 3 17 3¾	£ s. d. 3 18 4½	£ s. d. 3 16 1¾	£ s. d. 3 17 0½
1885	1924	3½	5,500,000	4,921,878	89·49	3 18 10¾	4 0 3	3 17 8½	3 18 11
1886	1924	3½	5,500,000	5,074,026	92·25	3 16 6½	3 17 7½	3 15 5	3 16 3¾
1888	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,543,177	101·23	3 9 9	3 9 5¾	3 8 9½	3 8 2
1889	1918	3½	3,500,000	3,498,020	99·94	3 10 7¾	3 10 8	3 9 8¼	3 9 4
1891	1918	3½	4,500,000	4,186,144	93·02	3 15 10¾	3 18 0	3 14 9½	3 16 5½
1891	1918	3½	494,200	.....	...	3 15 10¾	3 18 0	3 14 9½	3 16 5½
1893	1933	4	2,500,000	2,440,549	97·62	4 2 9¼	4 3 0¼	4 1 7¼	4 1 8½
1894	1918	3½	832,000	829,551	99·70	3 10 10	3 10 11	3 9 9½	3 9 4¼
1895	1935	3	4,000,000	3,804,573	95·14	3 3 6¼	3 4 3½	3 2 8	3 3 2¼
1898	1935	3	1,500,000	1,479,746	98·65	3 1 3¼	3 1 6	3 0 4¾	3 0 4½
Inscribed Stock—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*									
1895–6	1924	3	20,000	20,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
1895–6	1925	3	50,000	50,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
1896–7	1924	3	178,065	177,651	99·77	3 0 7	3 0 8	3 0 0	3 0 0
1896–7	1925	3	172,255	172,135	99·93	3 0 5¾	3 0 6	3 0 0	3 0 0
New South Wales Funded Stock—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*									
1892	1912	4	227,000	226,596	99·82	4 0 11¼	4 1 0¼	4 0 0	4 0 0
1893	1912	4	1,829,400	1,827,850	99·92	4 0 10½	4 0 11	4 0 0	4 0 0
1894	1912	4	307,430	313,410	101·95	3 19 3	3 18 2	3 19 3	3 18 2
1895	1912	4	130,750	133,293	101·95	3 19 3	3 18 0½	3 19 3	3 18 0½
1895–6	1912	3	180,000	180,000	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
1896–7	1912	4	54,770	56,143	102·51	3 18 10	3 17 1	3 18 10	3 17 1
1896–7	1912	3	863,947	862,776	99·86	3 0 6¼	3 0 8	3 0 0	3 0 0
1896–7	1912	3	340,458	340,458	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0
1897–8	1912	3	812,207	811,982	99·97	3 0 5½	3 0 5¾	3 0 0	3 0 0
1897–8	1912	3	83,015	82,815	99·76	3 0 7	3 0 9¾	3 0 0	3 0 0
Treasury Bills—*Issued in London by London and Westminster Bank.*									
1892	1894	4	1,250,000	1,239,998	99·20	4 1 5½	4 9 2¼	4 1 2½	4 6 0¼
1892	1896	4	1,000,000	998,750	99·87	4 0 11	4 1 5¼	4 0 7¼	3 19 10½
1892	1896	4	263,500	262,510	99·62	4 1 1¼	4 2 9½	4 0 0	4 0 0
1893	1896	4	10,800	10,759	99·62	4 1 1¼	4 3 5¼	4 0 0	4 0 0
1893	1896	4	725,700	721,059	99·36	4 1 4	4 5 3¼	4 0 0	4 0 0
Treasury Bills—*Issued in Sydney by Treasury.*									
1892	1896	4	750,000	750,000	100·00	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0	4 5 0
Treasury Bills to cover Deficiencies in Revenue—*Taken up by Treasury from Trust Funds.*									
1889 / 1890	1 Jan., 1895.	4 / 4	*2,502,884	*2,502,884	100·00	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0
1895	1 Jan., 1901.	3	1,174,700	1,174,700	100·00	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0

* The rate of interest on a large proportion of these Bills was reduced to 3 per cent. from the 1st January, 1895.

Section III.—STATE RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

No. 44.—Results of Working of Railways and Tramways during each quarter of year 1897-8.

Particulars.		Quarter ended—				Year ended 30 June, 1898.
		30 September, 1897.	31 December, 1897.	31 March, 1898.	30 June, 1898.	
RAILWAYS.						
Capital cost (including equipment)	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	37,719,402
Miles open for traffic	No.	2,639½	2,639½	2,691	2,691¼	2,691¼
Average miles opened for year ...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,659
Cost per mile open for traffic ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,015
Revenue	£	699,481	894,712	717,688	714,867	3,026,748
Working expenditure	£	400,276	423,802	390,999	399,528	1,614,605
Net profit	£	299,205	470,910	326,689	315,339	1,412,143
Working expenses to Revenue,	Per cent.	57·22	47·37	54·48	55·89	53·34
Earnings per average mile open ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,138
Expenditure do do ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	607
Earnings per train mile	...	7s. 0¼d.	8s. 2¼d.	7s. 0¾d.	6s. 8½d.	7s. 3d.
Expenses do	...	4s. 0¼d.	3s. 10½d.	3s. 10¼d.	3s. 9d.	3s. 10½d.
Net profit do	...	3s. 0d.	4s. 3¾d.	3s. 2½d.	2s. 11½d.	3s. 4½d.
Passenger journeys	No.	5,639,635	5,912,452	5,768,074	5,913,045	23,233,206
Goods tonnage	tons.	1,129,304	1,087,667	1,100,474	1,146,283	4,463,728
Live Stock tonnage	tons.	34,083	41,458	39,078	52,217	166,836
Train miles run	No	1,990,554	2,187,760	2,030,989	2,131,035	8,340,338
Rolling Stock :—						
Locomotives :—						
Engines	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	494
Tenders	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	419
Coaching...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,050
Merchandise	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,429
Departmental	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,041
TRAMWAYS.						
Capital cost (including equipment)	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,478,251
Miles open for traffic	No.	62½	62½	62½	65	65
Average miles opened for year ...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	63
Cost per mile open for traffic ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,742
Revenue	£	73,423	78,949	79,964	81,535	313,871
Working expenditure	£	62,431	67,848	61,626	67,236	259,141
Net profit	£	10,992	11,101	18,338	14,299	54,730
Working expenses to Revenue,	Per cent.	85·03	85·94	77·06	82·46	82·56
Earnings per average mile open ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,982
Expenditure do do ...	£	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,113
Earnings per tram mile	...	1s. 9¾d.	1s. 11d.	1s. 11¾d.	1s. 11¾d.	1s. 11¼d.
Expenses do	...	1s. 6½d.	1s. 7¾d.	1s. 6¼d.	1s. 7¾d.	1s. 7¼d.
Net profit do	...	0s. 3¼d.	0s. 3¼d.	0s. 5½d.	0s. 4d.	0s. 4d.
Passenger fares collected	No.	17,337,962	18,694,229	18,876,523	19,167,438	74,076,152
Tram miles run	No.	807,330	819,961	805,241	820,076	3,252,608
Rolling Stock—						
Motors	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	114
Dummies...	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	13
Cars	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	313
Trucks	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Water Tanks	No.	.....	.....	.....	.....	6

No. 45.—Mileage of State Railways and Tramways opened during each Year, 1855-98.

Year ended—	Opened during the year.	Total open at end of year.	Year ended—	Opened during the year.	Total open at end of year.
		RAILWAYS.			
	miles.	miles.		miles.	miles.
Dec., 1855	16	16	Dec., 1877	90	598
,, 1856	9	25	,, 1878	90	688
,, 1857	17	42	,, 1879	45	733
,, 1858	15	57	,, 1880	115	848
,, 1859	nil.	57	,, 1881	148	996
,, 1860	13	70	,, 1882	282	1,278
,, 1861	4	74	,, 1883	52	1,330
,, 1862	24	98	,, 1884	301	1,631
,, 1863	27	125	,, 1885	114	1,745
,, 1864	20	145	,, 1886	162	1,907
,, 1865	nil.	145	,, 1887	151	2,058
,, 1866	nil.	145	June, 1888	68	2,126
,, 1867	60	205	,, 1889	57	2,183
,, 1868	44	249	,, 1890	10	2,193
,, 1869	70	319	,, 1891	1	2,194
,, 1870	21	340	,, 1892	3	2,197
,, 1871	19	359	,, 1893	154	2,351
,, 1872	38	397	,, 1894	150	2,501
,, 1873	5	402	,, 1895	30	2,531
,, 1874	nil.	402	,, 1896	nil.	2,531
,, 1875	33	435	,, 1897	108	2,639
,, 1876	73	508	,, 1898	52	2,691
		TRAMWAYS.			
Dec., 1879	1½	1½	June, 1889	nil.	38½
,, 1880	2½	4	,, 1890	1	39½
,, 1881	5½	9½	,, 1891	3	42½
,, 1882	12½	22	,, 1892	5½	48
,, 1883	3	25	,, 1893	1	49
,, 1884	2½	27½	,, 1894	9½	58½
,, 1885	nil.	27½	,, 1895	2⅜	61
,, 1886	1½	29	,, 1896	nil.	61
,, 1887	9½	38½	,, 1897	1½	62½
June, 1888	nil.	38½	,, 1898	2½	65

NOTE.—The Camden to Campbelltown tramway was placed among the railways during 1888, and the Kogarah-Sans Souci line was similarly dealt with in 1889; they have, therefore, been excluded throughout in the above figures relating to tramways.

No. 46.—Results of Working of State Railways during each year, 1855–98.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for traffic.	Per Train Mile.		Percentage of Working Expenses to Gross Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines Open.	Net return.	
		Earnings.	Working Expenses.			Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Rate on Capital Invested.
	miles.	d.	d.	℔ cent.	£	£	℔ cent.
31 Dec., 1855	16	157·34	101·37	64·43	515,347	3,290	0·63
31 „ 1860	70	83·37	67·52	80·98	1,422,672	11,842	0·83
31 „ 1865	145	82·42	54·07	65·60	2,746,373	57,106	2·07
31 „ 1870	340	81·81	54·86	67·08	5,566,092	101,139	1·81
31 „ 1875	435	100·20	48·28	48·18	7,245,379	318,474	4·39
31 „ 1880	848	86·02	47·99	55·79	11,778,819	513,298	4·35
31 „ 1881	996	88·33	45·16	51·12	13,301,597	705,892	5·30
31 „ 1882	1,278	84·05	46·24	55·02	15,843,616	764,228	5·13
31 „ 1883	1,330	78·07	47·61	60·97	16,905,014	753,676	4·48
31 „ 1884	1,631	78·19	48·77	62·37	20,080,138	784,978	4·20
31 „ 1885	1,745	78·61	52·72	67·06	21,831,276	716,215	3·37
31 „ 1886	1,907	80·01	55·30	69·12	24,071,454	667,078	2·90
31 „ 1887	2,058	81·89	54·05	66·01	26,532,122	750,535	2·96
30 June, 1888	2,126	82·34	54·91	66·69	27,722,748	764,573	2·85
30 „ 1889	2,183	79·72	51·34	64·39	29,839,167	903,875	3·14
30 „ 1890	2,193	78·90	49·91	63·26	30,555,123	967,251	3·17
30 „ 1891	2,194	84·88	52·26	61·57	31,768,617	1,143,050	3·59
30 „ 1892	2,197	89·25	54·98	61·60	33,312,608	1,193,044	3·58
30 „ 1893	2,351	93·60	55·59	59·39	34,657,571	1,188,540	3·48
30 „ 1894	2,501¼	94·18	53·29	56·58	35,855,271	1,221,699	3·46
30 „ 1895	2,531¼	90·96	49·54	54·46	36,611,366	1,310,615	3·60
30 „ 1896	2,531¼	87·68	48·24	55·02	36,852,194	1,268,529	3·44
30 „ 1897	2,639½	88·99	47·26	53·11	37,369,205	1,413,524	3·79
30 „ 1898	2,691¼	87·10	46·46	53·34	37,719,402	1,412,143	3·75

NOTE.—The Camden-Campbelltown line, opened in March, 1882, and the Kogarah-Sans Souci line, opened in September, 1887, were transferred to Railways in 1888 and 1889 respectively; and from the last-mentioned dates the returns of these lines have been included with those of Railways.

First Railway section opened.—Railway construction in New South Wales was commenced in 1850, and the first length of line—Sydney to Parramatta—was opened on 25th September, 1855. A uniform gauge of 4 ft. 8½ in. has been adopted for the State Railway and Tramway systems.

No. 47.—Coaching and Goods Traffic on State Railways, 1855–98.

Year ended—	Train Miles.	Passengers.	Tonnage of Goods and Live Stock.	Earnings.			Working Expenses.
				From Coaching Traffic.	From Goods Traffic.	Total.	
	No.	No.	tons.	£	£	£	£
31 Dec., 1855	14,107	98,846	140	9,093	156	9,249	5,959
31 „ 1860	174,249	551,044	55,394	45,428	16,841	62,269	50,427
31 „ 1865	483,446	751,587	416,707	92,984	73,048	166,032	108,926
31 „ 1870	901,139	776,707	766,523	117,854	189,288	307,142	206,003
31 „ 1875	1,472,204	1,288,225	1,171,354	205,941	408,707	614,648	296,174
31 „ 1880	3,239,462	5,440,138	1,712,971	390,149	770,868	1,161,017	647,719
31 „ 1881	3,923,929	6,907,312	2,033,850	488,675	955,551	1,444,226	738,334
31 „ 1882	4,851,157	8,984,313	2,619,427	587,825	1,111,038	1,698,863	934,635
31 „ 1883	5,937,261	10,272,037	2,864,566	661,751	1,269,713	1,931,464	1,177,788
31 „ 1884	6,403,041	11,253,109	3,124,425	745,665	1,340,572	2,086,237	1,301,259
31 „ 1885	6,638,399	13,506,346	3,273,004	830,904	1,343,464	2,174,368	1,458,153
31 „ 1886	6,479,265	14,881,604	3,211,951	847,916	1,312,154	2,160,070	1,492,992
31 „ 1887	6,472,107	14,451,303	3,339,253	850,499	1,357,796	2,208,295	1,457,760
30 June, 1888	6,689,313	15,174,115	3,399,772	918,975	1,376,149	2,295,124	1,530,551
30 „ 1889	7,641,769	16,086,223	3,485,839	1,025,601	1,512,876	2,538,477	1,634,602
30 „ 1890	8,008,826	17,071,945	3,788,950	1,059,791	1,573,295	2,633,086	1,665,835
30 „ 1891	8,410,421	19,037,760	3,802,849	1,177,037	1,797,384	2,974,421	1,831,371
30 „ 1892	8,356,096	19,918,916	4,296,713	1,189,231	1,918,065	3,107,296	1,914,252
30 „ 1893	7,505,310	19,932,703	3,773,843	1,115,042	1,812,014	2,927,056	1,738,516
30 „ 1894	7,169,785	19,265,732	3,493,919	1,047,029	1,766,512	2,813,541	1,591,842
30 „ 1895	7,594,281	19,725,418	4,075,093	1,022,901	1,855,303	2,878,204	1,567,589
30 „ 1896	7,719,618	21,005,048	3,953,575	1,043,922	1,776,495	2,820,417	1,551,888
30 „ 1897	8,130,405	22,672,924	4,567,041	1,098,696	1,916,046	3,014,742	1,601,218
30 „ 1898	8,340,338	23,233,206	4,630,564	1,126,257	1,900,491	3,026,748	1,614,605

No. 48.—Results of Working of all State Tramways, 1886–98.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Return.	
					Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Rate on Capital Invested.
	miles.	£	£	£	£	℔ cent.
31 Dec.. 1886	29	812,843	230,410	206,453	23,957	3·06
31 „ 1887	38½	865,190	225,348	212,455	12,893	1·56
30 June, 1888	38½	877,244	236,519	219,196	17,323	1·98
30 „ 1889	38½	909,595	243,563	221,835	21,728	2·39
30 „ 1890	39½	933,614	268,962	224,073	44,889	4·81
30 „ 1891	42½	1,004,212	292,850	239,679	53,171	5·32
30 „ 1892	48	1,099,659	305,090	248,591	56,499	5·28
30 „ 1893	49	1,118,471	295,367	233,808	61,559	5·51
30 „ 1894	58½	1,248,986	278,194	229,283	48,911	4·07
30 „ 1895	61	1,428,518	282,316	230,993	51,323	3·69
30 „ 1896	61	1,434,896	289,181	236,283	52,898	3·69
30 „ 1897	62½	1,452,670	306,695	248,881	57,814	3·99
30 „ 1898	65	1,478,251	313,871	259,141	54,730	3·70

NOTE.—The first section under control of the State was opened on the 16th September, 1879. See note to Table No. 46.

No. 49.—Results of Working of each State Tramway, 1886–98.

Year ended—	Length of Line open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Return.	
					Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Rate on Capital Invested.
City and Suburban—(Opened 16th September, 1879).						
	miles.	£	£	£	£	℔ cent.
31 Dec., 1886	27½	742,113	226,367	201,737	24,630	3·32
31 „ 1887	29½	731,582	214,125	201,468	12,657	1·76
30 June, 1888	29½	742,555	221,060	204,227	16,833	2·27
30 „ 1889	29½	771,255	225,833	206,092	19,741	2·56
30 „ 1890	30½	790,555	249,508	207,517	41,991	5·31
30 „ 1891	33½	857,455	270,365	221,505	48,860	5·74
30 „ 1892	37	932,907	279,321	229,145	50,176	5·54
30 „ 1893	38	947,775	271,041	214,824	56,217	5·94
30 „ 1894	40¼	954,035	250,809	206,554	44,255	4·64
30 „ 1895	40¼	962,037	230,583	186,081	44,502	4·62
30 „ 1896	40¼	*961,778	227,525	187,811	39,714	4·13
30 „ 1897	40¼	968,925	238,023	195,142	42,881	4·42
30 „ 1898	40¼	973,419	239,858	201,904	37,954	3·89
North Shore Cable—(Opened 22nd May, 1886).						
31 Dec., 1886	1½	70,730	4,043	4,716	‡673	loss
31 „ 1887	1½	71,504	7,274	6,859	415	0·58
30 June, 1888	1½	71,519	7,248	6,833	415	0·58
30 „ 1889	1½	72,617	8,178	6,626	1,552	2·14
30 „ 1890	1½	73,812	9,483	8,339	1,144	1·55
30 „ 1891	1½	74,343	10,333	7,603	2,730	3·67
30 „ 1892	1½	75,368	11,123	7,902	3,221	4·27
30 „ 1893	1½	75,368	10,635	7,198	3,437	4·56
30 „ 1894	2⅛	118,247	11,683	8,146	3,537	3·04
30 „ 1895	2⅛	*114,628	10,552	8,232	2,320	2·02
30 „ 1896	2⅛	*114,428	11,340	8,449	2,891	2·52
30 „ 1897	2⅛	115,471	12,343	10,170	2,173	1·88
30 „ 1898	†1⅜	78,235	12,345	9,745	2,600	3·32
North Shore Electric—(Opened 20th September, 1893).						
30 June, 1894	2¼	24,792	1,505	1,543	‡38	loss
30 „ 1895	2¼	26,697	1,856	2,123	‡267	„
30 „ 1896	2¼	27,601	2,209	2,041	168	0·61
30 „ 1897	3⅝	36,844	3,537	3,289	248	0·78
30 „ 1898	7	92,848	6,709	5,434	1,275	1·37

* The decrease in capital shown in the City and Suburban Tramways is due to the transfer of rolling stock to some of the other lines, while in the case of the North Shore Cable line, the falling-off is due to the land taken for the St. Leonards Railway being transferred to the Railway Capital Account.

† 60 chains converted from cable to electrical traction. ‡ Excess of working expenses over earnings.

No. 49.—Results of Working of each State Tramway, 1886-98—*continued.*

Year ended—	Length of Line open for Traffic.	Capital Expended on Lines open for Traffic.	Total Earnings.	Expenditure for Working Expenses.	Net Return.	
					Excess of Earnings over Working Expenses.	Rate on Capital Invested.
Ashfield to Enfield—(Opened 23rd September, 1891).						
	miles.	£	£	£	£	℔ cent.
30 June, 1892	2	15,485	950	1,507	*557	loss
30 ,, 1893	2	15,605	1,142	1,762	*620	,,
30 ,, 1894	2	15,865	1,004	1,863	*859	,,
30 ,, 1895	2	15,967	972	1,999	*1,027	,,
30 ,, 1896	2	16,371	997	1,646	*649	,,
30 ,, 1897	2	16,371	1,107	1,764	*657	,,
30 ,, 1898	2	16,371	1,105	1,660	*555	,,
Newcastle to Plattsburg, including Tighe's Hill and Merewether—(Opened 19th July, 1887).						
31 Dec., 1887	7½	62,104	3,949	4,128	*179	loss
30 June, 1888	7½	63,170	8,211	8,136	75	0·12
30 ,, 1889	7½	65,723	9,552	9,117	435	0·66
30 ,, 1890	7½	69,247	9,972	8,217	1,755	2·53
30 ,, 1891	7½	72,414	12,152	10,571	1,581	2·18
30 ,, 1892	7½	75,999	13,696	10,037	3,659	4·82
30 ,, 1893	7½	79,723	12,549	10,024	2,525	3·17
30 ,, 1894	12	136,047	13,193	11,177	2,016	2·09
30 ,, 1895	12	137,284	19,458	15,875	3,583	2·61
30 ,, 1896	12	137,538	19,547	17,184	2,363	1·72
30 ,, 1897	12	137,638	21,444	17,547	3,897	2·83
30 ,, 1898	12	138,204	22,757	18,766	3,991	2·89
King-street, Sydney, to Ocean-street, Woollahra, Cable—(Opened 19th September, 1894).						
30 June, 1895	2⅜	171,905	18,895	16,683	2,212	1·64
30 ,, 1896	2⅜	177,180	27,563	19,152	8,411	4·75
30 ,, 1897	2⅜	177,421	30,241	20,969	9,272	5·22
30 ,, 1898	2⅜	179,174	31,097	21,632	9,465	5·28

* Excess of working expenses over earnings.

No. 50.—Number of Persons employed on State Railways and Tramways, 1898.

Railways.				Tramways.			
Department.	Salaried Staff.	Wages Staff.	Total.	Department.	Salaried Staff.	Wages Staff.	Total.
Commissioners' Office ...	15	4	19	Permanent Way ...	6	237	243
Chief Accountant ...	39	1	40	Locomotive	23	725	748
Traffic Audit	59	1	60	Traffic	22	390	412
Stores	25	46	71	Do Plattsburg ...	2	26	28
Permanent Way ...	105	2,823	2,928	Store	3	1	4
Locomotive	140	3,690	3,830	General	...	13	13
Traffic	750	2,533	3,283				
Electrical	53	57	110	Total, Tramways	56	1,392	1,448
Interlocking	14	199	213				
General	13	7	20	Total, Railways and Tramways ...	1,269	10,753	12,022
Total, Railways ...	1,213	9,361	10,574				

NOTE.—The total amount of wages paid during the year ended 30th June, 1898, was—for Railways £1,113,190, and for Tramways, £176,813.

No. 51.—Number of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 1891–98.

Year ended—	Passengers.		Employees.		Trespassers, &c.		Total.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
RAILWAYS.								
30 June, 1891	7	42	32	114	21	14	60	170
30 „ 1892	17	58	26	163	7	7	50	228
30 „ 1893	7	47	10	87	11	5	28	139
30 „ 1894	8	33	7	93	13	18	28	144
30 „ 1895	16	77	17	70	9	13	42	160
30 „ 1896	5	27	9	83	11	8	25	118
30 „ 1897	2	50	8	78	15	7	25	135
30 „ 1898	3	33	9	73	17	6	29	112
TRAMWAYS.								
30 June, 1891	2	23	Nil.	4	2	34	4	61
30 „ 1892	Nil.	14	2	2	3	14	5	30
30 „ 1893	Nil.	10	1	Nil.	3	8	4	18
30 „ 1894	2	2	1	2	4	5	7	9
30 „ 1895	1	8	Nil.	4	4	9	5	21
30 „ 1896	2	11	1	7	6	4	9	22
30 „ 1897	1	2	1	Nil.	7	7	9	9
30 „ 1898	2	2	2	Nil.	5	4	9	6

No. 52.—Number of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 1898.

Classification.	Causes beyond their own control.		Misconduct or want of caution.		Total.	
	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.	Killed.	Injured.
RAILWAYS.						
Passengers	.....	7	3	26	3	33
Servants of Department or Contractors ...	2	2	7	71	9	73
Trespassers, &c.	.....	.....	17	6	17	6
Total	2	9	27	103	29	112
TRAMWAYS.						
Passengers	.....	.....	2	2	2	2
Servants of Department or Contractors ...	.....	.....	2	.....	2	.....
Trespassers, &c.	.....	.....	5	4	5	4
Total	.....	.....	9	6	9	6

No. 53.—Compensation paid in respect of Accidents on State Railways and Tramways, 1891–98.

Year ended—	Railways.			Tramways.					
	Passengers	Goods.	Total.	City and Suburban.	North Shore Cable.	Ocean-st. Cable.	Newcastle to Plattsburg	Ashfield to Enfield.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
30 June, 1891	11,165	3,642	14,807	2,087	.....	.....	5	.....	2,092
30 ,, 1892	3,580	4,223	7,803	3,606	.....	.....	148	216	3,970
30 ,, 1893	1,701	1,889	3,590	1,899	25	.....	.....	30	1,954
30 ,, 1894	2,238	2,948	5,186	3,448	.....	.....	1	1	3,450
30 ,, 1895	31,874	1,358	33,232	2,124	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,124
30 ,, 1896	14,277	971	15,248	3,265	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,265
30 ,, 1897	1,284	1,610	2,894	1,916	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,916
30 ,, 1898	1,250	2,046	3,296	2,125	5	65	70	.....	2,265

Government Railways Compensation Limitation Act, 1896.—Under the provisions of this Act (60 Vic. No. 21) the amount of compensation recoverable in respect of personal injuries is limited to £2,000.

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PART XIII.—MISCELLANEOUS.

No. 1.—Offices, Persons employed, &c., Postmaster-General's Department, 1893-98.

Particulars.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Offices—						
Post	1,423	1,445	1,476	1,503	1,536	1,578
Receiving	404	450	502	503	510	520
Total	1,827	1,895	1,972	2,006	2,046	2,098
Persons employed—						
In Postal and Telegraph Department	4,845	4,982	5,063	4,814	4,936	5,046
As Mail Contractors	770	754	809	931	933	959
Total	5,615	5,736	5,872	5,745	5,869	6,005
Postal—						
Miles of Line	32,792	33,064	33,693	34,083	34,444	34,961
Miles travelled by Mail Conveyances	8,784,600	8,840,000	9,338,000	9,773,500	10,333,500	11,003,500
Telegraphs—						
Number of Stations	724	813	834	856	886	916
Miles of Line (Posts)	12,097	12,201	12,316	12,418	12,778	13,242
Miles of Wire	27,326	28,085	28,799	30,820	33,073	35,630
Revenue (exclusive of Interest on Investments and on Balances in Treasury) ... ... £	643,569	626,864	648,852	695,627	713,700	761,248
Expenditure (exclusive of Interest allowed to Depositors) ... £	783,500	763,976	763,259	743,841	713,015	715,068

Persons employed, 1898.—Of the total 6,005, there were 3,323 persons wholly occupied in the Service, and 2,682 partially so employed.

No. 2.—Revenue and Expenditure, Postmaster-General's Department, 1898.

Revenue.	£	£	Expenditure.	£
Postage	535,249		Salaries	391,975
Less amount transferred to Stamp Duties as the approximate value of Postage Stamps used as Duty Stamps ...	24,000	511,249	Contingencies	78,563
			Conveyance of Mails	209,413
Electric Telegraphs		161,907	Cable Subsidies, &c.	16,663
Telephones		50,708	Interest allowed to Savings Bank depositors	132,616
Money Order Commission		15,063	Postage Stamps repurchased from the public, used as remittances by public officials, and affixed to Postal Notes ...	18,454
Poundage on Postal Notes		10,099		
Interest on Savings Bank investments ...		158,798		
Other receipts (Fees for private boxes, collections from other Governments, and miscellaneous receipts)		12,222		
Total... ... ... £		920,046	Total... ... ... £	847,684

Postmaster-General's Department.—The total receipts of this Department during 1898 were £920,046, and he expenditure was £847,684, showing a profit on the transactions of the year of £72,362. Adding the interest (£34,685) on the cost of buildings owned by the Government, and used as Post and Telegraph Offices, the interest (£39,577) on the cost of construction of Telegraph lines, and the expenditure from votes under the control of other Ministers (£25,120), the total expenditure was £947,066, making a total loss during 1898 of £27,020.

Government Savings Bank.—See Part "Financial Institutions" for transactions of the Government Savings Bank.

No. 3.—Letters, Cards, Newspapers, &c., transmitted, Postal Branch, 1894–98.

Classification.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Letters, Ordinary—					
Inland	56,285,000	55,528,900	55,772,230	57,875,630	59,707,930
Intercolonial	8,411,100	9,213,530	9,471,750	10,618,020	10,936,492
International	2,441,100	2,434,140	2,650,670	2,998,190	3,421,128
Total	67,137,200	67,176,570	67,894,650	71,491,840	74,065,550
Letters, Registered—					
Inland	582,819	575,822	604,476	637,537	676,625
Intercolonial	210,601	273,488	293,339	301,466	299,641
International	62,708	53,138	53,210	59,301	77,779
Total	856,128	902,448	951,025	998,304	1,054,045
Letter Cards—					
Inland	*133,000	297,100	358,000	394,540	478,180
Intercolonial	*20,700	40,190	35,080	54,400	52,290
Total	*153,700	337,290	393,080	448,940	530,470
Post Cards—					
Inland	887,500	825,000	871,500	957,920	1,146,700
Intercolonial	110,100	115,700	123,900	118,070	130,200
International	18,700	16,700	18,080	9,780	54,730
Total	1,016,300	957,400	1,013,480	1,085,770	1,331,630
Newspapers—					
Inland	32,163,500	35,667,100	36,234,260	33,968,794	33,662,600
Intercolonial	7,703,400	7,576,954	7,379,130	6,524,800	6,661,000
International	1,800,400	1,658,846	1,944,950	1,932,800	2,247,250
Total	41,667,300	44,902,900	45,558,340	42,426,394	42,570,850
Packets and Book Parcels—					
Inland	7,919,400	7,053,000	9,297,584	9,236,831	12,541,574
Intercolonial	5,054,400	3,504,600	5,702,105	2,734,204	3,173,067
International	599,800	701,700	603,950	747,669	782,693
Total	13,573,600	11,259,300	15,603,639	12,718,704	16,497,334
Parcels—					
Inland	315,243	362,442	426,345	439,181	481,203
Intercolonial	33,975	39,721	55,464	71,826	81,662
International	18,672	20,609	24,302	28,496	33,568
Total	367,890	422,772	506,111	539,503	596,433

* Since 1st July, 1894.

Registration Fee.—With the exception of Returns under the Land and Income Tax Assessment Act, which are registered free, and Notices of Objection to the retention of names on the List of Voters issued under the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act, on which the fee is 2d., all classes of mail matter are charged 3d. for Registration.

Letter Cards.—Letter cards, that is double cards, which are closed against inspection, may be transmitted within the Colony and to Queensland, British New Guinea, Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, and Fiji at the rate of 1½d. each.

Post Cards.—Post cards impressed with 1d. stamp may be transmitted in New South Wales, or to Australasian Colonies, British New Guinea, and Fiji, and those with 1½d. stamp may be forwarded to other parts of the world.

Packets and Book Parcels.—Books, magazines, commercial and printed papers, and packets may be forwarded at a cheaper rate of postage than other articles. The definition and regulations are stated in the "Postal Guide."

Parcels.—The Parcels Post was inaugurated on 1st October, 1893, for inland and intercolonial transmission, the maximum weight being fixed at 3 lb. and 11 lb., according to mode of conveyance. The foreign system has been in force since 1st August, 1886.

No. 4.—Transactions, Dead Letter Office, Postal Branch, 1898.

Description.	Letters.	Post Cards.	Packets.
Inland.	No.	No.	No.
Returned to writers, delivered, &c.	208,306	3,375	326,500
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	38,060	480	24,435
Intercolonial.			
Originally addressed to other Colonies—			
Returned to writers, &c.	17,648	280	19,850
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	4,496	38	2,566
Returned to other Colonies as unclaimed	20,105	560	3,199
Foreign.			
Originally addressed to other Countries—			
Returned to writers, &c.	5,790	70	790
Foreign—*continued.*			
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	1,447	19	64
Returned to other Countries as unclaimed	28,366	337	880
Summary.			
Returned to writers, delivered, &c.	231,744	3,725	347,140
Destroyed in accordance with sec. 32 of Act 31 Vic. No. 4.. ..	44,003	537	27,065
Returned to other Colonies and Countries	48,471	897	4,079
Total	324,218	5,159	378,284

Unclaimed Letters, &c.—Letters and Packets posted in New South Wales, addressed to places within the Colony, remain at the address awaiting delivery for one month; when posted in other Australasian Colonies they remain for a period of three months, and those posted in other Countries, six months. Newspapers are kept for one month.

Prohibition of Delivery of Letters, &c.—The Postmaster-General is empowered under the Postage Acts Amendment Act of 1893 (56 Vic. No. 31), to prohibit the delivery of all letters, &c., addressed to persons who, he has reasonable grounds to suppose, are engaged in receiving money for or in connection with horse-racing, lotteries, &c. The names and addresses of these persons are notified in the *Government Gazette*, and letters so addressed are re-directed to the senders.

No. 5.—Mail Routes, Postal Branch, 1898.

Classification.	P. & O. S. N. Co. *via* Colombo and Brindisi.	Orient S. N. Co. *via* Suez and Naples.	Union S.S. Co. *via* San Francisco.	Queensland Royal Mail Co. *via* Torres Straits.	M. M. Co. *via* Marseilles.	Nord-Deutscher Lloyd's *via* Genoa.	Canadian-Australian Steamers *via* Vancouver.
Received.							
Intercolonial—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Letters	123,708	146,733	7,472	.....	.....	464	24,035
Packets	23,582	37,141	634	.....	.....	53	4,025
Newspapers	55,306	74,356	3,888	.....	.....	126	18,180
British and Foreign—							
Letters	767,981	745,371	137,545	.....	14,181	20,383	78,647
Packets and Newspapers	672,657	648,042	111,073	.....	8,734	10,927	69,820
Despatched.							
Intercolonial—							
Letters	140,908	151,835	26,475	.....	275	309	38,494
Packets	30,973	36,959	32,445	.....	1	6	37,502
Newspapers	147,865	160,788	32,977	.....	.....	4	51,680
British and Foreign—							
Letters	440,559	454,746	57,667	2,214	18,793	1,991	57,739
Packets	84,115	79,036	13,826	324	1,158	65	11,595
Newspapers	247,459	253,033	37,612	1,891	2,248	1,477	42,856
Total Received and Despatched.							
Intercolonial—							
Letters	264,616	298,568	33,947	.....	275	773	62,529
Packets and Newspapers	257,726	309,244	69,944	.....	1	189	111,387
British and Foreign—							
Letters	1,208,540	1,200,117	195,212	2,214	32,974	22,374	136,386
Packets and Newspapers	1,004,231	980,111	162,511	2,215	12,140	12,469	124,271
Number and Average Time of Mails.							
Number of Mails—							
Received	26	26	14	.....	.....	.....	13
Despatched	25	26	13	.....	.....	.....	14
Average time of Mails—	Days.	Days.	Days.				Days.
London to Sydney ...	$32\frac{7}{20}$	$33\frac{1}{2}\frac{5}{0}$	$36\frac{1}{2}$	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sydney to London ...	$33\frac{2}{25}$	$33\frac{3}{13}$	$36\frac{10}{13}$	.....	.....	.....	$41\frac{2}{7}$
Estimated net cost to New South Wales	£ 5,936.		£ 1,985.	According to weight.			£ 7,345

Contributions—Ocean Mail Service, Sydney to London, 1898.—*Via Suez.*—The contribution paid by New South Wales towards the cost of the "Federal" Ocean Mail Service (P. & O. and Orient Co's.) was £25,976; the net cost is estimated to be £5,936. *Via San Francisco.*—A sum of £4,000 was paid to New Zealand for the conveyance of Mails between Sydney and San Francisco by steamers of the Union S.S. Co.; the net cost is estimated at £1,985. *Via Vancouver.*—During 1893 a contract was concluded for a regular monthly service between Sydney and Vancouver, British Columbia, by steamers of the Canadian-Australian Line; the net cost for 1898 is estimated at £7,345.

Mail matter carried by non-subsidised Lines.—The mail matter carried by the Queensland Royal Mail Company, the Messageries Maritimes Company, and Nord-Deutscher Lloyd's, is paid for according to weight.

No. 6.—Newspapers registered during 1898 under Postage Acts Amendment Act.

Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.	Town where published.	No.
Albury	2	Coolamon... ...	1	Mudgee	1	South Grafton ...	1
Armidale	1	Cooma	1	Mungindi... ...	1	Stroud	1
Balranald... ...	1	Dungog	1	Newcastle... ...	5	Singleton	2
Bathurst	1	Glebe	1	North Sydney ...	1	Sydney	34
Bowral	1	Gundagai... ...	1	Orange	1	Tamworth ...	1
Broken Hill ...	3	Manly	1	Parramatta ...	1	Temora	1
Central Tilba ...	1	Merrylands ...	1	Quirindi	1	Toronto	1
Collarendabri ...	1	Mosman	2	Redfern	1	Total ...	73

Newspapers.—Under Act 56 Vic. No. 31, passed in June, 1893, newspapers are required to be registered at the General Post Office, Sydney, in order that they may be entitled to the newspaper rates of postage. The fee for registration is five shillings. Newspapers printed in New South Wales, from type set up therein, are allowed free transmission when posted to places in the Colony within seven days of publication, but after this period a charge of ½d. for every 10 oz. or fraction thereof is made. Newspapers to Victoria, South Australia, Western Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand, and Fiji, are charged at the rate of ½d. for every 10 oz. or fraction thereof; to Queensland and British New Guinea the postage is ½d. for every 2 oz. or fraction thereof.

No. 7.—Transactions, Telegraph Branch, 1889–98.

Year.	Number of Telegraph Stations.	Telegrams transmitted, delivered, and in transit. Number.	Telegrams transmitted, delivered, and in transit. Amount collected.	Actual Revenue received at the adjustment of Balances with Australasian Offices and Cable Companies.	Line.	Wire.	†Cost of Construction to 31st December.
			£	£	Miles.	Miles.	£
1889	485	3,932,670	309,980	186,862	10,732	22,606	713,663
1890	628	4,101,449	321,019	193,707	11,231	23,598	743,698
1891	674	4,046,251	311,780	191,319	11,697	24,780	767,872
1892	706	2,976,109	287,765	185,014	11,905	26,443	801,918
1893	724	2,853,691	281,659	157,482	12,097	27,326	820,822
1894	813	2,464,074	269,217	147,903	12,201	28,085	831,471
1895	834	2,635,456	367,318	145,901	12,316	28,799	840,380
1896	856	2,796,776	431,762	159,741	12,418	30,820	889,476
1897	886	2,728,360	427,440	155,162	12,778	33,073	932,412
1898	916	2,866,570	428,995	158,062	13,242	35,630	989,423

Telegraph Lines under Construction.—At the close of 1898 there were 143 miles of line and 174 miles of wire under construction.

* The value of messages which have passed over the lines from and to places outside New South Wales has not been included.

† Includes Telephone Installation.

No. 8.—Transactions, Telegraph Branch, 1898.

Received by New South Wales. Countries.	Telegrams.	Amount collected.	Despatched by New South Wales. Countries.	Telegrams.	Amount collected.
Australasia—	No.	£	Australasia—	No.	£
New South Wales (Inland)	1,856,885	105,766	New South Wales (Inland)	1,856,885	105,766
From Victoria	180,918	14,460	To Victoria	193,091	16,831
„ Queensland ...	121,945	12,783	„ Queensland... ...	106,333	10,402
„ South Australia...	53,627	6,612	„ South Australia ...	46,414	6,666
„ Western Australia	30,471	5,699	„ Western Australia...	21,719	3,973
„ Tasmania ...	13,956	1,878	„ Tasmania	12,286	1,976
„ New Zealand ...	26,439	6,086	„ New Zealand ...	25,299	5,405
From New Caledonia ...	1,096	467	To New Caledonia ...	1,238	640
„ Other Countries ...	18,657	54,649	„ Other Countries ...	21,524	66,415
			Total	2,284,789	218,074
			Messages which have passed over New South Wales lines from and to places outside the Colony.	134,672	108,285
Total	2,303,994	208,400	Total	2,419,461	326,359

No. 9.—Cable Lines, Telegraph Branch.

Cable.	Date of Opening.	New South Wales. (Land.)	Other Australasian Colonies.		Foreign Countries.		Total.	
			Land.	Sea.	Land.	Sea.	Land.	Sea.
		Approximate.						
Sydney to Europe (London)—		Miles.	Miles.	Miles. (knots.)	Miles.	Miles. (knots.)	Miles.	Miles. (knots.)
Via Port Darwin (South Australia)...	21 Oct., 1872.	386	2,892	.....	1,704	9,287	4,982	9,287
Via Roebuck Bay (Western Australia)	May, 1889.	386	4,040	.....	1,704	9,107	6,130	9,107
Sydney to Nelson (New Zealand) ...	20 Feb., 1876.	11	.....	1,191	.....	.....	11	1,191
Sydney to Gomen (New Caledonia) *via* Queensland.	19 Oct., 1893.	490	453	.....	.....	900	943	900
Sydney to Low Head, River Tamar, Tasmania, *via* Victoria.	April, 1869.	386	244	170	.....	.....	630	170

No. 10.—Cable Subsidies and Guarantee Contributions of New South Wales, 1895–98.

Year.†	Line *via* Port Darwin (South Australia) to Europe.			Tasmanian Cable Subsidy.	New Zealand Guarantee.	New Caledonian Cable Guarantee.	Total Contributions.
	Duplicate Cable Subsidy between Port Darwin and Banjowanjie.	Cable Company's Guarantee in connection with reduced rates.	South Australian Guarantee.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1895	13,151	Nil*	374	1,705	2,430	2,000	19,660
1896	13,151	Nil*	Nil*	1,705	1,311	2,000	18,167
1897	13,403	Nil*	Nil*	1,705	854	1,830	17,792
1898	13,403	Nil*	Nil*	1,533	680	1,896	17,512

* The receipts in respect of the Australasian traffic being in excess of the amounts guaranteed in connection with the reduced rates, New South Wales was not called upon to contribute.

† The subsidy of cable between Port Darwin and Banjowanjie, also the New Caledonia Cable Guarantee are for the year ended 31st December; all other Cable Subsidies and Guarantee Contributions are for the twelve months ended 30th April.

Cable Subsidies and Guarantees.—Each of the Colonies, except Queensland and New Zealand, contributes *pro rata* to population for the subsidy to cable to Europe, and with the exception of New Zealand, each contributes towards the subsidy for the short cable to Tasmania. The New South Wales Government does not bear any of the expense of the alternative line, Adelaide to Banjowanjie, *via* Roebuck Bay, Western Australia. Each Colony guarantees against loss in connection with reduced rates on the New Zealand cable; whilst New South Wales and Queensland each guarantee a sum of £2,000 yearly to the French Telegraph Company against loss on the cable to New Caledonia.

No. 11.—Number of Cable Messages, &c., 1890–98.

Year.	Cable Messages sent from New South Wales. *	Cable Messages received by New South Wales. *	Amount collected.			New South Wales receipts.
			Messages sent.	Messages received.	Total.	
	No.	No.	£	£	£	£
1890	10,316	8,654	47,878	39,957	87,835	3,808
1891	14,982	11,587	46,192	37,093	83,285	3,830
1892	16,511	14,558	41,746	38,816	80,562	3,130
1893	15,749	13,599	50,733	42,469	93,202	3,316
1894	17,595	14,087	51,272	39,672	90,944	3,283
1895	21,637	16,178	61,627	48,591	110,218	3,922
1896	24,578	18,355	71,052	54,061	125,113	4,411
1897	26,390	18,579	72,362	53,085	125,447	4,324
1898	22,762	19,753	67,055	55,117	122,172	4,258

NOTE.—The figures in the above Return are exclusive of Cable messages to and from New Zealand and Tasmania.

* **Cablegrams in Transit.**—Cable messages in transit are included in the years 1890–92; since 1892, however, these messages have been excluded from the return. The collections in all years include the receipts from messages in transit.

Cable Rates.—The charge per word, inclusive of names and addresses, made on ordinary cablegrams to the United Kingdom and European countries is 4s. 11d., of which New South Wales receives 2d. To New Zealand the rate is 3s. for the first ten words or under, and to New Caledonia, 10d. per word is charged. The rates to all other countries are higher, but press messages are sent at reduced rates, as shown in the "Postal Guide."

No. 12.—Number of Telephone Lines, 1892–98.

Exchanges, &c.	1892. (Estimate.)	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Central Sydney	1,400	1,630	1,793	1,981	2,432	2,893	3,228
Branch Suburban	109	288	502	667	1,179	1,796	2,522
Country	185	220	227	240	363	514	647
Telephone Bureaus	.....	9	14	14	17	17	24
Government Departmental	220	380	462	530	642	875	1,020
Extension Lines—Sydney and Suburbs...	.....						
Country	.....	27	25	17	36	44	61
Private Telephone Lines—							
Sydney and Suburbs	332	145	156	237	280	372	404
Country	108	99	112	126	156	215	255
Total...	2,354	2,798	3,291	3,812	5,105	6,726	8,161

Telephones.—Telephone Bureaus for the use of the public, on payment of a small charge, are open at the head office, Sydney, and in twenty-one of the suburbs. There are telephone stations in the country used in conjunction with the Telegraph Service. At the end of 1898 there were 33 Telephone Exchanges and 8,928 telephones in use.

No. 13.—Length of Line opened, Cost of Construction and Rental received from Telephones during each year, 1891–98.

Year.	Line opened during the year.	Cost of Construction.	Rental received.	Year.	Line opened during the year.	Cost of Construction.	Rental received.
	Mls. Chs.	£	£		Mls. Chs.	£	£
1891	295 38	6,773	7,212	1895	593 39	6,680	25,956
1892	262 41	5,187	11,399	1896	1,771 36	16,053	31,955
1893	539 52	9,607	16,320	1897	1,841 67	*36,362	39,613
1894	601 18	7,747	20,298	1898	1,780 44	*45,286	50,708

* Including the expenditure on tunnels.

No. 14.—Money Orders issued in, and drawn on New South Wales, 1889–98.

Year.	Issued in New South Wales.			Drawn on New South Wales.		
	Payable in—		Total.	Issued and paid in New South Wales.	Issued in other Countries, and paid in New South Wales.	Total.
	New South Wales.	Other Countries.				
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1889	890,501	297,726	1,188,227	890,513	217,585	1,108,098
1890	955,244	297,061	1,252,305	954,562	239,392	1,193,954
1891	1,236,425	341,319	1,577,744	1,233,191	285,796	1,518,987
1892	1,436,300	326,413	1,762,713	1,436,109	303,703	1,739,812
1893	1,266,691	349,194	1,615,885	1,269,889	286,349	1,556,238
1894	1,017,003	298,634	1,315,637	1,016,570	241,352	1,257,922
1895	985,771	283,429	1,269,200	984,509	262,726	1,247,235
1896	1,019,556	294,039	1,313,595	1,014,040	413,480	1,427,520
1897	1,009,030	302,820	1,311,850	1,011,877	409,647	1,421,524
1898	1,062,350	309,377	1,371,727	1,062,816	369,557	1,432,373

Money Orders.—*Local* single money orders are limited to £20; commission thereon ranges from 6d. to 2s. *To other Australasian Colonies*—Single money orders are limited to £20, and commission ranges from 6d. to 4s. *To Other Countries*—To Germany, Italy, United States, Canadian Dominion, India, and Ceylon, single money orders are limited to £20, the commission, 6d. per £ or fraction thereof. To all other countries to which orders are issued by New South Wales a single money order is limited to £10, the commission being 6d. per £ or fraction thereof. Orders for payment of money may be transmitted by telegraph to Money Order Offices in New South Wales or to any Colony of Australasia upon payment of the cost of a telegram in addition to the commission. The remitter must, however, also advise the payee by a private telegram.

No. 15.—Money Orders issued in, and drawn on New South Wales, 1898.

Issued in New South Wales.	Number.	Value.	Drawn on New South Wales, and paid in the Colony.	Number.	Value.
Payable in—			Issued in—		
Australasia—		£	Australasia—		£
New South Wales (Inland)	307,243	1,062,350	New South Wales (Inland)	307,347	1,062,816
Victoria	29,447	90,309	Victoria	15,958	54,199
Queensland	7,606	29,403	Queensland	18,784	69,572
South Australia ...	11,476	35,287	South Australia ...	4,771	16,154
Western Australia ...	3,581	20,292	Western Australia ...	28,320	119,983
Tasmania	12,537	18,865	Tasmania	5,141	13,482
New Zealand ...	4,703	14,349	New Zealand ...	13,383	35,839
Other Countries—			Other Countries—		
United Kingdom and Europe	24,354	66,485	United Kingdom and Europe	12,598	38,567
Germany (direct) ...	838	3,145	Germany (direct) ...	268	1,557
Italy (direct) ...	513	3,619	Italy (direct) ...	27	113
Canada	200	996	Canada	247	1,171
United States ...	1,877	5,759	United States ...	991	3,684
India	1,604	15,459	India	203	709
Ceylon	116	350	Ceylon	57	184
Straits Settlements ...	30	247	Straits Settlements ..	73	226
Hong Kong	834	3,911	Hong Kong	83	249
Cape of Good Hope...	151	774	Cape of Good Hope...	2,242	13,142
Mauritius	28	67	Mauritius	25	134
Fiji	23	60	Fiji	254	592
Total issued in N.S.W.	407,161	1,371,727	Total drawn on N.S.W. and paid in the Colony	410,772	1,432,373

No. 16.—Commission on Money Orders, 1890–98.

Year.	Gross Commission collected from the public.	Commission on Colonial and Foreign Money Orders.			Net Commission received by New South Wales.
		Paid by N.S.W. to other Governments.	Paid to N.S.W. by other Governments.	Excess payments by N. S. Wales.	
	£	£	£	£	£
1890	16,939	2,759	2,644	115	16,824
1891	19,198	3,171	3,464	*293	19,491
1892	19,309	2,392	2,066	326	18,983
1893	19,038	2,214	1,688	526	18,512
1894	15,828	1,890	1,445	445	15,383
1895	14,863	1,771	1,537	234	14,629
1896	15,232	1,812	2,326	*514	15,746
1897	15,133	1,890	2,290	*400	15,533
1898	15,110	1,901	2,075	*174	15,284

* Excess payments to New South Wales.

Commission.—New South Wales pays commission, varying from ½ to 1 per cent., to the colonies and countries to which Money Orders are sent, in proportion to the amount of such orders, and a similar allowance is made to New South Wales by the colonies and countries doing a return business.

Stamp duty on Orders.—The above figures do not include the stamp duty of 1d. charged on all Money Orders issued in New South Wales, and of 2d. imposed on all orders of £2 and upwards, issued in other colonies, paid in New South Wales.

No. 17.—Postal Notes, 1893-98.

Year.	New South Wales Postal Notes.			Other Colonies' Postal Notes paid in New South Wales.					Revenue collected on New South Wales Postal Notes.
	Paid in New South Wales.	Paid in other Colonies.	Total.	Issued in—				Total.	
				Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1893*	23,139 9 9	2,339 8 1	25,478 17 10	1,012 8 2	274 19 3	153 19 10	45 8 9	1,486 16 0	548 17 10
1894	147,095 15 7	12,310 1 9	159,405 17 4	5,917 18 8	2,523 9 0	960 1 5	303 5 0	9,704 14 1	3,877 13 4
1895	243,188 0 3	16,368 18 10	259,556 19 1	7,626 19 7	3,862 11 4	1,430 12 3	441 0 5	13,361 3 7	6,316 12 4
1896	304,234 11 4	20,411 13 0	324,646 4 4	8,498 19 4	5,688 14 1	1,669 16 4	506 1 9	16,363 11 6	7,838 17 4
1897	354,260 0 4	23,021 18 4	377,281 18 8	9,205 2 10	6,053 2 9	1,692 16 7	569 11 11	17,525 14 1	9,091 19 8
1898	396,224 3 7	23,888 7 2	420,112 10 9	10,712 12 1	7,635 11 11	1,773 14 2	712 9 11	20,834 8 1	10,099 1 6

* From 1st October.

No. 18.—Postal Notes, 1898.

Denomination.	New South Wales Postal Notes.			Other Colonies' Postal Notes paid in New South Wales.					Revenue collected on New South Wales Postal Notes.
	Paid in New South Wales.	Paid in other Colonies.	Total.	Issued in—				Total.	
				Victoria.	Queensland.	South Australia.	Tasmania.		
s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1 0	2,554 15 0			40 9 0	47 6 0	11 5 0	5 14 0	104 14 0	
1 6	2,397 19 6			42 9 0	43 2 6	15 15 0	9 18 0	111 4 6	
2 0	6,131 0 0			140 12 0	106 10 0	47 16 0	19 4 0	314 2 0	
2 6	11,545 10 0			251 0 0	190 7 6	73 17 6	29 2 6	544 7 6	
3 0	15,868 7 0			249 3 0	230 2 0	74 5 0	33 9 0	586 19 0	
3 6	....			191 9 0	194 15 6	94 17 0	23 12 6	504 14 0	
4 0	24,573 12 0			324 12 0	273 8 0	79 4 0	42 0 0	719 4 0	
4 6	....	23,676 5 0	415,007 6 0	228 16 6	168 15 0	57 7 6	19 11 6	474 10 6	10,099 1 6
5 0	53,902 0 0			774 5 0	594 10 0	159 5 0	63 5 0	1,591 5 0	
7 6	24,982 2 6			340 17 6	297 15 0	98 5 0	33 0 0	769 17 6	
10 0	84,209 0 0			1,806 10 0	1,445 0 0	303 10 0	102 10 0	3,657 10 0	
10 6	....			189 0 0	182 3 6	59 6 6	16 16 0	447 6 0	
15 0	54,039 15 0			852 15 0	657 15 0	141 0 0	36 15 0	1,688 5 0	
20 0	111,127 0 0			5,173 0 0	3,104 0 0	525 0 0	265 0 0	9,067 0 0	
Stamps affixed	4,893 2 7	212 2 2	5,105 4 9	107 14 1	100 1 11	33 0 8	12 12 5	253 9 1	
Total ..	396,224 3 7	23,888 7 2	420,112 10 9	10,712 12 1	7,635 11 11	1,773 14 2	712 9 11	20,834 8 1	10,099 1 6

Number of Postal Notes.—The total number of notes issued in New South Wales during 1898 was 1,160,879, viz., 1,099,224 for payment in New South Wales, and 61,655 for payment in the other colonies, while the total number of notes paid was 1,150,702, of which 1,099,224 had been issued in New South Wales, and 51,478 had been issued in the other colonies. The values are shown above.

No. 19.—Fire Brigades: Districts administered by the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board, 1898.

City of Sydney.	Canterbury.	Hurstville.	North Sydney.	Rookwood.
Alexandria.	Concord.	Kogarah.	Paddington.	St. Peters.
Annandale.	Darlington.	Leichhardt.	Parramatta.	Strathfield.
Ashfield.	Drummoyne.	Liverpool.	Penrith.	Waterloo.
Auburn.	Enfield.	Manly.	Petersham.	Waverley.
Balmain.	Erskineville.	Marrickville.	Randwick.	Willoughby.
Botany.	Five Dock.	Mosman.	Redfern.	Woollahra.
Burwood.	Glebe.	Newtown.	Richmond.	
Camperdown.	Granville.	North Botany.	Rockdale.	

Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board.—The Board, established in 1884 under Act 47 Vic. No. 3, consists of six members, viz., the chairman, appointed by the Government, and five elected members, one of whom is appointed by the Municipal Council of Sydney, one by the other Municipalities within the proclaimed area, two by the Fire Insurance Companies carrying on business in New South Wales, and one by the Volunteer Fire Companies. The elected members retire every two years, but are eligible for re-election. Towards the annual outlay the Government, the Municipalities, and the Fire Insurance Companies each contribute one-third. The Municipalities contribute *pro rata* to the assessed annual value of ratable property in their respective districts, and each of the Fire Insurance Companies proportionately to the net risks held on properties situate within the Metropolitan District. Sydney Harbour is outside the jurisdiction of the Board.

Ship Fires.—For the purpose of dealing with ship fires the pilot steamer "Captain Cook" has been fitted by the Marine Board of New South Wales with a steam-pump, having a capacity of 36,000 gallons per hour.

No. 20.—Metropolitan Fire Brigade Stations and Firemen employed, 1898.

No. 1. (Head-quarters), Castlereagh-street, Sydney	26	No. 6. Walker-street, North Sydney ...	4
No. 2. George-street West, Sydney ...	9	No. 7. Stanmore Road, Marrickville ...	5
No. 3. George-street North, Sydney ...	9	No. 8. Alexandria	4
No. 4. Darlinghurst	5	No. 9. Woollahra	4
No. 5. Australia-street, Newtown ...	5	Auxiliary Firemen	13
		Total	84

No. 21.—Volunteer Fire Companies, Metropolitan Area, 1898.

Company.	Fires attended.	Firemen on Roll.	Amount of Subsidy.	Company.	Fires attended.	Firemen on Roll.	Amount of Subsidy.
Volunteer Stations—	No.	No.	£	Volunteer Stations—*contd.*	No.	No.	£
Ashfield	49	13	145	Paddington No. 1.	39	12	150
Balmain	11	20	350	,, No. 2.	133	15	225
Burwood... ...	28	15	*142	Parramatta No. 1.	6	17	85
Drummoyne ...	6	14	75	,, No. 2.	3	18	85
Glebe	15	13	*170	Rockdale ...	25	13	*140
Granville ...	6	17	85	Rookwood ...	4	15	75
Hurstville ...	.....	.....	63	Waterloo ...	34	15	140
Kogarah	11	13	75	Waverley ...	35	15	*150
Leichhardt ...	23	13	*90	†Woollahra ...	6	...	50
Liverpool ...	.....	20	50				
Manly	5	18	100	Total ...	467	289	2,575
North Botany ...	28	13	*130				

* In addition to an allowance of £1 per month for telephone attendance.

† This Company disbanded on the 28th February.

Subsidies of Board.—The Board grants the subsidy, shown above, to each company on its obtaining a certificate of efficiency from the Superintendent. In addition, a considerable amount was spent by the Board in the provision and repair of fire appliances, and for the erection and repair of stations.

Volunteer Fire Companies.—Companies situated within the Metropolitan district are registered at the office of the Board, and are subject to the inspection and orders of the Superintendent of Metropolitan Fire Brigades, appointed by the Government under the Act. All the hose and a great portion of the other appliances are the property of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board. The Railway Fire Brigade and the Sydney Meat Preserving Company's Fire Brigade receive no subsidies from the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board.

No. 22.—Working Plant of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade and of the Volunteer Fire Companies, 1898.

(Metropolitan Area.)

Description.	M.F.B.	Volunteer.	Total.	Description.	M.F.B.	Volunteer.	Total.
Fire engines, large steam	2	...	2	Heaters for steam fire-engines	3	...	3
,, small steam	6	...	6	Hose (feet)	20,640	18,315	38,955
,, manual ...	5	16	21	Suction pipes (feet) ...	359	324	683
Water tower	1	...	1	Stand-pipes for ball hydrants...	34	41	75
Ladders, large	2	...	2	Jumping sheets... ...	6	...	6
,, small	4	...	4	Respirators	3	...	3
,, scaling ...	86	73	159	Telephone fire-alarms ...	191	30	221
Hose carriages	4	4	8	Telephone shutter boards	9	9	18
,, reels	5	16	21	Telephones	76	20	96
,, tenders	1	...	1	Telephone and fire-alarm wire (miles)	...	...	149
Horses	29	27	56	Bell-boards	9	2	11
Carts and waggons ...	5	1	6				
Buggies	2	...	2				
Hand-pumps	28	21	49				

No. 23.—Fires and Alarms in Metropolitan Area, 1889–98.

Year.	Class of Fire.			Total Fires.	False Alarms.	Chimney Alarms.	Total Fires and Alarms.
	Slight.	Serious.	Totally destroyed.				
1889	179	17	29	225	33	45	303
1890	205	12	18	235	44	52	331
1891	216	27	19	262	52	33	347
1892	270	21	23	314	47	75	436
1893	210	23	25	258	68	75	401
1894	206	23	41	270	49	90	409
1895	299	20	48	367	82	82	531
1896	230	27	34	291	91	69	451
1897	384	23	42	449	86	76	611
1898	372	19	31	422	64	79	565

No. 24.—Fires and Alarms in Metropolitan Area, 1898.

Locality.	Class of Fire.									Total Fires.	False Alarms.	Chimney Alarms.		Total Fires and Alarms.
	Slight.			Serious.			Totally Destroyed.							
	Insured.	Not insured.	Insurance unknown.	Insured.	Not insured.	Insurance unknown.	Insured.	Not insured.	Insurance unknown.			Attended with engines, & reported as house fires.	Attended with hand-pump only.	
CITY OF SYDNEY—														
Bourke Ward	15	4	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	21	4	..	4	29
Brisbane ,,	14	5	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	22	2	..	..	24
Cook ,,	2	6	6	..	..	..	..	..	..	14	4	3	3	24
Denison ,,	9	7	7	3	..	..	..	..	..	26	3	3	4	36
Fitzroy ,,	4	5	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	14	3	3	7	27
Gipps ,,	5	4	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	11	1	1	6	19
Macquarie ,,	14	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	17	8	..	5	30
Phillip ,,	5	9	3	1	..	..	..	..	..	18	5	..	3	26
Total, Sydney	68	43	25	6	..	..	..	1	..	143	30	10	32	215
SUBURBS.														
Alexandria	2	8	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	11	1	..	1	13
Annandale	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	4	1	..	..	5
Ashfield	4	5	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	10	..	1	..	11
Auburn	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Balmain	5	8	2	..	..	..	1	1	..	17	4	1	2	24
*Bankstown	1	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	..	..	..	3
Botany	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Burwood	3	4	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	..	..	8
Camperdown	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3
Canterbury	1	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	4	..	..	..	4
Concord	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	2
Darlington	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	2
Drummoyne	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
Enfield	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
Erskineville	..	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	..	3
Five Dock	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	1	..	..	3
Glebe	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	1	6	14
Granville	2	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3	..	1	..	4
Homebush	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	1
Hurstville	2	1	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	5	..	..	..	5
Kogarah	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	3	1	..	..	4
*Lane Cove	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
Leichhardt	4	7	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	12	3	..	..	15
Liverpool	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Manly	..	3	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	6	..	..	..	6
Marrickville	4	5	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	11	..	..	..	11
*Merrylands	..	1	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
Mosman	..	3	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	5	..	..	..	5
Newtown	5	6	7	..	..	..	..	..	..	18	1	3	1	23
North Botany	1	5	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	7	3	..	1	11
North Sydney	5	6	2	..	1	..	2	..	..	16	2	1	1	20
Paddington	2	1	5	1	..	..	1	..	..	10	4	..	1	15
Parramatta	3	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	8	..	..	1	9
Penrith	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Petersham	6	8	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	..	1	1	18
Randwick	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	2	3	..	..	5
Redfern	5	8	5	2	..	..	..	..	..	20	1	3	2	26
Rockdale	2	4	..	..	..	..	3	..	..	9	4	..	..	13
Rookwood	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
St. Peter's	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	1	..	3
Strathfield	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	1
*Vaucluse	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	2
Waterloo	3	4	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	8	..	2	3	13
Waverley	2	4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6	1	..	..	7
Willoughby	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Woollahra	4	8	3	2	..	..	..	..	..	17	2	..	2	21
*The Harbour	5	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	7	..	..	..	7
Total, Suburbs	78	126	32	11	2	..	22	7	1	279	33	15	23	350
Total	146	169	57	17	2	..	22	8	1	422	63	25	55	565

* Outside the Metropolitan Fire Brigade area.

Fire-alarm Telephones.—Telephones connected with the fire stations are placed in fire-alarm boxes in all the important localities of the city and suburbs. The telephonic system at the end of 1898 consisted of 96 telephones, 18 telephone shutter-boards, and 221 telephone fire-alarms. The length of telephone and telephone fire-alarm wire erected was 149 miles. Most of the volunteer fire stations, theatres, music halls, &c., are also in direct communication with the Metropolitan Fire Brigade stations. The various police stations are also in communication, and public offices, hotels, wharves, business firms, and private houses that are connected with the General Post Office Exchange, can transmit calls for fires at any hour of the day or night, and arrangements have been made for the watchmen employed by business houses to report to the head-quarters station several times every night.

No. 25.—Causes of Actual Fires in Sydney and Suburbs, 1898.

Causes.	Fires.	Causes.	Fires.	Causes.	Fires.
Boiler overheating ...	3	Hearth, defect in	2	Smoking, tobacco	9
Boiling over of fat, tar, &c.	11	Hot ashes	5	Spark from chimney ...	23
Burning of rubbish ...	12	Incendiarism	5	,, ferry-boat ...	1
Bush-fire	1	Lamp, kerosene, explosion of	7	,, fireplace ...	9
Candle	38	Lamp, kerosene, upsetting of	7	,, furnace ...	2
Chemicals, explosion of ...	1	Light thrown down ..	99	,, locomotive ...	8
Clothes in contact with fire	1	Lime slaked by rain ...	3	,, another fire ...	6
Fire, careless use of ...	3	Matches, careless use of ...	10	Spontaneous ignition ...	1
Fireworks	8	,, children playing with	33	Stove, overheating of ...	2
Flue, defect in	6	,, rats at	4	Vapour of spirits in contact with flame ...	1
Furnace, overheating ...	1	Rackarock	1	Doubtful or unknown ...	78
Gas, bracket or burner ...	11				
,, explosion	5			Total	422
Gas-pipe, defect in ...	5				

False Alarms and Chimney Fires.—The return is exclusive of 63 false alarms and 80 chimney fires.

No. 26.—Trades for which premises, on Fire during 1898, were used.

Trades, &c.	No.	Trades, &c.	No.	Trades, &c.	No.
Asylum	3	Draper	5	Railway carriage	2
Baker	1	Engineer	2	Restaurant and refreshment-room	5
Bedding manufacturer ...	1	Fishmonger	5	School	5
Bird-fancier	1	Fruiterer and greengrocer	5	Shed	3
Boarding house	4	Furniture dealer	3	Ship	7
Boat-builder	2	Gas-works	1	Stable	14
Boiling-down works ...	1	Glass merchant	1	Store	4
Bootmaker and factories	4	Grocer	12	Sugar works	1
Brickworks	1	Hall	1	Tailor	3
Bridge	2	Ironmonger	1	Tannery	2
Builder and contractor ...	1	Laundry	1	Timber merchant	2
Buildings, unoccupied ...	11	Leather merchant... ...	2	Tobacco factory	1
Building in course of erection	4	Licensed victualler ...	14	Tobacconist	5
Butcher	3	Manure works	1	Varnish manufacturer ...	1
Cabinet-maker	1	Merchant, general ...	6	Warehouse	7
Cemetery	6	Modeller	1	Wine and spirit merchant..	2
Chemist	1	Newspaper office	1	Wool broker and scourer...	3
Coach and carriage builder...	3	Office	5	Workshop	4
Coffee and spice mill ...	1	Painter and decorator ...	2	Rubbish and grass fires ...	74
Condiment manufacturer...	1	Paper merchant	1		
Confectioner	5	Printer and stationer ...	2		
Dairy	2	Private dwelling	140	Total	422
		Produce merchant ...	5		
		Rackarock factory ...	1		

See note to table No. 25.

No. 27.—Receipts and Disbursements of the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board, 1898.

Receipts.	Amount.	Disbursements.	Amount.
	£		£
Subsidy from Government	6,700	Balance	156
,, Municipalities	6,480	Subsidies paid to Volunteer Fire Companies	2,603
,, Fire Insurance Companies	6,690	Salaries	11,007
Other sources	1,379	Board and other fees	352
Balance	198	Erection of buildings, &c.	1,078
		Repairs	212
		Plant, stores, and clothing	2,483
		Electrical work—telephones, fire-alarms, &c.	451
		Horses—purchase of, fodder and harness	884
		Lighting and fuel...	650
		Miscellaneous	1,571
Total... ... ... £	21,447	Total... ... ... £	21,447

The Net Amount of Risks held by each Fire Insurance Company within the Metropolitan District under the Fire Brigades Act, is given in Part "Financial Institutions."

No. 28.—Country Municipalities to which the Fire Brigades Act has been extended, 1898.

Municipality.	Municipality.	Municipality.	Municipality.
Albury	Forbes	Moama	*Penrith
Armidale	Glen Innes	Molong	*Richmond
Bathurst	Goulburn	Moss Vale	Singleton
Bourke	Grafton	Mudgee	Tamworth
Bowral	Hay	Narrandera	Temora
Braidwood	Inverell	Nowra	Wagga Wagga
Broken Hill	Lismore	Orange	West Maitland
Deniliquin	*Liverpool	Parkes	Wollongong

* Situate in the County of Cumberland and within the Metropolitan District under the Fire Brigades Act. Contributes to the Metropolitan Fire Brigades Board.

Country Fire Brigades.—Under Clause 20 authority is given to extend the provisions of the Fire Brigades Act to the country districts, but owing to an ambiguous clause in the Statute, the Fire Insurance Companies and Municipal Councils do not always consider themselves called upon to contribute towards the expense of maintenance of the Brigades as defined by the Act. The Country Fire Brigades Boards, however, are entitled to receive subsidies from the Government. Some of the abovementioned Municipalities have not taken any further steps than having been gazetted.

No. 29.—Firemen, Calls attended, and Receipts of Country Fire Companies, 1898.

Fire Brigade.	Firemen.		Calls attended.				Receipts during 1898.				
	On the Roll.	Average attendance at each Call.	Actual Fires.	Chimneys.	False Alarms.	Total.	From Government.	From Municipality.	From Fire Insurance Companies.	Subscriptions, Donations, &c.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£
Adamstown	16	14	6	8	24	38	75	...	...	1	76
Albury	20	13	9	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Armidale	12	12	1	2	...	3	33	...	48	...	81
Bathurst	15	10	2	1	...	3	107	107	106	...	320
Bourke†	10	8	6	3	2	11	47	30	41	...	118
Bowral	20	10	3	...	1	4	75	5	...	...	80
Broken Hill	21	10	52	12	10	74	444	266	49	184	943
Carrington	25	18	4	14	12	30	100	...	11	...	111
Cootamundra	15	11	1	...	...	1	...	...	32	...	32
Corowa	21	13	1	2	1	4	50	...	...	46	96
Deniliquin†	18	9	4	1	3	8	...	48	27	...	75
Dubbo	24	11	5	...	1	6	50	38	30	13	131
Forbes	20	14	17	...	3	20	44	35	35	...	114
Glen Innes	16	12	1	1	1	3	106	25	...	...	131
Goulburn (two stations) ...	22	20	11	...	...	11	85	100	...	113	298
Grafton	21	6	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Grafton, South	9	...	...	...	...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Hamilton	12	9	1	3	7	11	75	10	23	...	108
Hay	14	12	7	2	...	9	75	73	37	1	186
Junee	16	10	2	5	...	7	75	...	...	1	76
Kempsey	15	10	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Lambton	15	...	...	...	...	Nil.	75	4	8	1	88
Lambton, New	12	10	1	3	3	7	75	1	...	2	78
Lismore†	16	13	5	1	2	8	97	82	23	1	203
Maitland, East	18	14	2	...	1	3	100	...	23	...	123
Maitland, West	20	15	9	4	6	19	95	138	98	1	332
Merewether	15	13	3	4	3	10	75	5	12	...	92
Minmi	24	15	5	1	1	7	100	...	...	...	100
Moama	8	7	3	...	...	3	68	20	...	...	88
Morpeth	12	11	1	...	...	1	75	...	...	...	75
Moss Vale...	12	7	2	...	...	2	100	15	16	...	131
Mudgee	22	...	...	...	...	Nil.	50	...	...	...	50
Narrandera	15	10	2	...	3	5	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Newcastle, City†	17	13	12	10	...	22	...	...	...	...	...
Newcastle, Central ...	20	14	11	4	11	26	250	25	48	6	329
Newcastle, West	25	14	13	5	6	24	125	...	48	12	185
Newcastle—Sydney Soap and Candle Company*	12	...	...	...	...	Nil.	...	...	...	40	40
Nowra	16	12	1	...	...	1	50	...	13	10	73
Orange	13	10	3	1	4	8	79	50	57	...	186
Parkes	15	12	5	2	...	7	28	20	20	...	68
Queanbeyan	25	14	2	1	...	3	50	...	9	...	59
Richmond	16	...	...	...	...	Nil.	30	...	...	...	30
Singleton	25	...	...	...	...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Stockton	30	20	5	1	...	6	150	...	12	2	164
Tamworth	15	11	7	...	2	9	...	10	55	6	71
Taree	35	14	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Temora‡	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tenterfield	21	15	2	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	Nil.
Tighe's Hill & Islington, No. 1	15	10	3	4	7	14	100	1	...	1	102
" " No. 2	10	7	3	4	9	16	100	2	...	1	103
Wagga Wagga	15	12	11	...	4	15	100	...	66	3	169
Wallsend and Plattsburg...	25	19	1	3	1	5	100	...	22	1	123
Waratah and Mayfield ...	19	10	...	...	1	1	100	8	21	23	152
Wentworth†	30	12	2	...	1	3	...	...	...	2	2
Wickham	21	14	5	2	1	8	100	1	30	2	133
Wollongong	26	14	2	...	...	2	124	...	...	6	130

* Private Brigade. † Return for the year 1897. ‡ No return received.

No. 30.—Plant, and Source of Water Supply, &c., of Country Fire Companies, 1898.

Fire Brigade.	Fire Engines (Manual).	Reels.	Hose Carts.	Hose Length.	Value of Plant, exclusive of Land and Buildings	Source of Water Supply, Number and Capacity of Reservoirs or Tanks, Average Pressure, &c.
	No.	No.	No.	ft.	£	
Adamstown	...	2	1	1,650	263	Hunter District Water Supply.
Albury	...	2	...	2,000	180	Murray River; capacity of tanks, 1,000,000 galls.
Armidale	1	1	...	1,400	350	Street mains, storage dam, 110,000,000 galls., service reservoir, 400,000 galls.; pressure, about 90 lb. to sq. in.
Bathurst	1	1	1	1,820	700	Pumped from Macquarie River, three reservoirs; total capacity, 1,010,000 galls.
Bourke‖	2*	1	...	500	150	Municipal Water Supply from Darling River; capacity of tower, 20,000 galls.; 3-inch mains in bye streets, and 6-inch mains in principal streets.
Bowral	1	...	...	1,000	300	Tanks and wells.
Broken Hill	4†	2	...	3,400	750	Stephen's Creek Water Supply; central reservoir, 1,300,000, galls.; pressure, 45 lb. to sq. in.
Carrington	...	2	...	1,200	205	Hunter District Water Supply; pressure, 45 lb. to 65 lb. to sq. in.
Cootamundra ...	...	1	...	1,400	177	Cootamundra Waterworks, service reservoir, 250,000 galls.; supplementary supply, 136,000,000 galls.; pressure, 56 lb. to sq. in.
Corowa	1	1	1‡	1,575	257	Tanks and wells.
Deniliquin‖	1	2	...	1,200	350	Deniliquin Waterworks; tank capacity, 112,000 galls.
Dubbo	...	1	...	900	125	Water is pumped from a well into a reservoir of 337,000 galls.; pressure, 42 lb. to sq. in.
Forbes	2	2	...	1,000	400	Town supplied from reservoir on Camp Hill; mains, 3 in. to 6 in.; pressure, about 30 lb. to sq. in.
Glen Innes	1	...	...	1,500	400	Thirty chains of 2-in. water-pipe, connected with tanks holding 16,000 galls.
Goulburn (2 stations)	2	2	1‡	3,654	658	Wollondilly River; capacity of settling tank, 2,388,000 galls., and of reservoir, 265,000 galls.; pressure of the city, 50 lb. to sq. in.
Grafton	1	...	...	300	300	Wells, tanks, and river.
Grafton, South ...	1	...	...	480	100	do do
Hamilton	...	2	...	1,700	350	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, 50 lb. to sq. in.
Hay	1	2	...	1,500	550	Murrumbidgee River, two tanks, 40,000 and 30,000 galls. respectively; pressure, 18 lb. to sq. in.
Junee...	...	1	...	600	80	Water obtained by gravitation from Bethungra, one reservoir; average pressure, 83 lb. to sq. in.
Kempsey	1	...	...	700	100	Macleay River and underground tanks.
Lambton	2	2	...	2,400	500	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, 45 lb. to sq. in.
Lambton, New ...	...	1	...	700	66	Hunter District Water Supply.
Lismore‖	2	2	1	2,000	760	Reservoir, 126 feet above town level, 72,000 galls.; pressure, 55 lb. to sq. in.
Maitland, East ...	1	2	1	1,000	220	Hunter District Water Supply; pressure, 45 lb. to sq. in.
Maitland, West ...	1	1	2§	3,236	674	Hunter District Water Supply; mains, 6, 4, and 3 in.; pressure, 53 lb. to sq. in.; hydrants at reasonable distances apart; Resident Superintendent and firemen on premises all night. Telephonic alarms are placed throughout the town.

* Includes one chemical. † Includes one steam-engine. ‡ Ladder waggon. § Includes one ladder waggon and escape.
‖ Return for the year 1897.

No. 30.—Plant, and Source of Water Supply, &c., of Country Fire Companies, 1898—*continued.*

Fire Brigade.	Fire Engines (Manual).	Reels.	Hose Carts.	Hose Length.	Value of Plant, exclusive of Land and Buildings	Source of Water Supply, Number and Capacity of Reservoirs or Tanks, Average Pressure, &c.
	No.	No.	No.	ft.	£	
Merewether	...	2	1	1,500	130	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, 40 lb. to sq. in.
Minmi	1	1	1	1,725	350	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; 69,200 galls.; pressure, 36 lb. to sq. in.
Moama	1	1	...	1,000	213	Moama Water Supply, tank, 33,000 galls.; pressure, 25 lb. to sq. in.
Morpeth	...	1	...	750	45	Hunter District Water Supply; pressure, 40 lb. to sq. in.
Moss Vale	...	1	...	900	100	Wingecarribee River; reservoir dam, 2,500,000 galls.; service reservoir, 500,000 galls.; mains laid throughout the town; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Mudgee	1	...	...	180	300	Water works not yet complete.
Narrandera	...	1	...	1,350	100	Murrumbidgee River, one reservoir of 100,000 galls.; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Newcastle, City§ ...	3	3	...	1,400	600	Hunter District Water Supply; two reservoirs, capacity, 523,600 galls. and 137,130 galls. respectively, and one tank 20,000 galls.; pressure, 80 lb. to sq. in.
Newcastle, Central ...	...	2	...	2,200	319	Hunter District Water Supply; pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Newcastle, West ...	2*	3	1	2,700	2,000	Hunter District Water Supply; one reservoir, about 4,000,000 galls., and one tank, 10,000 galls; pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Newcastle — Sydney Soap and Candle Co.‡	...	...	1	650	80	Hunter District Water Supply; average pressure, about 50 lb. to sq. in.
Nowra	...	1	...	850	93	Camp Creek, on top of Cambewarra Mountain, one reservoir, 100,000 galls.; pressure in town, 68 lb. to sq. in.
Orange	1	1	...	1,000	340	Orange Water Supply; reservoir, 125,000,000 galls.; average pressure, 50 lb. to sq. in.
Parkes	1	1	...	760	360	Bunbury Mountains, storage reservoir, 57,000,000 galls.; Parkes service reservoir, 300,000 galls.; average pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Queanbeyan	2	...	...	720	212	Queanbeyan River, one portable tank, 300 galls.; one fixed tank, 600 galls.; 1 tank, 1,000 galls. on stand.
Richmond	...	1	...	800	56	Hawkesbury River, Richmond Water Supply Works.
Singleton	1	...	1†	400	300	Hunter River, Municipal tank, 6,000 galls.
Stockton	2*	...	1	2,200	900	Hunter River; large well, also tank, 5,000 galls., and two old shafts in the township.
Tamworth	1	...	...	1,250	350	Tamworth Water Supply.
Taree...	1	...	...	300	75	Manning River and private tanks.
Tenterfield	1	...	...	480	107	Wells and tanks.
Tighe's Hill and Islington, No. 1.	...	2	...	1,800	200	Hunter District Water Supply.
Tighe's Hill and Islington, No. 2.	...	1	1†	1,000	94	do do
Wagga Wagga ...	1	2	...	900	265	Murrumbidgee River, one reservoir, 1,000,000 galls.; pressure, 75 lb. to sq. in.
Wallsend and Plattsburg.	1	2	1	2,500	370	Hunter District Water Supply, one reservoir; pressure, 60 lb. to sq. in.
Waratah and Mayfield	1	2	1	2,100	316	Hunter District Water Supply.
Wentworth§ ...	...	1	...	1,100	100	Murray River, one tank, 35,000 galls.; average pressure, 35 lb. to sq. in.
Wickham	...	2	...	2,000	224	Hunter District Water Supply, pressure, 60 to 70 lb. to sq. in.
Wollongong	1	...	...	700	200	Underground wells and tanks.

* Includes one steam-engine. † Ladder waggon. ‡ Private brigade. § Return for the year 1897.

No. 31.—Inquests on Fires, 1889-98.

Year.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.					Year.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.				
		Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.			Accidental	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.
1889	104	18	25	60	1	...	1894	173	13	44	113	1	2
1890	111	11	34	66	...	...	1895	157	16	32	108	...	1
1891	120	13	32	74	1	...	1896	120	5	24	90	...	1
1892	139	19	29	91	...	...	1897	186	17	48	120	...	1
1893	167	18	50	96	...	3	1898	150	13	46	91	...	...

Inquests on Fires.—Act 24 Vic. No. 10 provides that "when any property, real or personal, shall be destroyed or damaged by fire, the Coroner having or exercising jurisdiction at or in the place where such fire shall have happened, shall, if he consider it a fit case for so doing, make an inquisition into the cause and origin of such fire." Jurors and witnesses are summoned, and the mode of procedure is the same as in inquests in cases of deaths. The Coroner can, if the jury find that any person has wilfully set fire to property, exercise the same authority as in the cases of persons charged with murder or manslaughter.

No. 32.—Inquests on Fires, 1898.

Electorate.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.					Electorate.	Fire Inquests.	Verdicts.				
		Accidental.	Arson.	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.			Accidental.	Arson	Not sufficient evidence.	Carelessness.	No verdict returned.
Albury	3	1	1	1	...	...	Lachlan, The ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Argyle	1	...	...	1	...	...	Lismore	2	...	...	2	...	...
Armidale	3	...	2	1	...	...	Macquarie	1	...	1	...	...	...
Ashburnham ...	7	...	3	4	...	...	Macquarie, West ...	3	...	1	2	...	...
Barwon	4	1	3	...	...	...	Maitland, East ...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Bathurst	1	...	1	...	...	...	Monaro	1	...	1	...	...	...
Bega	2	...	2	...	...	...	Manning, The ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Bingara	1	...	...	1	...	...	Molong	2	...	1	1	...	...
Boorowa	3	...	...	3	...	...	Moruya	1	...	1	...	...	...
Bourke	3	...	...	3	...	...	Murray, The ...	3	...	...	3	...	...
Bowral	3	1	...	2	...	...	Murrumbidgee, The	4	...	...	4	...	...
Braidwood	6	...	5	1	...	...	Nepean, The ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Broken Hill ...	3	...	...	3	...	...	Northumberland ...	1	...	1	...	...	...
Camden	2	...	...	2	...	...	Parramatta... ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Canterbury ...	2	...	...	2	...	...	Richmond, The ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Cobar	5	1	2	2	...	...	Singleton	1	...	...	1	...	...
Condoublin ...	5	...	...	5	...	...	Sydney	8	1	5	2	...	...
Coonamble ...	2	1	...	1	...	...	Tamworth	2	...	...	2	...	...
Cowra	3	...	...	3	...	...	Tenterfield	2	1	...	1	...	...
Deniliquin	1	...	1	...	...	...	Tumut	1	...	...	1	...	...
Dubbo	1	...	...	1	...	...	Tweed, The	3	...	...	3	...	...
Eden-Bombala ...	3	1	...	2	...	...	Uralla-Walcha ...	3	...	3	...	...	...
Glen Innes... ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	Wagga Wagga ...	3	...	1	2	...	...
Granville	1	1	...	...	...	...	Wellington ...	2	...	...	2	...	...
Grenfell	10	...	3	7	...	...	Wentworth ...	1	...	...	1	...	...
Gunnedah	3	1	...	2	...	...	Wilcannia	3	...	...	3	...	...
Hartley	2	1	...	1	...	...	Yass	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hay	3	1	1	1	...	...	Young	8	...	4	4	...	...
Illawarra	2	...	...	2	...	...							
Kiama	1	...	...	1	...	...	Total... ...	150	13	46	91	...	...

No. 33.—Operations of the Metropolitan Transit Commission, 1890–98.

Year.	Annual Licenses issued.				Annual License Fees received.				Total.	
	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Receipts (Fees, Fines, &c.)	Disbursements.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
1890	2,135	2,537	32	4,704	4,049	1,092	8	5,149	5,813	4,994
1891	2,225	2,584	21	4,830	3,897	1,084	5	4,986	5,740	5,450
1892	2,272	2,751	21	5,044	4,001	1,165	5	5,171	5,859	5,171
1893	2,180	2,664	15	4,859	3,930	1,120	4	5,054	5,583	5,054
1894	2,084	2,570	24	4,678	3,794	1,090	6	4,890	5,387	4,890
1895	2,081	2,542	57	4,680	3,924	1,077	14	5,015	5,593	5,492
1896	1,992	2,432	61	4,485	3,832	818	15	4,665	5,169	5,216
1897	1,876	2,362	72	4,310	3,594	796	18	4,408	4,972	5,101
1898	1,840	2,314	65	4,219	3,649	789	16	4,454	5,106	5,346

Licenses for Public Vehicles.—Prior to 1873 the regulation of street traffic was under the City Council. In that year an Act (36 Vic. No. 14) was passed, which transferred the control of the traffic to three Transit Commissioners, the number of whom was increased in 1886 to four by Act 50 Vic. No. 14. The Board consists of the Mayor of Sydney (Chairman), the Inspector-General of Police, a representative of the suburban municipalities, and the fourth is elected by the licensees coming under the Act. The two latter are annually elected.

No. 34.—Operations of the Metropolitan Transit Commission, 1898.

Class of Vehicles.	Annual Licenses issued.				Annual License Fees received.				Total.	
	Vehicles	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Vehicles.	Drivers.	Conductors.	Total.	Receipts (Fees, Fines, &c.)	Disbursements.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£	£	£	£
Omnibuses	359	595	65	1,031	1,763	216	16	1,995	5,106	5,346
Waggonettes	12									
Cabs	992	1,236	...	2,228	1,429	453	...	1,882		
Drays and Vans ...	477	483	...	960	457	120	...	577		
Total ...	1,840	2,314	65	4,219	3,649	789	16	4,454	5,106	5,346

No. 35.—Water Rights Act.

The Water Rights Act vests all large natural supplies of water in the Crown, and establishes a system of licenses for works for water conservation, irrigation, and drainage. Before the passing of the Act such works on creeks and rivers constructed by private individuals were unprotected, and were liable to be destroyed by any person who considered that the existence of the work was opposed to his interests. Under the Water Rights Act questions as to the propriety of licensing works are decided after full inquiry, and when a license is granted for any work any interference with that work is illegal. The Act acknowledges the right of riparian owners to water for domestic and stock purposes and for the irrigation of gardens not exceeding 5 acres in extent. Since the Act came into operation about 600 applications for licenses have been received. These in the great majority of cases relate to dams on creeks and rivers, but a considerable number are for licenses to use pumping engines for irrigation and other purposes, while a few are for cuttings or channels to divert water for similar uses. The security provided under the Act is stimulating the construction of new works of a better class throughout the country, and applications for licenses for these are steadily coming in.

Under section 4 of the Water Rights Act, the Government is empowered to carry out works for water conservation, irrigation, and drainage, in cases where the landholders concerned are willing to pay interest on the outlay. Petitions have been received in several cases of this description, and the proposals are now being dealt with.

No. 36.—Irrigation Trusts.

Irrigation Trusts have been established at Balranald, Hay, and Wentworth. The Municipal Councils of these towns were constituted Trustees, the area made over to them in each case being the temporary Commons.

Balranald Irrigation Trust.

The provisions of the Act (56 Vic. No. 26), passed June, 1893, establishing this Trust, are almost identical with those relating to the Hay and Wentworth Irrigation Trusts. As in those cases, the land forming this Trust is a portion of the temporary Common. The Act limits the area any one person may lease to a maximum of 40 and a minimum of 5 acres, and no person under 18 years of age, nor a married woman, is allowed to hold a lease. Up to the end of 1893, 1,000 acres had been surveyed into lots of 5 to 40 acres, but, as the by-laws framed by the Trustees had not then received the sanction of the Minister, these lots had not been thrown open. During 1895, however, the Minister's approval was obtained, and several blocks have been taken up.

The Trustees being of opinion that it would be advisable for an irrigation scheme to be carried out at Balranald in a similar manner to that at Wentworth, petitioned for the dissolution of the Trust, and the Government has now this matter under consideration. All surveys and levels necessary for the irrigation scheme have been completed.

Hay Irrigation Trust.

This Trust was established under Act 55 Vic. No. 25 (passed March, 1892), the provisions of which are practically the same as those of the Wentworth Irrigation Act. The land set apart formed part of the temporary Common, and comprised 12,847 acres. Any person (except Asiatic) can select and hold from 5 to 40 acres. The land was only thrown open in December, 1893, and up to 31st December, 1894, 62 holdings, embracing an area of 778 acres, had been applied for. The principal crops planted were barley, wheat, and oats During 1895 an Act was passed excluding certain portions of the town and suburban lands of Hay from the irrigation area. A further amending Act, passed in 1896, entirely remodelled the Trust, and it now consists of six members, three of whom belong to the Public Service. The irrigation works were completed by an engineer appointed by the Government, and the area of land originally made over to the Trust was reduced to about 3,000 acres.

Wentworth Irrigation Trust.

This Trust was established under Act 54 Vic. No. 7 (passed September, 1890). The Trustees, being members of the Municipal Council of Wentworth, were empowered to tap the rivers Darling and Murray, and to construct dams and erect pumping machinery for irrigation purposes and, upon obtaining permission from the Governor-in-Council, to borrow money for these purposes. The area under the Trust consisted of 10,600 acres, and was a portion of the temporary Common already vested in the Municipal Council. The Trust was empowered to lease portions for any term not exceeding three years or, with the sanction of the Minister for Public Works, for any term not exceeding thirty years, and to supply water to persons outside as well as inside the irrigation area. An amount of £1,000 was spent in "Preliminary Expenses" during 1894, but up to the end of that year no portions had been leased by the Trust. Advantage was taken of a clause in the Act, providing for the dissolution of the Trust. The Government, who have now all the powers conferred by the Statute, completed the work contemplated in the Act.

The necessary levels have been taken and plans prepared for the irrigation of about 1,500 acres; but in the first instance the area to be thrown open for irrigation settlement is about 566 acres. The remainder will be offered periodically as the demand requires. The lots range in area from 5 to 26 acres and every lot is being provided with at least one outlet for water from an adjacent distributary. The water will be supplied from the river Murray by means of a centrifugal pump which is already in position. The channels for the distribution of the water are complete, an engineer and manager have been appointed by the Government, and the letting of the land only awaits the publication of Regulations, which are being prepared by the Crown Solicitor.

No. 37.—Labour Settlements.

For particulars regarding the Labour Settlements situated at Bega and Wilberforce, see Part "Land Settlement."

No. 38.—Roads of New South Wales.

Classification	Metalled, Gravelled, Ballasted, or Corduroyed.	Formed.	Cleared and Drained.	Cleared only.	Bush or Untouched Road.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
Scheduled, outside Municipalities	7,088	4,911	4,720	6,740	4,889	28,348
Scheduled, within Municipalities	509	67	21	73	37	707
Unclassified, outside Municipalities ...	307	667	880	2,329	8,457	12,640
Unclassified, within Municipalities... ...	94	28	1	12	8	143
Roads within Municipalities (under Municipal Councils).	2,381	1,319	523	1,328	1,829	*7,380
	10,379	6,992	6,145	10,482	15,220	49,218
			49,218			
Classified Roads under Trustees	...	...	...	461		
Unclassified Roads under Trustees... ...	...	...	...	237		
Total Roads of New South Wales ...	...	...	...	49,916		

* Of these roads, 1,156 miles are subsidised by the Government.

Parish Roads Trusts.—Prior to the passing of the Municipalities Act of 1858, Parish Roads Trusts were appointed to construct and maintain roads in certain localities, and the expenditure connected therewith was defrayed from the tolls collected and also grants from the Treasury. Eleven Roads Trusts were established, but with one exception, operations were confined to districts within the county of Cumberland.

On the 1st May, 1890, it was resolved by the Legislative Assembly, "That in the opinion of this House all Public Tolls should be abolished." As tolls formed the chief item of Revenue, the operations of the Trusts then existing have gradually ceased, and only the South Head Roads Trust is now active. The expenditure during the year ended 30th June, 1899, was £2,795, the balance in hand being £1,502.

District Councils.—With the exception of the Maitland Council which has 44 miles of road under care, all the District Councils have ceased to exist, and, on account of the abolition of tolls in 1890, the Maitland Council has only been able to continue its operations as a Roads Trust, placed on the same footing as the Classified Roads Trusts under the Works Department.

No. 39.—Parks and Recreation Reserves within the Metropolitan Area.

Situation.	Area.		
	a.	r.	p.
Sydney—			
Moore Park...	445	0	0
Phillip do	4	2	0
Cook do	3	2	0
Prince Alfred Park	18	3	0
Belmore Park	10	0	0
Hyde Park	40	0	0
Observatory Park	6	1	0
Wynyard do	2	0	0
The Domain	90	0	0
Botanic Gardens and Garden Palace Grounds	60	0	0
Reserve, Macquarie Place... ...	0	1	21
Do Church Hill	0	2	37¾
Do Argyle-street and Argyle Place	0	0	33
Reserve between Victoria Barracks and Park Road	0	3	37⅗
Reserve No. 46 near Fort Macquarie	0	0	23
Rushcutter's Bay—part (see also Woollahra)—about	13	0	0
Reserve, Burton-street, Darlinghurst	1	0	0
Do do do ...	0	1	14
Wentworth Park—part (see also under Unincorporated)—about	6	2	0
Alexandria—			
Alexandria Park	10	0	0
Erskineville Park—part (see also Erskineville)—about	14	3	8
Annandale—			
Recreation Reserve, Piper-street—about	0	3	28
Ashfield—			
Ashfield Park	15	1	19
Auburn—			
Auburn Park	8	0	26
Balmain—			
Easton Park	4	3	17
Gladstone Park	5	0	0¼
Birchgrove do	13	2	18
Elkington do—about	6	0	0
Botany—			
Banks Meadow Recreation Reserve	10	2	25¼
Do do do	5	0	0
Booralee Park	10	0	0
Burwood—			
Burwood Park	15	0	0
Camperdown—			
Camperdown Park...	11	1	8½
Victoria Park (University) ...	23	3	16
Canterbury—			
Canterbury Park	19	0	20¾
Reserve on Punch Bowl Road ...	25	2	2
Croydon Park	9	0	35
Concord—			
Public Park at Longbottom ...	66	2	15
Reserve, Village of Longbottom ...	34	3	30
Do at Cabarita Point ...	24	1	0
Do Hen and Chickens Bay ...	3	1	20
Do No. 79, Hen and Chickens Bay	3	0	34
Reserve No. 80	5	2	20
Do No. 81	1	0	30
Do at Bray's Bay	4	1	0

Situation.	Area.		
	a.	r.	p.
Drummoyne—			
Recreation Reserve	1	2	0
Do	0	1	34
Enfield—			
Enfield Park	25	3	2½
Erskineville—			
Erskineville Park—part (see also Alexandria)—about	8	0	0
Five Dock—			
Five Dock Park	21	2	27
Hunter's Hill—			
Boronia Park	62	2	0
Hurstville—			
Seaforth Park	4	0	0¾
Peakhurst Park	112	0	0
Reserve at Como	11	1	38¾
Kogarah—			
Kogarah Park	10	2	6
Lane Cove—			
Reserve at Gore Cove	0	0	16
Do Tambourine Bay ...	4	0	34
Do Burns' Bay	1	0	0
Do Fig-tree Bridge ...	1	1	22½
Do Longueville	4	0	39
Do do	1	0	22
Do do	3	0	0
Do Greenwich	0	2	0½
Fidden's Wharf Reserve, No. 9,474	18	3	21
Reserve at Northwood	1	0	38¼
Leichhardt—			
Leichhardt Park	31	3	0
Manly—			
Manly Park	12	2	22
Esplanade Park	14	0	0
East Esplanade Park	2	2	0
Central Park	1	3	22
Kangaroo do	3	0	0
Tower Hill do	1	3	20
Gilbert Park	0	0	31
The Steyne	8	3	6
South Steyne	1	2	0
Reserve at Balgowlah	5	2	23
Do do	10	3	0
Do Portion No. 84	29	0	0
Do Adjoining The Steyne ...	4	0	15
Do do Esplanade Park	0	2	20
Do do do ...	0	3	31
Do do do ...	0	0	10
Marrickville—			
Marrickville Park	10	0	0
Reserve on Cook's River at Tempe	4	0	19
Marsfield—			
Reserve, portions 652, 653, 658, 659	23	1	7
Do No. 12,560	2	0	16
Do Part of portion 512, about	19	0	0
Do Brown's Waterhole ...	18	2	32
Do Blaxland's do ...	22	3	35
Mosman—			
Curraghbeena Park	3	2	7
The Spit Reserve, Middle Harbour	18	1	2
Balmoral Park	8	2	10
Reserve at Chinaman's Beach ...	2	0	28
Do No. 27,961, on Military Road	16	0	6
Do No. 27,962, near Bradley's Head	14	0	14

No. 39.—Parks and Recreation Reserves within the Metropolitan Area—*contd.*

Situation.	Area.		
	a.	r.	p.
North Sydney—			
St. Leonards Park	40	2	11
Camaray do	48	3	21
Lavender Bay Baths and Public Recreation	1	0	32
Reserve, Town of North Sydney ...	0	1	32
Do Neutral Bay	4	1	16
Do do	1	1	34
Do do	2	1	37
Paddington—			
Hampden Park	14	0	22
Petersham—			
Petersham Park	8	3	3
Randwick—			
Centennial Park—part (see also Waverley)	455	0	0
Randwick Park	25	0	0
Bangor do	3	3	36
Milton do	2	1	10
Neptune do	1	0	25
Smithfield do	3	0	0
Hampstead do	1	2	30
Writtle do	1	0	19
Blenheim do	3	0	15
Reserve at Allison-street	4	2	1
Do Little Coogee	2	2	9
Do do	5	2	0
Do Avoca-street and Belmore Road	0	2	35
Do Swamp-street, Coogee ..	2	1	20
Do do do ...	2	1	14
Do Neptune and Dudley Streets	2	1	4
Do do do ...	1	1	37
Do Shark Point, Coogee ...	10	2	0
Do Coogee Beach	8	3	16
Do do	2	1	28
Do do	4	0	0
Do do	4	3	0
Do do	3	0	16
Public Baths do	2	2	17
Do do	1	1	24
Cricket Ground at Coogee... ...	4	0	0
Randwick Racecourse	202	0	0
Reserve, Orange-street and Frenchman's-road	0	1	26½
Do No. 23,068, at La Perouse, Botany	816	0	0
Redfern—			
Redfern Park	11	3	24½
Rockdale—			
Arncliffe Park	9	2	13¼
Scarborough Park	97	0	0
Cook do (Botany Bay)...	64	0	0

Situation.	Area.		
	a.	r.	p.
Ryde—			
Reserve No. 4,785	85	2	28
Do at mouth of Buffalo Creek	19	1	20
Do on Pittwater Road ...	5	1	13
Do on Lane Cove River ...	10	2	6
Do do ...	7	1	23
Do part of portion 512, about	15	0	0
Do at Ryde	0	0	14
St. Peter's—			
St. Peter's Park	10	0	0
Do do Additional area ...	1	3	21¼
Vaucluse—			
Gap Park	9	1	4
Camp Cove Park	0	2	20
Reserve at Watson's Bay	0	1	16¼
Waterloo—			
Waterloo Park	7	1	1
Waverley—			
Waverley Park	27	2	10
Dickson do	2	2	37¼
Varna do	3	2	22½
Simpson do	0	1	33¾
Macpherson do	0	2	30¼
Bronte do	14	0	0
Bondi do	28	0	2¾
Centennial do part (see also Randwick)—about	75	0	0
Willoughby—			
Reserve near Figtree Point ...	0	2	11
Do between Figtree and Mowbray Points	5	1	25
Do Mowbray Point	5	0	23
Do No. 43, Main Arm of Middle Harbour ...	37	0	0
Do No. 21,525, Elizabeth Road	0	3	23
Woollahra—			
The Steyne, Double Bay	3	0	35
Do do	0	1	4
Rose Bay Park	7	0	0
Rushcutter's Bay Park—part (see also Sydney)—about	14	1	13
Bellevue Park	1	0	25
Unincorporated area—			
Part of Wentworth Park, being reclaimed land between the City boundary and the Glebe ... (For balance of Park see Sydney.)	23	1	32
Port Jackson—Clark Island ...	1	2	35
Do Schnapper Island...	0	1	24
Do Rodd Island ...	1	0	23
Do Shark Island ...	2	3	27
Total	3,953	1	8⅗

Trustees of Parks.—Under the "Public Parks Act of 1884," which repealed a statute passed in 1854, the Governor may appoint Trustees of any lands proclaimed for the purposes of public recreation, convenience, health, or enjoyment. The Trustees are empowered to frame by-laws for the protection of shrubs, trees, &c., upon the land vested in them, and to regulate the use and enjoyment of such land by the public.

"National" Parks.—The National Park, 36,320 acres, at Port Hacking; Kuring-gai Chase, 35,300 acres, on the Hawkesbury River; Parramatta Park, 252 acres, at Parramatta, are outside the Metropolitan area, but may be specially mentioned on account of their "national" character. The Centennial Park, 530 acres, divided between the Municipalities of Randwick and Waverley; as also Moore Park, 445 acres, The Domain, 90 acres, and the Botanic Gardens and Garden Palace grounds, 60 acres, situate in the City of Sydney, may also be designated "national" parks.

No. 40.—Parliaments elected under Constitution Act.

Parliament.	Opened.	Dissolved.	Duration.	Sessions.
			y. m. d.	
First	22 May, 1856	19 December, 1857	1 6 27	2
Second	23 March, 1858	11 April, 1859	1 0 19	2
Third	30 August, 1859	10 November, 1860	1 2 11	2
Fourth	10 January, 1861	10 November, 1864	3 10 0	5
Fifth	24 January, 1865	15 November, 1869	4 9 22	6
Sixth	27 January, 1870	3 February, 1872	2 0 7	3
Seventh	30 April, 1872	28 November, 1874	2 6 29	4
Eighth	27 January, 1875	12 October, 1877	2 8 15	3
Ninth	27 November, 1877	9 November, 1880	2 11 13	3
Tenth	15 December, 1880	23 November, 1882	1 11 8	3
Eleventh	3 January, 1883	7 October, 1885	2 9 4	6
Twelfth	17 November, 1885	26 January, 1887	1 2 9	2
Thirteenth	8 March, 1887	19 January, 1889	1 10 11	3
Fourteenth	27 February, 1889	6 June, 1891	2 3 10	4
Fifteenth	14 July, 1891	25 June, 1894	2 11 12	4
Sixteenth	7 August, 1894	5 July, 1895	0 10 29	1
Seventeenth	13 August, 1895	8 July, 1898	2 10 26	4
Eighteenth	16 August, 1898	.....	.....	..
	Average		2 3 27	3 to 4

Constitution Act.—"An Act to confer a Constitution on New South Wales" (Imperial Act 18 and 19 Vic. ch. 54) received the Royal Assent on 16th July, 1855, and was amended in 1884 (47 Vic. No. 5). The Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly correspond, as far as is practicable, with the two Houses of the Imperial Parliament.

Legislative Council.—No maximum number of members of the Legislative Council is fixed by the Constitution Act, but the minimum number is set down at twenty-one. In December, 1898, the number of members was fifty-seven, and in October, 1899, there were sixty-nine. They receive no allowance for expenses, but are privileged to travel free over the State railways and tramways in the Colony. Although the appointment is for life, a member forfeits his seat by absence from two consecutive Sessions without leave, by becoming bankrupt, and on account of other reasons, and he may voluntarily resign at any time.

Legislative Assembly.—The first Parliament under the Constitution Act met on 22nd May, 1856. The duration of Parliament was originally fixed at 5 years, but in 1874 an Act was passed establishing triennial Parliaments. In September 1889, an Act was assented to, allowing each member (not holding office as a Minister, Speaker, or Chairman of Committees) the sum of £300 per annum as a reimbursement of expenses incurred in the discharge of Parliamentary duties. Members also travel free over the State railways and tramways in the Colony, and are provided with official stamped envelopes to the value of £15 per annum for the free transmission of correspondence through the post. Under the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893, New South Wales has been divided into 125 electorates, each of which has one member to represent it in the Legislative Assembly.

Presidents of Legislative Council and Speakers of Legislative Assembly.—During the eighteen Parliaments there have been seven Presidents of the Legislative Council, and eight Members of the Legislative Assembly have filled the office of Speaker. The salaries voted for 1898–99 for these offices were £1,100 and £1,370 respectively.

Chairmen of Committees.—The Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly each elects one of its members as Chairman of Committees, the salaries for 1898-99 being £470 and £740 respectively.

No. 41.—Ministries and duration of Office, 1856–99.

No.	Ministry.	From—	To—	Duration.	No.	Ministry.	From—	To—	Duration.
				m. d.					m. d.
1	Donaldson	6 June, 1856	25 Aug., 1856	2 19	16	Parkes	22 Mar., 1877	16 Aug., 1877	4 24
2	Cowper	26 Aug., 1856	2 Oct., 1856	1 6	17	Robertson	17 Aug., 1877	17 Dec., 1877	4 0
3	Parker	3 Oct., 1856	7 Sept., 1857	11 5	18	Farnell	18 Dec., 1877	20 Dec., 1878	12 3
4	Cowper	7 Sept., 1857	26 Oct., 1859	25 20	19	Parkes	21 Dec., 1878	4 Jan., 1883	48 16
5	Forster	27 Oct., 1859	8 Mar., 1860	4 11	20	Stuart	5 Jan., 1883	6 Oct., 1885	33 2
6	Robertson	9 Mar., 1860	9 Jan., 1861	10 0	21	Dibbs	7 Oct., 1885	21 Dec., 1885	2 14
7	Cowper	10 Jan., 1861	15 Oct., 1863	33 7	22	Robertson	22 Dec., 1885	25 Feb., 1886	2 3
8	Martin	16 Oct., 1863	2 Feb., 1865	15 18	23	Jennings	26 Feb., 1886	19 Jan., 1887	10 24
9	Cowper	3 Feb., 1865	21 Jan., 1866	11 19	24	Parkes	20 Jan., 1887	16 Jan., 1889	23 27
10	Martin	22 Jan., 1866	26 Oct., 1868	33 6	25	Dibbs	17 Jan., 1889	7 Mar., 1889	1 20
11	Robertson	27 Oct., 1868	12 Jan., 1870	14 16	26	Parkes	8 Mar., 1889	22 Oct., 1891	31 16
12	Cowper	13 Jan., 1870	15 Dec., 1870	11 3	27	Dibbs	23 Oct., 1891	2 Aug., 1894	33 11
13	Martin	16 Dec., 1870	13 May, 1872	16 28	28	Reid	3 Aug., 1894	14 Sept., 1899	61 12
14	Parkes	14 May, 1872	8 Feb., 1875	32 26	29	Lyne	15 Sept., 1899	Still in office.	.....
15	Robertson	9 Feb., 1875	21 Mar., 1877	25 13					

No. 42.—Members of the Cabinet.

Executive Council.—The Executive Council is composed of the Governor and the members of the Cabinet.

The Schedule of the Constitution Act Amendment Act (47 Vic. No. 5) enumerates the following Officers of State as the only persons holding an office of profit under the Crown who shall be capable of being elected as Members of the Assembly:—

	Salary. £		Salary. £		Salary. £
Colonial Secretary	1,820	Secretary for Public Works	1,370	Secretary for Mines and Agriculture	1,370
Colonial Treasurer	1,370	Minister of Justice	1,370	Postmaster-General	1,370
Attorney-General	1,820	Minister of Public Instruction	1,370		
Secretary for Lands	1,370				

The Cabinet sometimes includes a tenth member, having a seat in the Legislative Council, who is appointed Vice-President of the Executive Council and Representative of the Government in the Upper House, but holds no portfolio.

No. 43.—Public and Private Acts passed by Parliament of New South Wales, 1898.

17TH PARLIAMENT.—FOURTH SESSION FROM 21ST JUNE TO 8TH JULY, 1898 (Dissolved).

PUBLIC ACTS.

No.
1. Consolidated Revenue Fund.
2. Parliamentary Elections (Polling).
3. Immigration Restriction.
4. Trustee.
5. Audit.
6. Impounding.
7. Liens on Crops and Wool and Stock Mortgages.
8. Coroners.
9. Banks and Bank Holidays.
10. Bills of Sale.
11. Evidence.
12. Evidence (Penalties).
13. Wills, Probate, and Administration.
14. Pastures and Stock Protection.
15. Commons Regulation.
16. Public Hospitals.
17. Conveyancing and Law of Property.
18. Liquor.
19. Weights and Measures.
20. Cattle Driving.
21. Naturalization and Denization.
22. Legal Practitioners.
23. Newspapers.
24. Auctioneers' Licensing.
25. Bankruptcy.
26. Medical Practitioners.
27. Stamp Duties.
28. Statute Law Revision.

18TH PARLIAMENT.—FIRST SESSION FROM 16TH AUGUST TO 23RD DECEMBER, 1898.

PUBLIC ACTS.

No.
29. Consolidated Revenue Fund.
30. Accused Persons Evidence.
31. Broken Hill Trades Hall Site.
32. Customs Duties.
33. Metropolitan Water (Camden).
34. Port Kembla Harbour.
35. Appropriation.
36. Loan.
37. Land and Income Tax (Declaratory).
38. Crown Lands.
39. Strathfield Railway Crossing.
40. The Rock to Green's Gunyah Railway.
41. Koorawatha to Grenfell Railway.
42. Byrock to Brewarrina Railway.
43. Distress for Rent Restriction.
44. Dog and Goat.
45. Lunacy.
46. Seamen.
47. Foreign Seamen.

PRIVATE ACTS.

Mort's Dock and Engineering Company (Limited) Enabling.
Borough of Lithgow Validating.

Bills for Public Purposes.—A Bill for the paving, lighting, draining, or otherwise improving any town or district, or for supplying the same with water, is deemed a Public Bill.

Public Bills.—*How initiated.*—The Constitution Act provides that all money Bills must be introduced in the Lower House. All other public Bills may be initiated in either Chamber on a motion for leave to bring in the Bill, or by a resolution reported from a Committee of the Whole, and adopted by the House.

Royal Assent.—The Governor acts as Viceroy to give the Royal Assent to, or to veto, Acts passed by the Legislature.

Reserved Bills.—There are eight classes of Bills which the Governor must reserve for the special consideration of the Sovereign. Amongst these are Divorce Bills, Bills affecting the currency, and Bills conflicting with Imperial Treaty obligations.

Enrolment.—After receiving the Royal assent the Bill is numbered and dated. A new series of numbers commences with each secular year. The Act is then transmitted by the Clerk of Parliaments to the Registrar-General, and enrolled and recorded by him within ten days from the day on which the same shall become law, as provided by the Deeds Registration Act (7 Vic. No. 16).

Private Bills may be initiated in either Chamber. Notice of intention to apply for a private Bill must be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the *Gazette*, and in at least one Sydney newspaper and one or more newspapers published in or nearest the District affected by the Bill. In these notices the general objects of the Bill must be stated. Before a private Bill can be read a first time, £25 must be paid to the Consolidated Revenue, and whenever the expenses necessary to such Bill exceed that amount, a further payment of £25 is required. The Bill having been read a first time, is referred to a Select Committee, who may hear counsel, and if the Bill is favourably reported upon, it is proceeded with as in the case of a Public Bill.

Private Acts not numbered.—Private Acts are not numbered.

No. 44.—Royal Commissions of Inquiry, 1880–99.

Name of Commission.	Number of Commissioners.	Period of Sitting.
Fisheries	14	6th January, 1880, to 3rd May, 1880.
Management of Quarantine Station	5	13th September, 1881, to 8th March, 1882.
Friendly Societies	13	19th October, 1881, to 13th December, 1882.
Milburn Creek	1	16th August, 1881, to 3rd November, 1881.
Noxious Trades	9	20th November, 1882, to 19th April, 1883.
Water Conservation	8	10th May, 1884, to 9th May, 1887.
Railway Bridges	5	23rd April, 1884, to 22nd August, 1885.
Scab in Sheep	3	29th April, 1884, to 20th August, 1884.
Places of Public Amusement	10	17th June, 1886, to 2nd December, 1886.
Ferndale Colliery Disaster, Lithgow Colliery Disaster, and Condition of Collieries adjacent to Ferndale	11	10th April, 1886, to 13th October, 1886.
Intoxicating Drinks	12	22nd February, 1886, to 20th September, 1887.
Government Asylums	3	5th August, 1886, to 4th May, 1887.
Public Service	7	16th December, 1887, to 16th December, 1888.
Tanks and Wells	3	28th December, 1887, to 31st December, 1888.
Bulli Colliery Disaster	7	5th May, 1887, to 12th July, 1887.
Tramway Disposal	3	19th December, 1888, to 23rd January, 1889.
Tramway Frauds	3	16th August, 1888, to 3rd October, 1888.
Deasy Inquiry	1	21st June, 1889, to 4th July, 1889.
Casual Labour Board	3	20th February, 1889, to 3rd June, 1889.
Fehon	1	19th February, 1889 to 3rd May, 1889.
Public Service	9	18th July, 1889, to 12th January, 1892.
City and Suburban Railway	12	19th March, 1890, to 6th March, 1891.
Defence Works	3	14th July, 1890, to 6th March, 1891.
Strike	16	25th November, 1890, to 22nd May, 1891.
Barque "Ellen"	3	2nd August, 1891, to 11th September, 1891.
Callan Park	3	14th May, 1891, to 6th November, 1891.
Chinese Gambling	5	20th August, 1891, to 22nd January, 1892.
Military Service	5	10th June, 1892, to 19th September, 1892.
Schey-Eddy	3	26th April, 1892, to 16th August, 1892.
Baldwin Engines	3	15th March, 1892, to 4th July, 1892.
Registrar-General's Department—Deeds and Search Branch	1	11th October, 1893, to 1st December, 1893.
Statute Law Consolidation afterwards Statute Law Consolidation and Revision	1	28th December, 1893 (still sitting).
Fisheries	3	20th November, 1894, to 13th December, 1895.
Bay View House Lunatic Asylum	4	18th October, 1894, to 9th April, 1895.
Public Service	5	20th November, 1894, to 8th April, 1895.
Regina *v.* George Dean	3	7th May, 1895, to 28th June, 1895.
Coal Mines Regulation Bill	3	15th August, 1895, to 5th December, 1895.
Public Works	1	21st May, 1896, to 21st November, 1896.
Heated-coal Cargoes	2	28th July, 1896, to 28th April, 1897.*
Working of Mines and Quarries in the Albert Mining District	1	7th July, 1897, to 7th October, 1897.
Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board	3	4th February, 1897, to 14th October, 1897.
Marine Board of New South Wales	3	4th February, 1897, to 27th July, 1897.
Hunter River District Water Supply and Sewerage Board	3	22nd May, 1897, to 22nd November, 1897.
Mudgee Hospital	1	3rd September, 1897, to 13th September, 1897.
Quelch Inquiry	1	23rd September, 1897, to 13th December, 1897.
Charities Commission	5	10th November, 1897 (still sitting).
Strathfield Blind Institution	3	22nd December, 1897, to 22nd March, 1898.
Homestead Leases	1	17th June, 1898 (still sitting).
Levien Charges	1	27th June, 1898, to 7th July, 1898.
Hastings and Macleay Election	1	5th October, 1898, to 13th December, 1898.
Tuberculosis and Diseases in Stock	7	31st May, 1899 (still sitting).
Site for the Federal Capital	1	20th October, 1899 (still sitting).

* Report furnished, but Commission still in force to enable Commissioners to complete certain experiments.

Departmental Inquiries.—In addition to the above, there were several Departmental Inquiries.

No. 45.—Consolidation of the Statute Law.

COMMITTEES.

No. 1 Committee.

Constitution, General Government, Revenue and Services.

Constitution.
Finance and Currency.
Public Works and Loans.
Inscribed Stock.
Unclaimed Balances.
Customs and Excise.
Stamp and other Duties.
Banks.
Parliamentary Elections.
Defence and Military.
The Mint.
Public Instruction.
University and Colleges.
Ecclesiastical.
Reformatories and Industrial Schools.
Public Health and Quarantine.
Naturalisation and Chinese.
Weights and Measures.
Navigation, and Seamen and Islanders Engagement.
Wharfage and Tonnage.
The Post Office.
Railways, Tramways, and Telegraphs.
Civil Service.

No. 2 Committee.

Local Government and Regulating Acts.

Municipal and Local.
Water and Sewerage.
Nuisances Prevention.
Public Vehicles.
Licensing.
Tolls and Markets.
Vine Diseases and Prickly Pear.
Diseases in Stock.
Dogs and Goats.
Fisheries, Birds' Protection, and Imported Game.
Brands Registration and Impounding.
Cattle Slaughtering.
Newspapers.
Medical Practitioners and Chemists.
Poisons.
Adulteration.
Hospitals and Cemeteries.
Art Unions.
Children and Apprentices.
Centenary Celebration.
Growth of Cotton.
Fires and Fire Brigades.
Storage of Explosives and Kerosene.
Pawnbrokers.

No. 3 Committee.

Land, Mining, and Roads.

Crown Land } Including Courts having
Mining } exclusive jurisdiction.
Church and School Lands.
Public Roads.
Public Parks, Reserves, and Watering Places.
Survey Marks.
Public Gates.
Dividing Fences.
Pasture Protection and Rabbits.

No. 4 Committee.

Real and Personal Property.

Real Property.
Registration of Deeds.
Titles to Land.
Claims to Grants.
Equity.
Settled Estates.
Reversions.
Married Women's Property.
Dower.
Infants' Settlements and Custody.
Trustees and Trust Property.
Landlord and Tenant.
Resumption of Lands.
Mortgages.
Wills and Inheritance.

No. 5 Committee.

Commercial and General Law.

Bills of Exchange and Bills of Lading.
Insurance.
Trade Marks, Copyright, Patents.
Partnership.
Factors.
Guarantees.
Powers of Attorney.
Lien on Wool, &c.
Carriers.
Innkeepers' Liability.
Employers' Liability.
Master and Servant.
Arbitration and Conciliation.
Friendly Societies and Trade Unions.
Contractors' Debts.

No. 6 Committee.

Criminal Law, Divorce and Marriage.

Criminal Law, including Jurisdiction and Practice of Circuit Courts and Courts of Quarter Sessions.
Justices' Acts and Coroners.
Small Debts and Tenements Recovery.
Marriage.
Deserted Wives.
Divorce.
Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages.
Police.
Prisons.
Party Processions.
Gaming.
Cruelty to Animals.
Obscene Publications.

No. 7 Committee.

Legal Principles and Procedure.

Supreme Court.
The Judges.
Barristers.
Attorneys.
The Sheriff.
Common Law Procedure.
Absent Defendants.
Creditors' Remedies
Intercolonial Judgments.
Payment of Debts out of Realty.
Imprisonment for Debt.
Oaths.
Juries.
Evidence.
Trespass to Land.
Defamation.
Admiralty.

No. 8 Committee.

Bankruptcy, District Court, Companies, &c.

Probate.
Lunacy—Infants.
Bankruptcy.
Companies.
Bills of Sale.
District Courts.
Partition.
Limitation of Actions.
Claims against the Government and Crown Suits.
Compensation to relatives of Deceased Persons.
Usury.

Commissioners.—The Royal Commission appointed in 1893, under the control of the Colonial Secretary, having resigned, the Consolidation, which embraces all the most important branches of the Statute Law, has been taken over for completion by a Barrister, who has been appointed sole Commissioner under the control of the Attorney-General. He is assisted by eight draftsmen, one of whom also acts as secretary. During the existence of the old Commission, the Statutes were classified and arranged under different heads or groups of subjects; and a large number of Statutes consolidated by the Divisional Committees.

Consolidation Bills.—Bills prepared by the draftsmen are revised by the Commissioner, and forwarded by him to the Attorney-General.

Consolidating Acts.—During the year 1898, the following Consolidating Acts were passed into law:—Trustee, Audit, Impounding, Liens on Crops and Wool and Stock Mortgages, Coroners, Banks and Bank Holidays, Bills of Sale, Evidence, Wills Probate and Administration, Pastures and Stock Protection, Commons Regulation, Public Hospitals, Conveyancing and Law of Property, Liquor, Weights and Measures, Cattle Driving, Naturalization and Denization, Legal Practitioners, Newspapers, Auctioneers Licensing, Bankruptcy, Medical Practitioners, Stamp Duties, Evidence (Penalties), Statutes Law Revision, Lunacy, Seamen, Foreign Seamen, Dogs and Goats.

No. 46.—General Elections, 1856–98.

Parliament.		Electors upon Roll.	Electors to a Member	Members returned.	Members unopposed	In contested Electorates.				
Number.	Date of Opening.					Votes on Roll.	Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded.	Informal Votes.	Percentage of Informal Votes.
First	22 May, 1856	44,526	825	54	*	*	*	*	*	*
Second ...	23 Mar., 1858	72,177	1,002	72	14	54,896	27,894	50·81	*	*
Third ...	30 Aug., 1859	88,346	1,227	72	19	63,022	27,490	43·62	22	0·08
Fourth ...	10 Jan,, 1861	106,189	1,475	72	19	75,676	28,340	37·45	29	0·10
Fifth	24 Jan., 1865	119,872	1,665	72	15	90,736	44,311	48·84	31	0·07
Sixth	27 Jan., 1870	128,734	1,788	72	11	108,080	56,331	52·12	102	0·18
Seventh ...	30 April, 1872	151,798	2,108	72	8	125,488	60,004	47·82	80	0·13
Eighth ...	27 Jan., 1875	160,843	2,234	72	10	104,575	57,651	55·13	334	0·58
Ninth... ...	27 Nov., 1877	160,945	2,205	73	16	120,698	62,172	51·51	*	...
Tenth... ...	15 Dec., 1880	188,500	1,745	108	14	140,848	90,657	64·36	1,785	1·97
Eleventh ...	3 Jan., 1883	196,289	1,737	113	17	166,260	96,842	58·26	2,002	2·07
Twelfth ...	17 Nov., 1885	232,190	1,900	122	8	203,669	124,378	61·07	2,564	2·06
Thirteenth ...	8 Mar., 1887	256,406	2,068	124	17	226,228	131,062	57·93	2,275	1·73
Fourteenth ...	27 Feb., 1889	280,160	2,045	137	13	257,763	154,924	60·10	2,641	1·70
Fifteenth ...	14 July, 1891	305,456	2,166	141	7	285,897	184,091	64·39	3,642	2·00
Sixteenth ...	7 Aug., 1894	†298,817	2,296	125	1	‡296,749	§204,246	68·82	3,310	1·62
Seventeenth ...	13 Aug., 1895	‖267,458	2,139	125	8	‡252,267	§153,034	60·66	1,354	0·88
Eighteenth ...	16 Aug., 1898	¶324,338	2,595	125	3	‡316,819	§178,717	56·41	1,638	0·92

* Unrecorded. † 43,015 names of persons enrolled who were not in possession of Electors' Rights, consequently the effective number of voters was 255,802. ‡ Represents number of Electors as well as Votes. § Represents number of Voters as well as Votes. ‖ 14,333 names of persons enrolled who were not in possession of Electors' Rights, consequently the effective number of voters was 253,125. ¶ 22,339 names of persons enrolled for two districts, on account of transfer of Electors' Rights to another district, but holding rights for one district only, consequently the effective number of voters was 301,999.

NOTE.—The number of votes on the rolls available for the 16th, 17th, and 18th General Elections includes the names of persons who were not in possession of Electors' Rights, and others who were enrolled for two districts on account of transfer of rights, consequently the percentage of votes recorded to the number qualified to vote will be higher than shown in the foregoing table.

The Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act of 1893, 56 Vic. No. 38, as amended by 57 Vic. Nos. 3 and 24 and 60 Vic. Nos. 24 and 25.—Under the authority of the principal Act three Commissioners were appointed to divide the Colony into 125 single Electorates—instead of, as previously, 74 Electorates returning 141 members—giving to each as nearly as practicable an equal number of Electors. Every man being a natural-born or naturalised subject or above the age of 21 years, who is of sound mind, and not on full pay in the Military or Naval Service, nor in receipt of public charity, is entitled to receive an "Elector's Right," provided that he, if a natural born subject, has resided, or has had his principal place of abode in New South Wales for a continuous period of one year, or if a naturalised subject for a like period after naturalisation—and residence for three months in the district for which he claims to vote—and applies in person, or through the post in prescribed form, to the Registrar of the district, and establishes his qualification. Provision is made for the issue of new "Rights" on change of residence, after one month's residence in the new district, and for substitutes for lost Rights. The system popularly known as "One man one vote" is in force.

No. 47.—General Election of 1898.—Electors on Roll and Votes Recorded.

Electorate.	Number of Electors Enrolled.	Number of Electors enrolled in two Electorates in consequence of transfer.	Number of Electors qualified to vote.	Number of Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded to the Number of Electors qualified to vote.	Number of Informal Votes.
CONTESTED ELECTORATES.						
Albury	2,495	89	2,406	1,658	68·91	29
Alma	2,683	118	2,565	1,164	45·38	33
Annandale	3,065	317	2,748	1,716	62·45	5
Argyle	2,267	89	2,178	1,399	66·68	7
Armidale	3,116	175	2,941	1,822	61·95	10
Ashburnham	2,957	158	2,799	1,893	67·63	18
Ashfield	3,193	256	2,937	1,934	65·85	7
Ballina	1,872	90	1,782	1,067	59·88	10
Balmain, North	3,310	279	3,031	1,882	62·06	11
Balmain, South	3,509	284	3,225	2,094	64·93	10
Barwon, The	3,008	150	2,858	1,584	55·42	20
Bathurst	2,758	164	2,594	1,901	73·28	14
Bega	2,263	107	2,156	1,334	61·87	18
Bingara	2,453	93	2,360	1,219	51·65	10
Boorowa	2,220	131	2,089	1,275	61·03	17
Botany	2,848	152	2,696	1,821	67·54	19
Bourke	2,436	136	2,300	1,053	45·78	10
Bowral	1,969	107	1,862	1,002	53·81	7
Braidwood	2,282	84	2,198	1,152	52·41	12
Broken Hill	3,115	138	2,977	1,361	45·72	54
Burwood	2,505	193	2,312	1,445	62·50	8
Camden	2,739	142	2,597	1,778	68·46	8
Canterbury	3,310	255	3,055	1,661	54·37	16
Cobar	3,267	222	3,045	1,582	51·95	31
Condoublin	2,695	142	2,553	1,394	54·60	10
Coonamble	2,719	156	2,563	1,415	55·21	10
Cowra	2,443	114	2,329	1,421	61·01	10
Darlington	3,630	476	3,154	1,920	60·88	11
Deniliquin	2,443	69	2,374	1,279	53·88	10
Dubbo	2,654	182	2,472	1,634	66·10	2
Durham	2,365	54	2,311	1,770	76·59	21
Eden-Bombala	2,158	97	2,061	1,394	67·64	28
Glebe	3,322	411	2,911	1,775	60·98	12
Glen Innes	2,027	106	1,921	1,060	55·18	8
Gloucester	2,304	78	2,226	1,351	60·69	6
Goulburn	2,374	198	2,176	1,355	62·27	4
Grafton	2,252	68	2,184	1,444	66·12	7
Granville	2,592	184	2,408	1,587	65·91	8
Grenfell	3,804	301	3,503	2,015	57·52	8
Gundagai	2,536	148	2,388	1,521	63·69	29
Gunnedah	2,208	122	2,086	1,023	49·04	13
Hartley	2,372	205	2,167	1,105	50·99	15
Hawkesbury, The	2,884	102	2,782	2,028	72·90	24
Hay	2,127	73	2,054	989	48·15	8
Hume, The	2,179	94	2,085	984	47·19	16
Illawarra	2,194	135	2,059	1,244	60·42	6
Inverell	1,914	65	1,849	620	33·53	8
Kahibah	2,316	104	2,212	1,308	59·13	11

No. 47.—General Election of 1898.—Electors on Roll and Votes Recorded—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of Electors Enrolled.	Number of Electors enrolled in two Electorates in consequence of transfer.	Number of Electors qualified to vote.	Number of Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded to the Number of Electors qualified to vote.	Number of Informal Votes.
CONTESTED ELECTORATES—*continued.*						
Kiama	2,172	172	2,000	1,374	68·70	2
Lachlan, The	2,072	136	1,936	894	46·18	7
Leichhardt	3,410	321	3,079	1,972	64·05	4
Lismore	1,663	86	1,577	698	44·26	2
Macquarie	2,509	127	2,382	1,342	56·34	28
Macquarie, West	3,006	172	2,834	1,625	57·34	28
Maitland, East	2,085	131	1,954	1,369	70·06	14
Maitland, West	2,647	134	2,513	1,774	70·59	13
Manaro	2,338	86	2,252	1,139	50·58	30
Manning, The	2,209	65	2,144	1,600	74·63	9
Marrickville	3,912	396	3,516	2,272	64·62	8
Molong	2,178	133	2,045	1,259	61·56	10
Moree	2,063	93	1,970	978	49·64	6
Moruya	2,220	98	2,122	1,545	72·81	14
Mudgee	3,250	102	3,148	2,144	68·11	20
Murrumbidgee, The	2,738	161	2,577	1,567	60·81	14
Narrabri	2,725	127	2,598	1,521	58·55	26
Nepean, The	2,468	186	2,282	1,569	68·76	18
Newcastle, East	2,356	168	2,188	1,429	65·31	25
Newcastle, West	1,858	146	1,712	1,084	63·32	2
Newtown—Camperdown Division	3,213	370	2,843	1,756	61·77	27
Newtown—Erskine Division	2,682	330	2,352	1,405	59·74	3
Newtown—St. Peter's Division	3,007	316	2,691	1,702	63·25	19
Northumberland	2,467	119	2,348	1,570	66·87	12
Orange	3,272	171	3,101	2,177	70·20	19
Paddington	3,439	409	3,030	1,863	61·49	27
Parramatta	2,573	182	2,391	1,679	70·22	12
Petersham	3,011	338	2,673	1,827	68·35	3
Queanbeyan	1,923	63	1,860	1,300	69·89	14
Quirindi	1,993	70	1,923	1,207	62·77	8
Raleigh	2,197	87	2,110	1,327	62·89	9
Randwick	3,162	369	2,793	1,701	60·90	5
Redfern	3,395	442	2,953	1,673	56·65	13
Richmond, The	1,835	109	1,726	850	49·25	10
Robertson	2,968	155	2,813	1,738	61·78	27
Ryde	2,864	204	2,660	1,837	69·06	10
Rylstone	2,259	107	2,152	1,399	65·01	10
Sherbrooke	2,114	125	1,989	1,227	61·69	9
Shoalhaven, The	2,349	115	2,234	1,584	70·90	7
Singleton	2,618	160	2,458	1,573	63·99	8
St. George	3,559	261	3,298	2,140	64·88	16
St. Leonards	3,261	276	2,985	1,717	57·52	17
Sturt	2,213	147	2,066	765	37·03	8
Sydney—Belmore Division	2,588	325	2,263	1,178	52·05	7
Sydney—Bligh Division	2,659	431	2,228	1,192	53·50	14
Sydney—Cook Division	2,320	317	2,003	1,144	57·11	7
Sydney—Denison Division	2,205	281	1,924	1,012	52·60	12

No. 47.—General Election of 1898—Electors on Roll and Votes Recorded—*continued.*

Electorate.	Number of Electors Enrolled.	Number of Electors enrolled in two Electorates in consequence of transfer.	Number of Electors qualified to Vote.	Number of Votes recorded.	Percentage of Votes recorded to the number of Electors qualified to Vote.	Number of Informal Votes.
CONTESTED ELECTORATES—*continued.*						
Sydney—Fitzroy Division... ...	3,086	374	2,712	1,606	59·22	15
Sydney—Flinders Division ...	2,525	353	2,172	1,139	52·44	12
Sydney—Gipps Division	2,730	221	2,509	1,494	59·55	11
Sydney—King Division	3,028	380	2,618	1,430	54·00	10
Sydney—Lang Division	2,420	259	2,161	1,027	47·52	12
Sydney—Phillip Division	2,850	384	2,466	1,263	51·22	9
Sydney—Pyrmont Division ...	2,207	202	2,005	1,177	58·70	10
Tamworth	2,153	111	2,042	1,333	65·27	17
Tenterfield	1,879	64	1,815	1,343	73·99	17
Tumut	2,316	75	2,241	1,626	72·56	49
Tweed, The	2,227	94	2,133	1,032	48·38	11
Uralla-Walcha	1,832	82	1,750	1,011	57·77	18
Wagga Wagga	2,118	106	2,012	1,058	52·58	7
Wallsend	2,429	138	2,291	1,660	72·46	9
Waratah	2,552	181	2,371	1,631	68·79	9
Warringah	2,382	148	2,234	1,472	65·89	7
Waterloo	3,138	349	2,789	1,752	62·82	14
Waverley	3,110	274	2,836	1,788	63·05	15
Wellington	3,092	139	2,953	1,829	61·94	28
Wentworth	1,996	59	1,937	846	43·68	10
Wickham	2,323	166	2,157	1,571	72·83	8
Wilcannia	2,618	93	2,525	1,075	42·57	5
Willoughby	3,407	220	3,187	2,058	64·57	7
Woollahra	2,605	279	2,326	1,397	60·06	4
Woronora	2,352	132	2,220	1,425	64·19	8
Yass	2,156	96	2,060	1,305	63·35	16
Young	3,111	157	2,954	2,138	72·38	18
Total, Contested Electorates ...	316,819	22,068	294,751	178,717	60·63	1,638
UNCONTESTED ELECTORATES.						
Clarence, The	2,141	91	2,050	Uncontested	Uncontested	.....
Hastings, The, and Macleay, The...	2,415	109	2,306	,,	,,	.....
Murray, The	2,963	71	2,892	,,	,,	.....
Total, Uncontested Electorates...	7,519	271	7,248	.....	.....	.....
Total, all Electorates ...	324,338	22,339	301,999	.....	.....	.....

No. 48.—Actual Strength of Military Force, 1889–98.

Year.	Exclusive of Rifle Clubs.				Military Camps.
	Establishment all ranks.	Actual strength all ranks.	Wanting to complete all ranks.	Percentage short all ranks.	
1889	4,337	3,973	364	8·39	Camp held at National Park.
1890	4,299	4,062	237	5·51	,, ,,
1891	4,660	4,397	263	5·64	,, Campbelltown.
1892	4,667	4,268	399	8·54	No camp held.
1893	4,418	4,070	348	7·88	,,
1894	5,164	4,914	250	4·84	,,
1895	5,265	5,019	246	4·67	,,
1896	6,228	5,447	781	12·54	Short camps held locally.
1897	7,532	7,186	346	4·59	Camp held at Paddington Rifle Range.
1898	7,906	7,222	684	8·65	,, Rookwood.

Imperial Troops.—New South Wales was garrisoned by the British troops from the time of its foundation as a Colony in 1788 until the year 1870, when they were withdrawn. In the succeeding year, Act 34 Vic. No. 19 (Military and Naval Forces Regulation Act) was passed, having for its object the establishment of a local permanent force.

First Volunteer Force.—The first volunteer force was enrolled in 1854, under Act of Council 18 Vic. No. 8, which was repealed in 1867 by the "Volunteer Force Regulation Act," 31 Vic. No. 5. One of the clauses of thi Act provided for the issue of orders for land to persons serving as volunteers, but this system was abandoned under Act 41 Vic. No. 15. The forces were again reorganised in the year last mentioned, and in 1885 an additional force of reserves was raised. The Rifle Reserve companies were disbanded at the end of 1892, but in 1895 the Civilian Rifle Clubs were formed into a reserve force.

N.S.W. Military Commissions.—Commissions in the Permanent Artillery may be obtained by officers of the Partially-paid and Volunteer Forces or other selected candidates upon passing the requisite examination, and complying with certain conditions published from time to time in General Orders.

Imperial Military Commissions.—A Commission in the British Army is offered annually to a student of the Sydney University under regulations issued with Army Orders dated 1st January, 1892. Officers of the Local Forces are also eligible for appointment subject to certain conditions.

No. 49.—Classification of Military Force on 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Number.	Classification.	Number.
Permanent Troops—		Volunteers—	
Headquarters Staff	23	1st Australian Volunteer Horse ...	374
Ordnance Staff	34	Infantry—Australian Rifles	521
Permanent Staff	81	National Guard	147
Artillery Staff...	528	St. George's Rifles ...	452
Engineers (Submarine Miners) ...	49	Scottish Rifles	350
Army Service Corps	10	Irish Rifles	275
Army Medical Corps...	12	Railway Volunteer Corps	182
Total	737	Total	2,301
Partially-paid Troops—			
Lancers	388		
Mounted Rifles	363	Honorary—	
Field Artillery	134	Chaplains	14
Garrison Artillery	396	Medical Officers	29
Engineers—Field	116	Total	43
Submarine Miners ...	79		
Electricians	74		
Infantry—1st Regiment	591		
2nd Regiment	609		
3rd Regiment	617	Actual strength—all ranks	7,222
4th Regiment	613		
Army Service Corps	50	Rifle Club Reservists (approximate) ...	1,500
Army Medical Corps...	111		
Total	4,141	Total, Military Forces and Rifle Club Reservists ...	8,722

No. 50.—Distribution of Military Force on 31st December, 1898.

Corps.	Districts.						Actual Strength all Ranks.
	Sydney and Suburbs.	Southern.	Western.	South-Western.	South Coast.	North.	
Head-quarters Staff ...	23	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23
Military Secretary ...	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34
N.S.W. Lancers	122	39	.....	.....	47	188	396
Mounted Rifles	.....	93	140	.....	43	95	371
1st Australian Horse* ...	5	135	40	71	.....	130	381
Artillery	834	.....	.....	.....	87	137	1,058
Engineers	318	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	318
Infantry	2,456	428	628	60	119	724	4,415
Army Service Corps ...	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60
Army Medical Corps† ...	127	3	6	1	6	9	152
Honorary Chaplains ...	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
Total	3,993	698	814	132	302	1,283	7,222

* Exclusive of 220 Supernumeraries enrolled in different districts. † Includes 29 Honorary Medical Officers.

NOTE.—The figures in the above table include the Permanent Staff attached to the various regiments.

No. 51.—Actual Strength of Military and Naval Forces on 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Number.	Classification.	Number.
Military—		Naval—	
Permanent Troops	737	Naval Defence Force	4
Partially-paid Troops	4,141	Naval Brigade	332
Volunteers	2,301	Naval Artillery	225
Honorary Officers	43	Torpedo Boats (2)	5
Total, Military	*7,222	Total, Naval	566
		Actual Strength of Military and Naval Forces	*7,788

* Exclusive of Rifle Club Reservists, the approximate strength of which at the end of 1898 was 1,500.

No. 52.—Actual Strength of Naval Force, 1889-98.

Classification.	1889.	1890.	1891.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.	1896.	1897.	1898.
Naval Defence Force ...	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4
Naval Brigade	349	349	349	342	335	335	329	329	328	332
Naval Artillery	276	276	274	269	201	201	223	242	242	225
Torpedo Boats (2) ...	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Total	633	633	631	619	544	544	560	580	579	566

Naval Brigade.—The Naval Brigade was formed in 1863 under the provisions of Act 18 Vic. No. 8. It consists largely of men who formerly served on Her Majesty's ships on the Australian Station. The Brigade consists of six companies, five of which are stationed at Sydney and one at Newcastle.

Naval Artillery.—This branch of the Naval Force was organised in 1882 under the provisions of the Volunteer Act and Regulations, but in July, 1892, it was brought under the Partially-paid system. The torpedo boats are manned by members of both forces.

No. 53.—Classification of Naval Force on 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Number.	Classification.	Number.
Naval Defence Force—		Naval Artillery—	
Captain Commanding	1	Officer Commanding	1
Fleet Surgeon	1	1st Lieutenant...	1
Chief Paymaster	1	Lieutenants of Companies	4
Engineer	1	Sub-Lieutenants	8
	4	Medical Officers	2
		Petty Officers	23
Naval Brigade—		Leading Seamen	16
Officer Commanding	1	A.B's., including band	170
Commander	1		225
Lieutenant Commander	1		
Lieutenants of Companies	5	Torpedo Boats, "Acheron" and "Avernus"—	
Sub-Lieutenants	6	Commander	1
Medical Officers	3	Engineer	1
Other Officers...	15	Artificer	1
Petty Officers...	24	Stokers...	2
A.B's., including band	276		5
	332	Actual strength of Naval Force...	566

No. 54.—Distribution of Naval Force on 31st December, 1898.

Classification.	Sydney.	Newcastle.	Actual strength of Naval Force.
Naval Defence Force	4	.....	4
Naval Brigade	279	53	332
Naval Artillery	225	.....	225
Torpedo Boats (2)	5	.....	5
Total	513	53	566

No. 55.—British Possessions within the boundaries of the Australian Naval Station.

In Australasia—
- Australia—
  - New South Wales.
  - Victoria.
  - Queensland.
  - South Australia.
  - Western Australia.
- Tasmania.
- Outlying Islands—
  - Norfolk Island.
  - Lord Howe Island.
- New Zealand—
  - North Island.
  - Middle or South Island
  - Stewart Island.
  - Outlying Islands—
    - Auckland.
    - Campbell.
    - Chatham.
    - Kermadec.
- British New Guinea—
  - New Guinea (south-eastern portion)
  - D'Entrecasteaux Islands.
  - Louisiade Islands.
  - Trobiana Island.
  - Woodlark Island.
- Fiji Group—
  - Viti Levu.
  - Vanua Levu.
  - Taviuni.
  - Kadavu.
  - Windward Isles.
  - Koro.
  - Gua.
  - Ovalau.
  - Moala.
  - Rabi.
  - Zamia.
  - Vanua Balavu.
  - Vatu Lele.
  - Ono.

In Australasia—*continued.*
- Fiji Group—*continued.*
  - Dependency—
    - Rotumah.

In Oceania—
- Union Group—
  - Fakaafo.
  - Nuku Nono.
  - At à fu.
- Phœnix Group—
  - Sydney.
  - Phœnix.
  - Bernie.
  - Hull.
  - Gardner.
  - Canton Islands.
- Solomon Group (part of)—
  - Treasury.
  - Eddystone.
  - Vella Lavella.
  - Ronongo.
  - Gizo.
  - Kulambangra.
  - New Georgia.
  - Wana Wana.
  - Rendova.
  - Russell Group.
  - Florida Group.
  - Guadalcanar.
  - Malayta.
  - Ulawa.
  - Three Sisters.
  - Ugi.
  - San Christoval.
  - Santa Anna.
  - Santa Catalina.
- Santa Cruz—
  - Trevannion or Temotu.
  - Santa Cruz.
  - Utupua.
  - Vanikoro.
  - Tucopia.

In Oceania—*continued.*
- Swallow Group (Reef Islands)—
  - Matema.
  - Lolom.
  - Nifiloli.
  - Tenualoa.
  - Banganeda or Nibanga.
  - Banganetepa or Bonepi.
  - Pileni.
  - Nukapu.
  - Nakoga or Nalogo.
  - Nupani.
  - Tamami or Tinakula.
- Duff or Wilson Group.
- Anudo or Cherry Islands.
- Fataka or Mitre Island.
- Danger.
- Nassau.
- Gilbert Group.
- Ellice Group.
- Suwarrow.
- Cook and Hervey Group.
- Palmerston.
- Malden.
- Starbuck.
- Flint.
- Caroline Island.
- Penrhyn.
- Manahiki (or Humphrey).
- Rokohanga (or Reirson).
- Society Islands.
- Palmyra.
- Washington (or New York Island).
- Jarvis Island.

Protectorates—
- New Hebrides (joint protectorate with France).
- Samoa (jointly administered by Great Britain, Germany, and United States).

Boundaries of Australian Naval Station.—These are :—From 95° E. long. by the parallel of 10° S. lat. to 130° E. long. ; thence north to 2° N. lat., and along that parallel to 136° E. ; thence north to 12° N., and along that parallel to 160° W. ; thence south to the Equator, and east to 149° 30′ W. ; bounded on the south by the Antarctic Circle.

Garden Island, Port Jackson.—Garden Island (6a. 3r. 21 p.) was dedicated for the purpose of a Naval Depôt, 1865–66, and is now the depôt for the Australian Squadron.

No. 56.—Imperial War Vessels on Australian Naval Station, 1898.

Name	Class.	Displacement.	Indicated horse-power.	Draught of water extreme.	Length.	Beam.	Guns. †	Speed.	Coal endurance.	
									Coal carried in bunkers	Distance that can be steamed at 10 knots' speed.
		tons.		ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		knots.	tons.	knots.
Royal Arthur (flagship).	Twin-screw cruiser, 1st class, protected	7,700	10,000	24 10	360 0	60 8	1 9·2-in. B.L., 12 6-in. B.L. (Q.F.), 12 6 Por., 5 3 Por., 7 Nordenfeldt.	19·75	1,250	10,000
Porpoise	Twin-screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,770	3,500	15 4	225 0	36 0	6 6-in. 5-ton B.L., V.C.P., 8 3 Por., 2 Nordenfeldt.	16·5	325	7,000
Mohawk	Twin-screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,770	3,500	15 7	225 0	36 0	6 6-in. 5-ton B.L., V.C.P., 8 3 Por., 2 Nordenfeldt.	16·5	325	7,000
Royalist	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	1,420	1,510	16 11	200 0	38 0	2 6-in. 4-ton B.L.R., 10 5-in. 38-cwt. B.L.R., 4 M., 1 L.	13·1	425	6,600
Ringdove	Screw gun-boat, 1st class.	805	1,200	13 2	165 0	31 0	6 4-in. 25-cwt. B.L., 2 3 Por., and 2 Nordenfeldt.	12·0	128	2,500
Goldfinch	Screw gun-boat, 1st class.	805	1,200	13 3	165 0	30 0	6 4-in. 26-cwt. B.L.R., 2 Q.F. Hotchkiss, 2 M.	13·0	105	.....
Torch	Screw sloop ..	960	1,100	14 6	180 0	32 6	6 4-in. Q.F., 4 3 Por. Q.F. Hotchkiss, 2 0·45-in. Maxim.	13·25	130	2,000
*Dart	Screw yacht ..	470	250	12 11	133 0	25 2	2 L., 2 M..	8·8	64	.....
*Penguin	Screw sloop ..	1,130	700	14 0	180 0	38 0	2 64-pounder M., 1 L., 2 M. ..	10·0	200	.....

* Surveying service.

† B.L.R., Breech-loading rifled guns ; M.L.R., Muzzle-loading rifled guns ; Q.F., Quick-firing guns ; M., Machine guns ; V.C.P., Vavasseur centre pivot ; L., Light guns under 15 cwt.

NOTE.—The "Royal Arthur" has a protective deck of steel, varying in thickness from 1 to 5 inches. The 6-inch guns are also enclosed in casements of steel 6 inches thick.

No. 57.—Australasian Auxiliary Squadron.

Name.	Class.	Displacement.	Indicated horse-power.	Draught of water extreme	Length.	Beam.	Guns.	Speed.	Coal endurance.	
									Coal that can be carried in bunkers.	Distance that can be steamed at 10 knots' speed.
		tons.		ft. in.	ft. in.	ft. in.		knots.	tons.	knots.
*Katoomba	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	8 4·7 Q.F. guns, eight 3.pr. Q.F. guns, one 7-pr. M.L.R. gun (boat and field), four 4·45-in. 5-barrel Nordenfeldt.	16·5	300	6,000
†Ringarooma	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Mildura	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	16 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Wallaroo	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 3	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
Tauranga	Screw cruiser, 3rd class.	2,575	7,500	17 6	265 0	41 0	do ..	16·5	300	6,000
†Boomerang	Torpedo gun-boat ..	735	3,500	10 8	230 0	27 0	Two 4·7-in. Q.F. guns, four 3-pr. Q.F. guns	‡18·75	160	2,500
Karrakatta	Torpedo gun-boat ..	735	3,500	10 9	230 0	27 0	do ..	‡18·75	160	2,500

* Guard-ship of reserve. † In reserve.

‡ This speed can be increased until, under favourable conditions, for a short period, a maximum of 21 knots can be obtained.

Armour.—The hull of each of the vessels of the auxiliary squadron is of steel. The deck armour over machinery space is 2-inch and 1-inch, and the conning towers are protected by 3-inch armour, except in the case of the torpedo gun-boats, the towers of which have 1-inch armour. In addition to the armament mentioned in the table, each of the cruisers carries four, and each of the torpedo gun-boats three, torpedo tubes.

Australasian Naval Force Agreement.—This agreement provides for the equipping, manning, and maintaining, at the joint cost of the Imperial and Colonial Funds, a naval squadron, consisting of five cruisers and two torpedo gunboats. The officers and men are changed triennially, and the limits where they are to be employed in times of peace or war are fixed within the boundaries of the Australian Station. It is provided that no reduction of the Imperial squadron shall be made in consequence of the equipment of this naval force. The Australasian Colonies contribute 5 per cent. on the cost of these vessels—not to exceed £35,000 per annum—in addition to the actual charge for their maintenance. In the event of the loss of vessels the Imperial Government has to replace them. The agreement is for ten years, and only terminable then provided notice is given at the end of the eighth year. Afterwards the agreement can be terminated by giving two years' notice. The vessels will revert to the Imperial Government on the termination of the agreement.

No. 58.—Expenditure by New South Wales on Federal Defence, 1892-99.

Head of Expenditure.	1892.	1893.	1894.	1895.*	1896.†	1897.†	1898.†	1899.†
Proportion paid by New South Wales Government to—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
British Government for Additional Naval Force (Auxiliary Squadron)	69,471	5,525	37,720	18,859	37,961	37,989	37,820	37,812
Government of Western Australia for maintenance of Garrison at Albany ..	639	737	5,172	715	1,622	799	1,046	1,956
Government of Queensland for maintenance of Garrison at Thursday Island ..	....	....	8,887	1,001	2,117	2,345	2,403	2,901
Total .. .. £	70,110	6,262	51,779	*20,575	41,700	41,133	41,269	42,669

* Half-year ended 30th June. † Year ended 30th June.

Defence of Albany.—New South Wales, together with the colonies of Victoria, Queensland, and South Australia, entered into a contract, 11th March, 1892, with the colony of Western Australia, to contribute to the cost of the defence of Albany. The agreement provides that one-fourth of the total expense shall be defrayed by Western Australia, and three-fourths by the colonies named, the proportion to be paid by each colony to be calculated on the basis of its population, Western Australia provides the garrison and has general superintendence.

Defence of Thursday Island.—A similar agreement was made, 1st January, 1893, between Queensland and the colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, South Australia, and Western Australia, for the defence of Thursday Island. In this instance the five colonies named contribute towards the expense *pro rata* on a population basis.

No. 59.—Expenditure on Defence from 1857 (date of Responsible Government) to 30th June, 1899.

From Consolidated Revenue—	£	£		£	£
Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces.			Brought forward ...	.....	5,053,625
Naval Forces ...					
Miscellaneous Military and Naval Expenditure			From Loans—		
Ordnance and Barrack Department (including Civil Branch to 1892) ...	4,716,464		Fortifications, Military Works, &c., Naval Station, Port Jackson ...	1,328,106	
Fortifications, Military Buildings, Warlike Materials, &c....			Total from Loans £	.....	1,328,106
Proportion payable by N.S. Wales in terms of "Naval Force Act" ...	302,187		Value of Land alienated by Volunteer Land Orders (£1 per acre)	.....	168,295
Defence of Albany (W.A.) and Thursday Island (Q.)	34,974				
Total from Consolidated Revenue ... £	.....	5,053,625	Total Expenditure £	.....	6,550,026*

* Exclusive of cost of Soudan Contingent, £121,630.

No. 60.—Expenditure on Defence during the year ended 30th June, 1899.

	£
Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue—	
Permanent and Volunteer Military Forces	185,965
Naval Forces	9,214
Federal Defence—	
Proportion paid by New South Wales Government to—	
British Government, for Additional Naval Force (Auxiliary Squadron)	37,812
Government of Western Australia, for Maintenance of Garrison at Albany	1,956
Government of Queensland, for Maintenance of Garrison at Thursday Island	2,901
Miscellaneous—	
Grants in Aid of—	
Rifle Associations	2,465
Royal Naval House	200
Military Secretary	1,845
Rent of premises for the Secretary to the Admiral...	100
Military Pensions	1,276
Total from Revenue ... ... £	243,734
Expenditure from Loans—	
Erection and Completion of Fortifications, Armaments, and Military Works ...	54,917
Total from Loans ... ... £	54,917
Total ... ... £	298,651

ROYAL NAVAL HOUSE.

The Royal Naval House in Sydney has been erected exclusively for the accommodation of the seamen and marines of Her Majesty's ships. It was built in 1889, at a total cost of £25,000, contributed by citizens and the Government of New South Wales. There are 280 beds in the Institution, also a refreshment room, and, for the amusement of the men, reading, smoking, and billiard rooms, and a gymnasium are provided.

No. 61.—Meteorology—Barometric Observations, Sydney, 1898.

Month.	Self-registering Electric Barograph, corrected to 32° Fah., but not to Mean Sea-level.						Mean Height of Standard Barometer, corrected to 32° Fah. and Mean Sea-level at 9 a.m.
	Highest Reading.	Day.	Lowest Reading.	Day.	Mean Height.	Average for 39 years.	
January	30·128	27	29·217	20	29·794	29·770	29·979
February	·119	1	·084	13	·776	·808	·985
March	·193	26	·401	14	·886	·893	30·083
April...	·343	11	·382	3	·960	·943	·169
May	·461	31	·571	16	·961	·936	·154
June...	·497	1	·537	16	·991	·919	·202
July	·310	13	·378	27	·912	·943	·124
August	·424	26	·331	7	30·059	·930	·258
September	·160	2	·393	22	29·865	·877	·076
October	·100	1	·155	28	·750	·833	29·948
November	·023	30	·298	21	·679	·816	·881
December	·100	28	·284	7	·790	·752	·985
Means	.....	...	.....	...	29·869	29·868	30·070
Extremes	30·497	June 1	29·084	Feb. 13	30·059	29·943	30·258

The Sydney Observatory was established in the year 1856, at the instance of Sir William Denison, Governor of New South Wales.

Time Ball.—The Time Ball at the Sydney Observatory is dropped every day at 1 p.m. Standard Time, or 15 hours Greenwich Mean Time.

Standard Time.—By the "Standard Time Act of 1894" (58 Vic., No. 11), which came into operation on 1st February, 1895, the mean time of the 150th meridian of longitude east of Greenwich, England, was declared to be Standard Time throughout New South Wales, but on account of the conflicting interest in the Barrier District this Act was amended by Act 60 Vic. No. 4, assented to on 23rd July, 1896. The Standard Time Act of 1894 does not now apply within the Municipal District of Broken Hill, nor the Electorate of Sturt, in respect of certain sections of the Licensing Acts, Billiard and Bagatelle Licensing Act, Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act. The mean time of the 135th meridian of longitude is in respect of the above enactments declared to be the standard time for the said Municipal and Electoral Districts.

Latitude, &c., of Observatory.—Latitude, 33° 51′ 41·1″ south; longitude, 151° 12′ 42·15″ east; magnetic variation, 9° 28′ 51″ east; altitude, 146 feet.

No. 62.—Meteorology—Temperature, Sydney, 1876–98.

Year.	In Shade.							Mean Diurnal Range.
	Mean in Shade.	Mean Maximum.	Mean Minimum.	Extremes.				
				Highest.	Date.	Lowest.	Date.	
1876	64	..	..	97	Feb. 25	39	July 31	13
1877	64	..	..	97	Dec. 23	42	June 29	14
1878	64	..	...	103	Nov. 21	39	June 17	14
1879	62	68	56	96	Dec. 1	41	July 5	12
1880	63	69	56	95	Nov. 14	39	July 7	13
1881	62	69	56	100	Feb. 13	40	June 29	13
1882	63	70	56	100	Dec. 19	40	July 15 & 30	14
1883	62	69	56	100	Dec. 12	40	July 18	14
1884	63	70	56	101	Jan. 14	41	July 20	14
1885	64	71	57	98	Nov. 5	41	June 30	14
1886	63	70	57	97	Feb. 12	42	June 26	14
1887	63	69	57	94	Oct. 18	41	July 9	12
1888	63	70	56	98	Jan. 18	39	Aug. 6	14
1889	64	69	58	103	Jan. 14	42	July 14	11
1890	63	69	57	94	Nov. 7	36	July 12	12
1891	63	69	56	97	Dec. 30	40	July 25	13
1892	62	69	56	90	Feb. 11	39	July 22	12
1893	62	69	56	94	Dec. 6	39	July 4	13
1894	63	69	57	97	Nov. 26	40	July 11	13
1895	63	70	56	96	Dec. 16	37	July 9	13
1896	63	70	57	109	Jan. 13	40	July 2	13
1897	64	71	57	99	Nov. 20	41	July 18	14
1898	64	70	57	100	Oct. 19	40	July 20	14

Thermometers.—The thermometers are exposed in a shed 11 feet square, of which the sides are 5 feet 6 inches high, and enclosed to within 18 inches of the ground with open lattice-work. The roof is conical, rises to 13 feet above the ground, and is covered with louvres close enough to keep out rain. Repeated experiments have been made to determine the relation between temperature in this shed and that shown by a swing thermometer, both night and day, with the result that there is no difference. It is, therefore, assumed that the shade obtained is a satisfactory one.

No. 63.—Meteorology—Temperature at various Stations in New South Wales, 1893–98.

Station.	Altitude.	1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		Extremes—Years 1893–98 inclusive.	
		Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Mean max.	Mean min.	Max.	Min.
	feet.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg.	deg	deg.	deg.	deg.
Table Lands.															
Cooma	2,637	67	40	68	40	70	40	69·9	40·3	70·5	33·1	72·2	39·6	107·0	11·0
Kiandra ...	4,640	55	36	55	27	52	23	51·3	21·3	49 3	30·8	54·1	32·9	84·3	*17·0
Douglas ...	2,267	67	47	67	47	69	47	70 o	48·0	71·2	47·2	69·1	46·9	105·0	21·8
Collector ...	2,286	63	46	65	43	66	45	67·8	44·8	69·9	45·2	69·6	43·9	108·0	20·0
Goulburn ...	2,129	68	45	67	45	69	44	70·2	45·7	71·3	44·6	69·0	44·3	111·0	18·9
Forbes	803	74	51	73	51	75	50	75·4	50·7	77·9	49·4	77·7	51·4	113·9	25·0
Mount Victoria...	3,490	62	45	62	44	63	45	61·8	45·0	63·5	44·9	62·2	45·1	97·2	21·5
O'Connell ...	2,300	67	41	67	42	67	37	67·9	43·0	68·4	41·3	68·4	43·3	102·0	12·0
Bathurst ...	2,200	70	41	70	44	72	43	72·4	43·6	73·8	43·5	73·1	43·5	106·4	20·2
Coonabarabran...	2,056	76	45	76	44	78	41	78·0	39·3	79·1	39·1	77·5	40·8	111·3	11·4
Walgett... ...	522	79	53	79	58	80	54	80·8	56·2	80·7	53·3	81·8	55·3	115·7	26·7
Warialda ...	1,106	74	47	74	49	76	48	73·8	51·7	78·9	56·1	82·8	50·0	107·5	21·2
Inverell... ..	1,953	69	50	68	49	69	46	67·7	48·9	69·6	48·9	76·0	45·9	103·5	15·4
Armidale ...	3,333	67	44	67	44	69	43	69·4	43·2	71·0	43·1	68·9	44·6	96·2	14·7
Coastal District.															
Lismore... ...	52	78	59	79	58	82	58	81·1	58·1	82·5	57·6	79·5	59·4	104·2	29·5
Clarence Heads ..	122	77	62	76	61	77	59	76·6	60·5	77·7	62·0	76·5	61·5	98·5	37·4
Port Macquarie ..	49	72	55	72	54	72	54	72·2	55·7	72·1	55·2	72·0	55·3	98·2	30·7
Newcastle ...	34	70	57	70	58	71	58	70·7	57·7	71·7	58·1	71·4	58·2	103·0	36·8
Sydney	146	69	56	69	57	70	56	69·6	56·6	70·6	56·8	70·3	56·7	108·5	36·8
Wollongong ...	54	70	54	71	54	71	55	71·1	54·8	72·5	55·7	71·1	55·9	113·4	34·8
Cape St. George..	175	66	54	68	54	69	53	68·1	54·1	69·6	53·4	70·2	53·6	99·1	30·4
Moruya Heads..	50	71	52	73	52	73	51	72·1	52·2	72·5	51·1	71·8	50·4	114·8	32·3
Eden	107	69	51	69	53	68	53	67·8	53·3	67·4	53·0	67·1	52·2	96·9	34·9
Western District.															
Wagga Wagga...	615	78	45	76	48	77	47	78·0	48·9	78·2	47·7	78·5	49·0	117·6	25·0
Albury	531	74	49	73	50	74	48	74·4	48·8	75·1	47·1	75·5	49·0	112·8	27·0
Deniliquin ...	320	79	47	77	48	79	47	78·2	47·1	79·5	47·0	78·1	50·3	117·6	26·2
Hay	305	78	51	77	50	79	50	78·8	49·1	79·8	47·7	78·1	49·7	116·5	26·1
Wentworth ...	144	75	48	74	49	76	49	76·4	51·5	76·1	51·5	78·0	50·9	115·0	27·0
Wilcannia ...	246	81	50	80	53	82	53	81·3	53·9	81·4	49·8	82·3	48·5	120·8	21·8
Bourke	347	83	57	81	56	84	55	82·9	54·9	83·6	53·4	84·5	54·0	119·4	26·3
Cobar	803	74	58	72	56	76	57	76·9	55·9	77·9	53·7	79·0	54·7	113·0	27·5
Dubbo	863	77	48	78	48	79	46	79·9	48·6	80·5	49·0	79·5	48 8	113·4	20·7
Lord Howe Island.															
Lord Howe Island	40	74	62	74	62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

* Below zero.

Lord Howe Island.—This island is a dependency of New South Wales. It is situated 436 miles N.E. of Sydney.

No. 64.—Meteorology, Temperature, Sydney, 1898.

(Observations in Shed.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means	Extremes.
Mean in shade—														
During 1898	72·9	72·3	70·2	64·5	56·4	54·7	52·0	55·0	61·0	65·8	69·4	68·0	63·5	72·9
Average for 39 years ..	71·5	70·9	69·2	64·6	58·5	54·5	52·4	55·0	58·8	63·5	66·7	69·9	63·0	71·5
In shade—														
Mean maximum ..	79·5	78·6	76·3	71·6	61·7	60·2	58·7	61·7	68·9	74·4	77·3	74·6	70·3	....
Mean minimum ..	66·2	65·9	64·1	57·3	51·0	49·1	45·3	48·4	53·1	57·1	61·5	61·3	56·7	....
Highest in sun ..	152·0	162·1	146·4	132·9	114·1	110·0	144·3	125·8	137·2	147·1	146·0	145·8	138·6	162·1
Date..	10	16	2	3	1	5	15	28	21	19	2	30	..	Feb. 16
Highest in shade	98·1	94·8	83·8	83 0	66 8	65·8	70·1	72·4	89·8	99·7	93·7	86·1	83·7	99·7
Date..	19	9	2	3	22	11	27	28	22	19	2	3	..	Oct. 19
Lowest in shade ..	58·3	59·8	55·6	48·5	42·4	41·5	40·4	42·7	47·2	48·9	53·6	51·5	49·2	40·4
Date..	22	20	16	22	25	28	20	18	28	2	11	11	..	July 20
Lowest on grass ..	54·0	50·9	43·1	38·7	34 9	32·0	28·0	32·8	35·3	38·3	43·0	46·1	39·8	28·0
Date..	29	20	16	22	25	28	21	2	7	1	11	14	..	July 21
Greatest range ..	33·2	28·1	26·1	23·7	17·1	16·2	19·6	22·7	33·4	37·3	31·4	27·4	26·4	37·3
Date..	19	9	16	3	22	14	13	28	21	19	2	3	..	Oct. 19
Mean Diurnal range ..	13·3	12·7	12·1	14·2	10·7	11·2	13·4	13·3	15·8	17·3	15·8	13·3	13·6	17·3

No. 65.—Meteorology—Barometer and Thermometer Readings at various Stations in New South Wales, 1898.

Station.	Altitude.	Barometer corrected 32° Fahr. and mean sea-level.	Temperature in Shade.					Latitude.	Longitude.
			Mean in Shade.	Means.		Extremes.			
				Max.	Min.	Max.	Min.		
Table Lands.									
	feet.							° ′	° ′
Cooma	2,637	30·077	56·0	72·2	39·6	103·0	11·0	36 12	149 9
Kiandra	4,640	·067	43·6	54·1	32·9	80·0	*	35 52	148 32
Gundaroo	1,893	·013	55·6	...	...	...	...	35 2	149 18
Collector	2,286	.....	56·8	69·6	43·9	100·0	26·0	34 55	149 32
Goulburn	2,129	30·060	56·7	69·0	44·3	103·9	21·0	34 45	149 45
Forbes	808	·045	64·5	77·7	51·4	107·9	30·0	33 27	148 5
Mount Victoria	3,490	·002	53·7	62·2	45·1	92·0	26·0	33 36	150 15
O'Connell	2,300	·088	55·9	68·4	43·3	98·5	20·0	33 34	149 43
Bathurst	2,200	·073	58·3	73·1	43·5	101·6	21·2	33 24	149 37
Coonabarabran	2,056	·080	59·2	77·5	40·8	102·9	17·9	31 16	149 18
Walgett	522	·034	68·6	81·8	55·3	115·2	29·7	30 2	148 10
Warialda	1,106	·110	66·4	82·8	50·0	107·5	23·7	29 35	150 37
Inverell	1,953	·040	61·0	76·0	45·9	103·5	19·0	29 48	151 10
Armidale	3,333	·103	56·8	68·9	44·6	92·2	20·7	30 32	151 38
Coastal District.									
Lismore	52	.....	69·5	79·5	59·4	101·2	36·5	28 50	153 21
Clarence Heads	122	30·084	69·1	76·5	61·5	98·5	45·4	29 28	153 21
Port Macquarie	49	·053	63·7	72·0	55·3	90·1	33·9	31 25	152 54
Newcastle	34	·054	64·8	71·4	58·2	98·0	41·8	32 55	151 50
Sydney	146	·070	63·5	70·3	56·7	99·7	40·4	33 51	151 13
Wollongong	54	·063	63·5	71·1	55·9	96·9	39·3	34 25	150 56
Cape St. George	175	·071	62·0	70·2	53·6	91·1	39·0	35 12	150 45
Moruya Heads	50	·027	61·1	71·8	50·4	104·1	33·8	35 53	150 6
Eden	107	·049	59·7	67·1	52·2	96·9	34·9	37 0	149 59
Western District.									
Wagga Wagga	615	30·078	63·7	78·5	49·0	111·8	26·4	35 7	147 27
Albury	531	29·976	62·3	75·5	49·0	108·8	29·5	36 6	147 0
Deniliquin	320	30·039	64·2	78·1	50·3	112·5	29·5	35 32	145 2
Hay	305	·023	64·0	78·1	49·7	111·0	28·4	34 30	144 56
Wentworth	144	·009	64·4	78·0	50·9	112·0	27·0	34 8	141 58
Wilcannia	246	·050	65·4	82·3	48·5	113·3	21·8	31 31	143 23
Bourke	347	·047	69·3	84·5	54·0	113·9	27·8	30 3	145 58
Cobar	803	·136	66·8	79·0	54·7	109·0	31·0	31 32	145 50
Dubbo	863	·120	64·2	79·5	48·8	109·9	24·9	32 18	148 35

* Below zero.

Note.—The townships named in the table may be accepted as representative meteorological stations. Particulars relating to other meteorological stations may be found on reference to the annual publications of the Government Astronomer.

No. 66.—Meteorology—Humidity, Sydney, 1898.

(100 = Saturation.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means	Extremes.
Mean wet—														
Standard	67·4	67·5	65·0	57·6	51·2	50·6	46·1	50·2	54·7	60·3	62·5	63·3	58·0	..
Maximum	72·2	69·5	68·8	63·4	55·9	54·9	52·6	55·0	58·0	62·4	66·6	66·0	62·1	72·2
Minimum	62·7	63·3	61·2	54·2	48·4	47·5	42·5	46·0	48·5	52·7	56·6	57·1	53·4	42·5
Range	8·9	7·8	7·7	9·2	7·5	7·4	10·4	9·0	9·5	9·7	10·0	8·9	8·8	10·4
From dry and wet—														
Maximum	67·7	67·0	65·0	62·0	68·0	70·0	64·4	64·7	53·6	54·6	52·4	60·9	62·5	70·0
Minimum	81·2	85·0	83·0	82·0	85·0	89·0	80·3	83·8	73·4	75·1	73·2	75·6	80·5	89·0
Mean	74·5	76·0	74·0	72·0	76·5	79·5	72·4	74·3	63·5	64·9	62·8	68·3	71·6	..
Greatest amount of humidity	99·0	100·0	97·0	99·0	99·0	100·0	99·0	99·0	99·0	93·0	88·0	83·0	96·3	100·0
Date	13	13	27	13	3, 5 12, 16	3, 4 7, 24	2	22	4	21	21	21, 26	..	Feb. 13 June 3, 4, 7, 24
Least amount of humidity	52·0	57·0	51·0	44·0	60·0	62·0	49·0	56·0	31·0	29·0	40·0	45·0	48·0	29·0
Date	23	22, 23	15	4	2	17	27	2	22	19	3, 23	8, 9	..	Oct. 19
From standard at 9 a.m.	71·4	69·6	70·1	73·0	80·4	87·0	80·0	81·4	69·0	65·3	58·1	64·8	72·6	87·0
Average for 39 years	71·7	73·7	76·0	78·1	75·4	78·5	76·6	73·2	70·0	68·8	69·3	69·3	73·4	78·5

Humidity.—The humidity is obtained from the wet and dry bulb readings by means of a set of curves, which show the amount by inspection. These curves have been calculated from the Greenwich Dew Point Factors. The humidity thus obtained agrees with that given by Glaishier's tables.

No. 67.—Meteorology—Wind, Sydney, 1898.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Means	Extremes.
Greatest pressure (lbs.)	16·2	23·1	4·8	6·8	23·1	6·1	10·6	14·6	26·6	24·5	14·0	12·5	15·2	26·6
Date	20	13	14	4	5	16	28	2	17	28	21	24	..	17 Sept.
Mean pressure (lbs.) ..	0·7	0·5	0·4	0·3	0·9	0·5	0·6	0·4	0·6	0·7	0·5	0·6	0·6	..
Total in miles	8,558	6,439	6,087	4,958	8,554	6,946	7,298	6,522	6,953	7,435	6,836	7,660	7,021	8,558
Prevailing direction ..	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	S.W.	N.W.	W.	W.	W.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	..
Prevailing direction for 39 years	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	W.	W.	W.	W.	W.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	N.E.	..

No. 68.—Meteorology—Rainfall, Sydney, 1876-98.

(Including Dew.)

Year.	Greatest Fall in One Day.		Wet Days.	Total Fall during year.	Year.	Greatest Fall in One Day.		Wet Days.	Total Fall during year.
	Inches.	Date.	No.	Inches.		Inches.	Date.	No.	Inches.
1876	2·815	May 22	156	45·69	1888	2·751	Dec. 1	132	23·01
1877	4·890	Oct. 5	147	59·66	1889	8·363	May 28	186	57·16
1878	7·526	Feb. 6	129	49·77	1890	5·663	Mar. 25	184	81·42
1879	5·691	Sept. 10	167	63·19	1891	2·951	June 22	187	55·30
1880	2·036	Sept. 16	142	29·51	1892	4·337	Mar. 20	189	69·26
1881	4·246	Oct. 19	163	41·09	1893	3·303	Mar. 8	208	49·90
1882	6·482	April 6	112	42·28	1894	3·101	Mar. 20	188	38·22
1883	4·333	Sept. 28	157	46·92	1895	2·363	Feb. 8	171	31·85
1884	6·453	April 6	159	44·04	1896	4·875	June 4	152	42·40
1885	4·845	June 24	145	39·91	1897	2·735	April 23	137	42·52
1886	4·682	Oct. 15	152	39·43	1898	6·048	May 6	149	42·97
1887	2·827	May 29	189	60·16					

Rain-gauge.—The rain-gauge is round, 8 inches in diameter, and with rim 15 inches above ground. The pluviometer results are from a gauge of the same size, 9 ft. above ground, and recording on the same paper as the anemometer. Two similar gauges, placed on the ground 6 ft. apart, are always used; they differ very little, and not always the same way; the larger record is always taken.

No. 69.—Meteorology—Rainfall at various Stations in New South Wales, 1893–98.

(Including Dew.)

Station.	1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		1898.		Annual Average of Rainfall extending over a series of years.	
	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. In.	Days No.	Rainfall. Inches.	Days. No.
Table Lands.														
Cooma	26	127	22	120	11	85	18	87	24	77	14	88	20	93
Kiandra	59	165	73	148	54	107	59	128	68	128	70	106	64	120
Gundaroo	30	108	39	107	16	72	21	77	19	71	18	69	25	87
Collector...	37	151	41	121	17	71	29	95	21	86	22	77	28	105
Goulburn	31	107	37	110	14	82	23	99	18	94	22	86	26	86
Forbes	25	103	29	94	13	68	17	81	14	66	16	68	21	67
Mount Victoria... ...	50	143	41	135	29	104	29	127	33	114	47	144	38	103
O'Connell	29	115	26	93	19	79	24	95	17	69	16	69	25	93
Bathurst...	31	116	28	104	24	83	28	95	18	73	18	74	24	84
Coonabarabran	36	107	32	102	29	78	34	93	25	51	27	72	32	87
Walgett	20	59	22	62	18	45	18	50	22	35	13	35	20	51
Warialda	26	90	36	82	26	67	35	85	28	59	18	58	29	89
Inverell	39	98	37	91	23	66	33	87	28	60	19	60	31	83
Armidale	44	115	38	124	34	100	30	110	28	78	21	93	32	98
Coastal District.														
Lismore	87	141	67	150	44	125	53	136	46	120	64	132	59	141
Clarence Heads... ...	64	113	68	114	51	93	55	103	63	97	55	113	58	106
Port Macquarie... ...	64	171	58	156	79	150	38	130	59	119	72	140	64	135
Newcastle	69	172	46	175	45	162	37	168	39	143	49	147	48	128
Sydney	50	208	38	188	32	171	42	152	43	137	43	149	50	157
Wollongong	51	111	42	99	31	91	41	86	42	73	51	84	44	88
Cape St. George ...	81	143	85	145	108	142	96	161	89	148	61	107	59	118
Moruya Heads	52	115	45	113	25	75	35	104	34	85	34	89	38	100
Eden	51	162	30	114	22	95	35	126	22	117	35	91	36	120
Western District.														
Wagga Wagga	26	108	34	127	17	82	19	103	16	73	15	72	23	84
Albury	34	107	41	127	29	89	29	100	24	88	28	88	29	92
Deniliquin	15	84	24	94	13	56	12	63	13	60	14	65	17	66
Hay	14	81	22	93	14	57	13	80	11	67	11	66	15	66
Wentworth	12	63	23	76	8	46	8	44	8	42	10	44	12	69
Wilcannia	11	41	17	44	11	41	7	37	7	39	5	27	11	39
Bourke	13	51	24	58	11	37	20	50	17	37	11	30	17	44
Cobar	16	63	21	70	14	54	23	60	14	45	10	42	17	47
Dubbo	24	102	30	98	24	73	21	86	20	56	26	63	23	67
Lord Howe Island.														
Lord Howe Island ...	69	213	62	232	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	66	208

See note to Table No. 65.

No. 70.—Meteorology—Rainfall, Sydney, 1898.

(Excluding Dew.)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Sums.
Greatest fall in one day (inches)	2·048	2·532	0·560	0·370	6·048	2·328	1·916	0·823	0·630	2·240	0·215	0·702	....
Date	25	14	27	12	6	7	1	11	1	22	21	24	....
Number of days rain	15	8	14	7	19	19	9	17	13	13	5	10	149
Total fall in inches	5·401	4·923	1·282	0·532	10·500	6·399	3·688	3·860	1·522	3·185	0·457	1·221	42·970
Average fall for 39 years (inches).	3·650	5·366	5·387	5·708	5·036	5·695	4·299	2·851	3·099	2·821	3·137	2·641	49·690

No. 71.—Meteorology—Dew, Sydney, 1898.

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Sums.
Number of days dew...	...	...	2	9	5	5	13	7	4	4	3	1	53
Total fall (inches) ...	...	...	0·004	0·049	0·028	0·020	0·043	0·030	0·013	0·007	0·005	0·003	0·202

Dew.—The amount of dew is found from the rain-gauge. Smaller quantities than the rain-gauge will show are lost.

No. 72.—Meteorology—Wind, Humidity, Rainfall, at various Stations in New South Wales, 1898.

Station.	Wind.		Humidity. 100 = Saturation.	Rainfall (including dew).				Clouds 0–10 (mean amount)
	Prevailing Direction.	Force 0–6 (mean pressure lb.)		Total Fall (inches).	No. of Days.	Greatest Fall.		
						Inches.	Date.	
Table Lands.								
Cooma	N.W.	0·6	68·1	13·77	88	1·75	12 February	3·7
Kiandra	S.E.	1·3	73·6	70·34	106	3·65	14 February	4·5
Gundaroo	W.	0·9	...	17·56	69	1·09	14 February	3·8
Collector	N.W.	1·6	...	21·58	77	1·52	16 February	4·8
Goulburn	N.W.	1·1	69·3	21·85	86	2·36	15 February	3·0
Forbes	S.W.	1·2	62·8	16·31	68	2·32	13 January..	1·4
Mount Victoria	W.S.W.	1·8	75·0	46·51	144	4·03	14 February	3·9
O'Connell	W.	2·1	...	16·05	69	1·57	21 October...	4·8
Bathurst	W.	0·5	72·8	18·46	74	2·61	13 January..	3·7
Coonabarabran	S.E.	0·7	66·0	26·94	72	6·94	13 February	2·5
Walgett	S.E.	1·4	63·1	13·42	35	4·81	13 February	2·7
Warialda	E.	1·3	...	17·54	58	1·70	13 February	2·8
Inverell	S.	0·9	65·6	19·17	60	2·30	13 February	4·0
Armidale	E.	1·5	61·4	20·79	93	1·05	13 February	4·3
Coastal District.								
Lismore	S.S.E.	1·5	79·8	63·70	132	3·91	22 February	4·3
Clarence Heads	S.W.	1·2	75·9	55·38	113	3·15	21 June ...	5·2
Port Macquarie	W.	2·0	80·8	71·82	140	5·83	2 Sept. ...	3·3
Newcastle	N.W.	1·1	66·4	48·60	147	7·16	6 May ...	3·9
Sydney	N.E.	1·0	72·6	42·97	149	6·05	6 May ...	4·6
Wollongong	S.	2·3	75·1	50·64	84	7·10	14 February	4·4
Cape St. George	N.E.	2·5	69·9	61·41	107	5·40	14 February	5·9
Moruya Heads	W.S.W.	1·5	73·0	34·49	89	5·90	12 February	5·1
Eden	S.W.	1·5	74·8	34·51	91	8·26	13 February	4·1
Western District.								
Wagga Wagga	N.E.	1·4	69·4	14·79	72	1·36	23 December	2·9
Albury	N.	1·4	72·4	27·83	88	2·30	12 February	4·5
Deniliquin	S.W.	1·1	64·8	13·91	65	1·74	12 February	3·2
Hay	S.	1·9	65·9	10·97	66	1·17	13 February	3·1
Wentworth	S.	1·2	65·1	9·56	44	0·97	23 December	2·4
Wilcannia	S.	1·3	63·2	5·43	27	0·78	27 October ..	2·8
Bourke	N.E.	1·2	61·3	10·76	30	3·30	13 February	1·7
Cobar...	N.E.	...	...	9·97	42	1·20	31 August...	...
Dubbo	E.	0·8	68·5	26·38	63	2·77	16 January..	2·1

See note to Table No. 65.

No. 73.—Meteorology—Pluviometer, Sydney, 1898.

Number of hours and Amount of Rain with each wind, 1898.

Direction of wind, &c.	Jan.	Feb.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total.
S. Hours	9	....	....	....	7½	3¾	1¾	....	1	1	1	½	25½
S. Inches	1·200	....	....	....	2·457	0·180	0·200	....	0·070	0·100	0·045	0·090	4·342
S.S.W. Hours	1½	....	½	....	6½	1	4	4¾	....	2	....	....	20¼
S.S.W. Inches	0·872	....	0·035	....	0·505	0·200	0·700	0·270	....	1·400	....	....	3·982
S.W. Hours	2	½	....	4	13½	13	10¼	1½	....	1½	1	1	48¼
S.W. Inches	0·320	0·050	....	0·350	0·907	2·345	1·789	0·245	....	0·137	0·080	0·250	6·473
W.S.W. Hours	....	....	....	....	15½	....	1	1½	....	....	....	....	17¾
W.S.W. Inches	....	....	....	....	1·562	....	0·200	0·240	....	....	....	....	2·002
W. Hours	....	....	....	....	½	2½	4¾	6½	½	¾	....	....	15
W. Inches	....	....	....	....	0·060	0·260	0·463	0·821	0·130	0·127	....	....	1·861
W.N.W. Hours	....	....	....	....	1½	¾	½	2¾	....	....	....	....	5½
W.N.W. Inches	....	....	....	....	0·190	0·075	0·060	0·500	....	....	....	....	0·825
N.W. Hours	....	....	....	1	....	1½	....	....	½	¼	2½	1	6¾
N.W. Inches	....	....	....	0·060	....	0·125	....	....	0·060	0·015	0·120	0·250	0·630
N.N.E. Hours	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	3
N.N.E. Inches	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	0·137	....	....	....	....	0·137
N.E. Hours	½	¼	1	....	....	5	¼	4¾	4½	....	3½	2	21¾
N.E. Inches	0·240	0·020	0·060	....	....	0·240	0·015	0·430	0·335	....	0·100	0·202	1·642
E.N.E. Hours	....	1½	1	½	....	½	....	....	....	....	....	....	3½
E.N.E. Inches	....	0·200	0·070	0·020	....	0·035	....	....	....	....	....	....	0·325
E. Hours	4¾	1½	2½	....	....	1½	....	....	....	3	1	...	14¼
E. Inches	0·860	0·430	0·232	....	....	0·118	....	....	....	0·375	0·040	....	2·055
E.S.E. Hours	....	3	3	....	....	....	....	2½	4½	7½	....	....	20½
E.S.E. Inches	....	0·830	0·605	....	....	....	....	0·200	0·200	0·270	....	....	2·105
S.E. Hours	8½	16	....	¼	5¾	13¼	....	6½	8	3	....	½	61¾
S.E. Inches	1·545	2·930	....	0·020	0·930	2·572	....	0·700	0·555	0·530	....	0·070	9·852
S.S.E. Hours	....	....	....	....	14½	....	¼	½	....	....	....	4	19
S.S.E. Inches	....	....	....	....	3·520	....	0·020	0·080	....	....	....	0·322	3·942
Recorded Rainfall (including dew), as given by rain-gauge	5·037	4·460	1·002	0·450	10·131	6·150	3·447	3·623	1·350	2·954	0·385	1·184	40·173

NOTE.—The records of the pluviometer are affected by the force of the wind and some loss by friction in the recording machine; the total, therefore, is always less than that shown by the rain-gauge. The measured rainfall (including dew), as given by the rain-gauge, for 1898, was 43·172 inches, while the pluviometer only registered 40·173 inches.

Pluviometer.—This instrument (10 feet above ground) records on the same paper as the anemometer, thus giving at one view—wind, rain, and barometer changes.

No. 74.—Meteorology—Anemometer, Sydney, 1898.

Number of hours the wind blew from each point, and the number of miles, 1898.

Month.	S.		S.W.		W.		N.W.		N.		N.E.		E.		S.E.	
	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.	Hours.	Miles.
January	193	2,858	26	193	19	149	8	112	37	158	176	1,893	161	1,810	124	1,388
February	80	1,101	32	158	24	195	11	76	65	318	236	2,236	128	1,182	96	1,178
March	64	620	44	357	24	264	34	169	72	384	126	789	273	2,501	107	1,008
April	64	660½	43	325	167	1,130	74	484½	67	352	104	779	92	650	85	579
May	157	2,457	189	2,446	231	2,368	69	560	12	65	22	117	16	97	48	437
June	52	681	61	610	261	1,916	88	914	58	397	73	402	36	378	91	1,662
July	42	359	110	1,539	383	3,565	121	1,223	46	342	19	131	16	106	7	19
August	94	1,196	72	923	213	1,666	62	328	77	407	96	781	66	724	64	510
September	42	371	65	788	220	2,428	122	1,118	55	277	89	807	62	520	65	641
October	82	846½	37	536	151	1,714½	105	1,082	95	680	100	865	105	991	69	706
November	62	829	52	324	101	1,052	70	599½	83	548	176	1,953	112	920	64	627½
December	118	1,835	39	324½	28	265½	20	74	44	146	196	2,045	183	1,675½	416	1,289½
Total	1,050	13,814	770	8,523½	1,822	16,713	784	6,740	711	4,074	1,413	12,798	1,250	11,554½	1,236	10,045

Anemometer.—This instrument records on paper the time, direction, and velocity of wind. Robinson's cups are used. The vane and cups are 65 feet above the ground.

STATISTICAL VIEW of the Progress of the Colony of New South Wales from the date of separation of Queensland to the year 1898.

(Queensland was established a separate Colony, December, 1859.)

POPULATION, &c.

YEAR.	AT END OF YEAR. Persons.	Males.	Females.	BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	MAR. RIAGES.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1860	a348,546	199,426	149,120	14,233	6,562	2,945
1861	357,978	201,574	156,404	14,681	5,343	3,222
1862	366,721	204,199	162,522	15,434	6,524	3,326
1863	377,712	207,560	170,152	15,679	6,653	3,314
1864	390,864	213,365	177,499	16,881	6,445	3,480
1865	409,147	223,254	185,893	17,283	6,596	3,578
1866	428,813	235,116	193,697	16,950	7,361	3,462
1867	444,709	243,131	201,578	18,317	8,631	3,426
1868	463,188	254,003	209,185	18,485	7,225	3,736
1869	481,448	263,899	217,549	19,243	6,691	3,799
1870	498,659	272,543	226,116	19,648	6,558	3,848
1871	517,758	282,846	234,912	20,143	6,407	3,953
1872	535,219	292,015	243,204	20,250	7,468	3,925
1873	553,833	301,399	252,434	21,444	7,611	4,384
1874	574,943	312,843	262,100	22,178	8,652	4,343
1875	594,297	323,080	271,217	22,528	10,771	4,605
1876	614,181	333,515	280,666	23,298	11,192	4,630
1877	643,707	350,329	293,378	23,851	9,869	4,994
1878	671,888	365,625	306,263	25,328	10,763	5,317
1879	709,459	386,926	322,533	26,933	10,200	5,391
1880	747,950	409,030	338,920	28,162	11,231	5,572
1881	782,080	420,020	353,060	28,993	11,536	6,284
1882	815,000	447,100	367,900	29,702	12,816	6,948
1883	861,310	473,980	387,330	31,281	12,249	7,405
1884	904,980	498,310	406,670	33,946	14,220	7,482
1885	949,570	523,030	426,540	35,043	15,282	7,618
1886	989,340	543,260	446,080	36,284	14,587	7,811
1887	1,020,330	558,350	461,980	37,236	13,448	7,590
1888	1,051,080	573,190	477,890	38,525	14,408	7,844
1889	1,081,820	589,010	492,810	37,295	14,796	7,530
1890	1,121,860	609,650	512,210	38,960	14,218	7,876
1891	1,165,300	630,870	534,430	39,458	16,286	8,457
1892	1,197,650	646,540	551,110	40,041	14,410	8,022
1893	1,223,370	658,990	564,380	40,342	16,022	7,749
1894	1,251,450	672,950	578,500	38,951	15,170	7,666
1895	1,277,870	685,160	592,710	38,774	14,914	8,030
1896	1,297,640	695,150	602,490	36,506	15,839	8,495
1897	1,323,460	709,360	614,100	37,247	14,264	8,813
1898	1,346,240	721,335	624,905	36,222	16,661	8,888

EDUCATION.

YEAR.	COLLEGES AND SCHOOLS—STATE AND PRIVATE. Schools.	Scholars on Roll.	SYDNEY UNIVERSITY. Matriculated.	Graduates.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1860	798	34,767	...	11
1861	849	37,874	...	2
1862	925	42,211	...	9
1863	976	46,810	...	21
1864	1,022	48,427	...	13
1865	1,069	53,453	...	10
1866	1,155	59,594	...	17
1867	1,180	63,183	14	15
1868	1,254	66,835	10	20
1869	1,304	71,523	19	21
1870	1,381	74,503	17	27
1871	1,450	77,889	16	21
1872	1,464	106,691	14	22
1873	1,508	110,287	22	22
1874	1,547	119,133	20	25
1875	1,586	124,756	22	19
1876	1,629	131,620	34	29
1877	1,695	138,267	23	22
1878	1,744	148,788	24	20
1879	1,819	155,290	58	27
1880	1,910	169,441	64	27
1881	2,066	166,536	80	22
1882	2,161	188,507	101	51
1883	2,315	189,983	85	24
1884	2,535	202,519	142	39
1885	2,666	210,743	115	42
1886	2,817	224,892	122	34
1887	2,925	224,510	132	41
1888	2,950	226,856	130	45
1889	3,073	232,840	210	56
1890	3,120	237,853	301	70
1891	3,161	250,691	478	58
1892	3,221	256,388	540	90
1893	3,302	255,678	539	120
1894	3,371	257,281	522	123
1895	3,447	268,047	487	114
1896	3,467	275,570	438	108
1897	3,467	275,570	438	108
1898	3,552	285,219	434	103

INTERNAL COMMUNICATION.

RAILWAYS AND TRAMWAYS.

YEAR.	Government Lines. Railways. Miles open for Traffic.	Tramways. Miles open for Traffic.	Net Earnings.	Capital Expended on Lines open.	Train Miles. (Railways only.)
	No.	No.	£	£	No.
1860	70	... ..	11,842	1,422,672	174,249
1861	74	.....	13,817	1,536,032	214,881
1862	98	.....	35,146	1,907,807	274,565
1863	125	... ..	27,073	2,466,950	315,177
1864	145	.....	43,938	2,631,790	415,422
1865	145	.....	57,106	2,746,373	483,446
1866	145	.....	62,305	2,786,094	490,475
1867	205	... ..	71,748	3,282,320	600,751
1868	249	.....	80,158	4,060,950	708,529
1869	319	.....	88,613	4,681,329	893,552
1870	340	.....	101,139	5,566,092	901,139
1871	359	.....	158,257	5,887,258	931,333
1872	397	.....	217,071	6,388,727	1,036,255
1873	402	.....	246,201	6,739,918	1,109,879
1874	402	.....	278,872	6,844,546	1,249,233
1875	435	.....	318,474	7,245,379	1,472,204
1876	508	.....	353,819	7,990,601	1,688,964
1877	598	.....	396,935	8,883,177	2,106,802
1878	688	.....	366,001	9,784,645	2,055,176
1879	733	1½	349,783	10,428,556	2,932,463
1880	748	4	518,834	11,839,037	3,239,462
1881	996	9½	716,334	13,471,047	3,923,929
1882	1,278	22	787,204	16,256,177	4,851,157
1883	1,330	25	765,498	17,449,119	5,937,261
1884	1,631	27½	789,753	20,723,249	6,403,041
1885	1,745	27½	731,560	22,539,385	6,638,399
1886	1,907	29	691,635	24,884,297	6,479,265
1887	2,058	38½	763,428	27,397,312	6,472,107
1888	b2,126	b 1 38½	b781,896	b28,599,992	b6,689,313
1889	b2,183	b 2 38½	b925,603	b30,748,762	b7,641,769
1890	b2,193	b39½	b1,012,140	b31,488,737	b8,008,826
1891	b2,194	b42½	b1,196,221	b32,772,829	b8,410,421
1892	b2,197	b48	b1,249,543	b34,412,267	b8,356,096
1893	b2,351	b49	b1,250,099	b35,776,042	b7,505,310
1894	b2,501	b58½	b1,270,610	b37,104,257	b7,169,785
1895	b2,531	b61	b1,361,938	b38,039,884	b7,594,281
1896	b2,531	b61	b1,321,427	b38,287,090	b7,719,618
1897	b2,639	b62½	b1,471,338	b38,821,875	b8,130,405
1898	b2,691	b65	b1,466,873	b39,197,653	b8,340,338

POST OFFICE.

YEAR.	Offices (exclusive of Receiving Offices.)	Postal Miles Travelled by Mail Conveyances.	Letters.	Post Cards and Letter Cards.	Newspapers.	Packets, Books, and Parcels.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
1860	289	1,461,518	4,230,761	.....	3,668,783	83,736
1861	340	1,982,498	4,369,463	.....	3,384,245	105,338
1862	368	2,165,426	5,092,545	.....	3,460,936	170,782
1863	397	2,357,408	5,662,839	.....	4,554,739	276,814
1864	419	2,362,456	5,963,562	.....	4,000,077	287,540
1865	435	2,521,212	6,328,353	.....	4,689,858	249,904
1866	455	2,556,700	6,678,371	.....	4,513,185	249,939
1867	477	2,688,400	6,748,356	.....	3,897,905	189,297
1868	487	2,777,197	6,555,890	.....	3,580,332	116,987
1869	521	2,879,659	7,143,634	.....	3,593,553	158,034
1870	562	3,062,458	7,083,500	.....	3,814,700	157,700
1871	570	3,167,165	7,509,500	.....	3,992,100	158,300
1872	622	3,252,888	8,654,000	.....	4,841,200	170,500
1873	654	3,483,505	9,602,600	.....	4,961,700	209,600
1874	681	3,584,337	11,120,100	.....	5,794,200	270,300
1875	752	3,787,757	13,717,900	128,786	6,262,600	357,000
1876	782	3,891,906	14,466,900	109,664	6,917,200	413,900
1877	810	4,095,530	16,509,000	109,080	8,385,030	398,600
1878	847	4,389,925	18,159,900	123,720	9,469,200	536,800
1879	884	4,776,925	19,407,300	155,920	11,467,100	595,500
1880	927	5,246,373	21,732,500	153,360	13,791,000	711,600
1881	973	5,467,182	26,355,600	178,560	16,527,900	851,300
1882	1,005	5,861,317	29,326,500	222,800	18,082,300	1,262,800
1883	1,046	6,264,300	35,426,400	259,400	19,577,300	1,648,900
1884	1,085	6,509,446	42,237,000	296,300	25,063,500	3,022,100
1885	1,115	6,621,996	39,351,200	341,000	25,567,400	3,446,800
1886	1,157	6,891,200	42,849,900	348,700	c27,486,300	4,848,800
1887	1,167	7,015,600	44,815,900	442,100	c30,362,000	5,530,700
1888	1,203	7,144,500	48,986,000	520,920	33,755,400	6,616,718
1889	1,261	7,299,400	53,971,300	630,100	36,530,800	7,888,555
1890	1,338	7,463,000	63,017,700	677,400	40,597,200	8,960,934
1891	1,384	8,235,000	68,178,600	808,700	42,517,300	11,094,195
1892	1,423	8,568,700	76,575,400	827,360	45,520,500	12,403,167
1893	1,423	8,784,600	77,540,500	850,420	44,927,900	12,124,302
1894	1,445	8,840,000	67,993,328	1,170,000	41,667,300	13,941,490
1895	1,470	9,338,000	68,079,018	1,294,690	44,902,900	11,682,072
1896	1,503	9,773,500	68,845,675	1,405,560	45,558,940	16,109,750
1897	1,536	10,333,500	72,490,144	1,534,710	42,426,394	13,258,207
1898	1,578	11,008,500	75,119,595	1,832,100	42,570,850	17,093,767

TELEGRAPHS.

YEAR.	Stations.	Miles of Wire.	Telegrams.
	No.	No.	No.
1860	289	1,461,518	4,230,761
1861	340	1,982,498	4,369,463
1862	368	2,165,426	5,092,545
1863	397	2,357,408	5,662,839
1864	419	2,362,456	5,963,562
1865	435	2,521,212	6,328,353
1866	455	2,556,700	6,678,371
1867	477	2,688,400	6,748,356
1868	487	2,777,197	6,555,890
1869	521	2,879,659	7,143,634
1870	562	3,062,458	7,083,500
1871	570	3,167,165	7,509,500
1872	622	3,252,888	8,654,000
1873	654	3,483,505	9,602,600
1874	681	3,584,337	11,120,100
1875	752	3,787,757	13,717,900
1876	782	3,891,906	14,466,900
1877	810	4,095,530	16,509,000
1878	847	4,389,925	18,159,900
1879	884	4,776,925	19,407,300
1880	927	5,246,373	21,732,500
1881	973	5,467,182	26,355,600
1882	1,005	5,861,317	29,326,500
1883	1,046	6,264,300	35,426,400
1884	1,085	6,509,446	42,237,000
1885	1,115	6,621,996	39,351,200
1886	1,157	6,891,200	42,849,900
1887	1,167	7,015,600	44,815,900
1888	1,203	7,144,500	48,986,000
1889	1,261	7,299,400	53,971,300
1890	1,338	7,463,000	63,017,700
1891	1,384	8,235,000	68,178,600
1892	1,423	8,568,700	76,575,400
1893	1,423	8,784,600	77,540,500
1894	1,445	8,840,000	67,993,328
1895	1,470	9,338,000	68,079,018
1896	1,503	9,773,500	68,845,675
1897	1,536	10,333,500	72,490,144
1898	1,578	11,008,500	75,119,595

TRADE AND COMMERCE.

SHIPPING.

YEAR.	Inwards. Vessels.	Tonnage.	Outwards. Vessels.	Tonnage.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1860	1,424	427,335	1,438	431,484
1861	1,327	366,236	1,391	379,460
1862	1,493	454,837	1,568	467,356
1863	1,494	479,827	1,603	511,373
1864	1,849	607,168	1,842	647,057
1865	1,912	635,888	2,120	690,294
1866	2,099	730,354	2,259	784,381
1867	1,868	646,970	2,104	726,721
1868	2,073	724,193	2,218	776,449
1869	2,022	741,369	2,236	833,248
1870	1,858	689,820	2,066	771,942
1871	1,891	706,019	2,123	794,460
1872	2,011	774,490	2,091	813,550
1873	2,161	874,804	2,212	887,674
1874	2,217	1,016,369	2,168	974,525
1875	2,376	1,109,086	2,294	1,059,101
1876	2,313	1,074,425	2,265	1,053,300
1877	2,361	1,136,206	2,301	1,101,775
1878	2,469	1,267,374	2,387	1,192,130
1879	2,391	1,268,377	2,396	1,272,347
1880	2,108	1,242,458	2,043	1,190,321
1881	2,254	1,456,239	2,103	1,330,261
1882	2,437	1,686,620	2,340	1,610,045
1883	2,955	2,414,750	2,972	2,350,669
1884	2,935	2,284,517	3,010	2,376,441
1885	2,601	2,088,307	2,583	2,044,770
1886	2,684	2,114,618	2,755	2,143,986
1887	2,815	2,142,457	2,906	2,180,301
1888	2,955	2,414,750	2,972	2,350,669
1889	3,254	2,632,081	3,220	2,689,098
1890	2,889	2,413,247	2,777	2,348,625
1891	3,021	2,821,898	3,100	2,872,338
1892	2,960	2,804,549	3,067	2,842,635
1893	2,914	2,590,371	2,916	2,602,957
1894	3,272	2,859,968	3,291	2,878,586
1895	3,121	2,929,758	3,090	2,930,280
1896	3,224	3,080,751	3,208	3,109,009
1897	3,345	3,331,877	3,120	3,412,554
1898	3,316	3,464,867	3,263	3,455,061

IMPORTS.

YEAR.	Total Value.
	£
1860	7,755,859
1861	6,604,069
1862	8,781,078
1863	9,747,882
1864	11,002,637
1865	10,635,507
1866	11,868,646
1867	9,404,192
1868	8,831,460
1869	8,448,417
1870	8,284,378
1871	9,937,067
1872	9,573,404
1873	11,516,629
1874	11,650,154
1875	13,735,133
1876	13,800,505
1877	14,852,778
1878	15,104,645
1879	14,503,826
1880	14,176,063
1881	17,587,012
1882	21,467,899
1883	21,222,277
1884	23,160,916
1885	22,737,487
1886	23,313,529
1887	19,171,317
1888	20,776,526
1889	22,863,057
1890	22,615,004
1891	25,383,397
1892	24,972,247
1893	20,776,526
1894	20,577,673
1895	21,934,785
1896	23,010,349
1897	23,751,072
1898	24,533,560

EXPORTS.

YEAR.	Total Value.	Domestic Produce.
	£	£
1860	6,311,351	4,971,173
1861	6,609,461	5,016,891
1862	8,397,220	6,215,303
1863	7,788,083	5,432,424
1864	7,425,151	5,162,885
1865	9,563,818	6,946,148
1866	9,913,839	7,456,067
1867	8,727,983	6,674,176
1868	9,156,827	6,835,755
1869	10,006,711	7,940,453
1870	8,030,578	6,334,907
1871	11,261,219	9,227,108
1872	12,764,874	9,656,296
1873	12,457,975	8,986,272
1874	13,737,389	10,009,604
1875	13,061,412	9,470,563
1876	13,457,900	9,544,122
1877	13,134,405	9,625,679
1878	13,131,931	10,079,317
1879	15,682,802	12,007,931
1880	16,307,805	11,955,277
1881	17,677,355	13,189,954
1882	21,222,277	20,262,273
1883	18,577,290	14,063,227
1884	16,750,107	12,059,280
1885	17,517,937	11,583,229
1886	18,521,750	14,240,312
1887	20,920,130	15,682,392
1888	21,229,277	20,262,273
1889	23,204,934	17,700,393
1890	22,045,937	17,232,725
1891	25,383,397	25,944,020
1892	24,972,247	17,707,102
1893	20,776,526	17,972,247
1894	20,577,673	15,904,961
1895	21,934,785	16,436,210
1896	23,010,349	16,742,691
1897	23,751,072	17,057,543
1898	24,533,560	17,727,067

STAPLE PRODUCE EXPORTED.

YEAR.	Wool.	Tallow.	Coal.	Silver, Silver Lead and Ore.	Tin. (Mineral won.)	Copper. (Mineral won.)
	£	£	£	£	£	£
1860	1,454,289	28,794	183,761	.....	.....	.....
1861	1,768,978	60,816	160,965	.....	.....	.....
1862	1,801,186	104,030	245,422	.....	.....	.....
1863	1,816,520	31,221	220,181	.....	.....	.....
1864	1,316,520	31,221	220,181	.....	.....	.....
1865	2,283,560	122,270	214,158	.....	.....	.....
1866	2,830,348	51,826	300,588	.....	.....	.....
1867	2,125,737	63,648	253,259	.....	.....	.....
1868	1,960,360	144,377	292,201	.....	.....	.....
1869	3,162,522	167,536	298,195	.....	.....	.....
1870	2,741,141	223,787	267,681	.....	.....	.....
1871	4,748,160	245,727	265,690	.....	.....	.....
1872	3,342,900	176,798	307,861	.....	.....	.....
1873	3,936,408	106,138	526,089	.....	.....	.....
1874	3,162,522	167,536	298,195	.....	.....	.....
1875	3,631,643	112,027	671,483	.....	.....	.....
1876	4,365,727	265,690	16,848	249,779	16,975	
1877	5,256,038	147,790	648,977	6,998	248,906	127,396
1878	5,723,316	96,076	708,406	13,549	214,613	209,030
1879	6,491,198	215,854	694,707	18,606	256,732	210,623
1880	8,040,625	359,587	425,299	22,768	354,252	268,700
1881	7,149,787	267,177	417,530	14,651	568,795	257,884
1882	9,598,761	358,914	829,662	18,113	448,887	472,982
1883	8,953,100	197,707	931,045	142,954	281,188	362,287
1884	7,246,642	195,821	966,663	266,813	308,760	170,993
1885	7,028,596	145,198	947,002	492,029	277,545	122,980
1886	8,911,155	241,765	960,539	574,410	311,889	115,444
1887	9,503,180	304,599	1,306,630	3,619,589	133,963	119,195
1888	8,975,898	266,597	987,173	2,762,554	179,057	84,107
1889	8,991,396	266,597	987,173	2,762,554	179,057	84,107
1890	11,036,018	304,599	1,306,630	3,619,589	133,963	119,195
1891	11,036,018	304,599	1,306,630	3,619,589	133,963	119,195
1892	10,211,456	432,322	1,028,395	2,477,836	152,994	114,559
1893	9,675,061	744,331	814,929	3,031,720	126,114	73,287
1894	9,011,790	890,691	804,769	2,289,489	85,264	63,617
1895	9,583,691	773,954	1,642,671	87,937	136,969	
1896	8,776,529	353,566	900,264	1,785,451	68,546	197,814
1897	8,023,893	400,121	952,054	1,098,239	49,900	283,174
1898	8,329,287	310,697	962,668	1,704,055	45,638	27,686

PUBLIC LANDS.

YEAR.	SOLD. AREA. Conditional Purchase Applications.	Auction and Other Sales.	Amount Actually Received.* (From Public Accounts.)
	acres.	acres.	£
1860	.....	109,216	155,816
1861	.....	189,936	222,594
1862	297,575	123,468	216,988
1863	302,138	108,136	192,113
1864	307,035	103,942	178,730
1865	318,854	104,568	112,719
1866	378,254	131,653	213,241
1867	358,652	117,889	261,590
1868	451,225	175,033	265,250
1869	432,178	149,142	219,289
1870	434,756	164,206	236,116
1871	397,329	164,890	319,613
1872	426,976	147,997	250,843
1873	417,801	154,030	262,581
1874	454,635	177,551	436,483
1875	661,733	169,330	845,410
1876	664,957	166,911	1,163,572
1877	1,756,678	1,033,556	1,760,570
1878	1,984,212	1,776,793	2,513,404
1879	1,699,816	1,990,847	2,967,857
1880	1,588,248	1,087,881	2,076,011
1881	924,136	477,195	1,386,687
1882	1,147,002	625,932	1,382,027
1883	2,329,202	1,328,905	2,483,339
1884	2,392,218	1,023,815	2,455,041
1885	1,617,712	166,117	1,269,469
1886	1,453,937	294,177	1,363,483
1887	1,165,351	295,024	1,314,357
1888	963,197	288,062	1,206,423
1889	793,004	232,956	1,221,777
1890	1,048,305	389,390	1,271,662
1891	865,199	157,193	1,212,283
1892	999,298	304,803	166,101
1893	903,160	40,226	1,149,171
1894	1,164,475	419,758	173,836
1895	1,713,577	83,650	1,378,764
1896	1,241,419	333,233	191,152
1897	1,303,094	50,877	1,346,675
1898	1,179,621	356,666	174,577
1899	816,399	83,611	1,239,389
1900	1,372,007	452,921	167,549
1901	1,509,404	593,810	205,885
1902	533,805	98,844	1,207,492
1903	414,355	50,399	1,286,606
1904	1,688,542	647,483	208,308
1905	253,431	22,572	889,201
1906	199,450	14,686	1,157,648
1907	2,043,733	866,112	211,382
1908	2,198,231	993,350	209,583
1909	2,555,329	1,319,503	193,286

PRODUCTION.

AGRICULTURE.

YEAR.	TOTAL UNDER CULTIVATION, INCLUDING PERMANENT GRASSES.	AREA UNDER— Grain. Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Barley.	Rye and Millet.	Hay.	Sugar-cane.	Grape Vines.
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1860	260,798	128,829	51,488	6,535	2,860	475	45,584	.....	1,584
1861	297,575	123,468	57,959	7,224	3,924	704	45,175	.....	1,130
1862	302,138	108,136	75,991	9,988	2,538	397	52,765	.....	1,460
1863	307,035	103,942	95,689	13,022	4,093	407	48,291	2	1,641
1864	318,854	104,568	101,584	14,098	4,724	752	52,307	22	1,849
1865	378,254	131,653	113,443	10,939	5,844	1,762	61,909	141	2,126
1866	451,225	175,033	119,519	14,914	6,211	1,769	74,743	116	2,281
1867	432,176	138,906	114,522	13,142	5,140	2,072	74,346	647	2,532
1868	434,756	164,206	120,807	12,129	6,397	2,343	67,761	2,584	3,117
1869	397,329	164,890	219,289	14,902	9,152	2,512	75,034	3,917	3,907
1870	426,976	147,997	107,178	10,683	4,650	1,655	65,434	4,082	4,504
1871	417,801	154,030	119,956	13,795	3,462	1,596	51,805	4,394	4,152
1872	454,635	177,551	116,745	13,586	3,727	1,541	65,832	5,471	4,090
1873	661,733	169,330	116,648	16,524	3,559	1,512	71,437	6,670	4,517
1874	664,957	166,911	118,436	17,973	3,984	1,335	68,088	8,540	4,308
1875	1,756,678	133,609	117,582	18,855	4,817	1,068	77,125	6,454	4,459
1876	1,984,212	145,698	116,364	21,828	5,662	1,519	111,946	6,755	4,457
1877	1,699,816	139,842	105,510	18,580	5,055	1,407	125,778	7,066	4,183
1878	1,588,248	233,252	130,582	22,129	6,152	1,556	104,096	7,438	4,237
1879	924,136	233,368	135,034	23,883	6,130	1,102	112,414	7,777	4,266
1880	1,147,002	253,137	127,196	17,922	8,056	1,306	131,153	10,971	4,800
1881	2,329,202	221,887	117,478	16,347	6,426	1,089	146,610	12,167	4,027
1882	2,392,218	247,361	118,180	24,817	6,473	1,231	179,567	13,538	4,448
1883	1,617,712	166,117	123,634	17,810	5,081	1,424	178,503	14,984	4,378
1884	1,453,937	294,177	115,600	19,472	7,035	1,228	226,646	17,517	4,584
1885	1,165,351	295,024	132,709	14,117	5,297	932	219,886	16,418	5,247
1886	963,197	288,062	146,957	23,947	6,079	1,420	223,470	15,117	5,840
1887	793,004	232,956	121,777	19,393	4,402	1,291	170,324	15,287	6,745
1888	865,199	157,193	1,212,283	7,984	3,318	985	209,531	15,281